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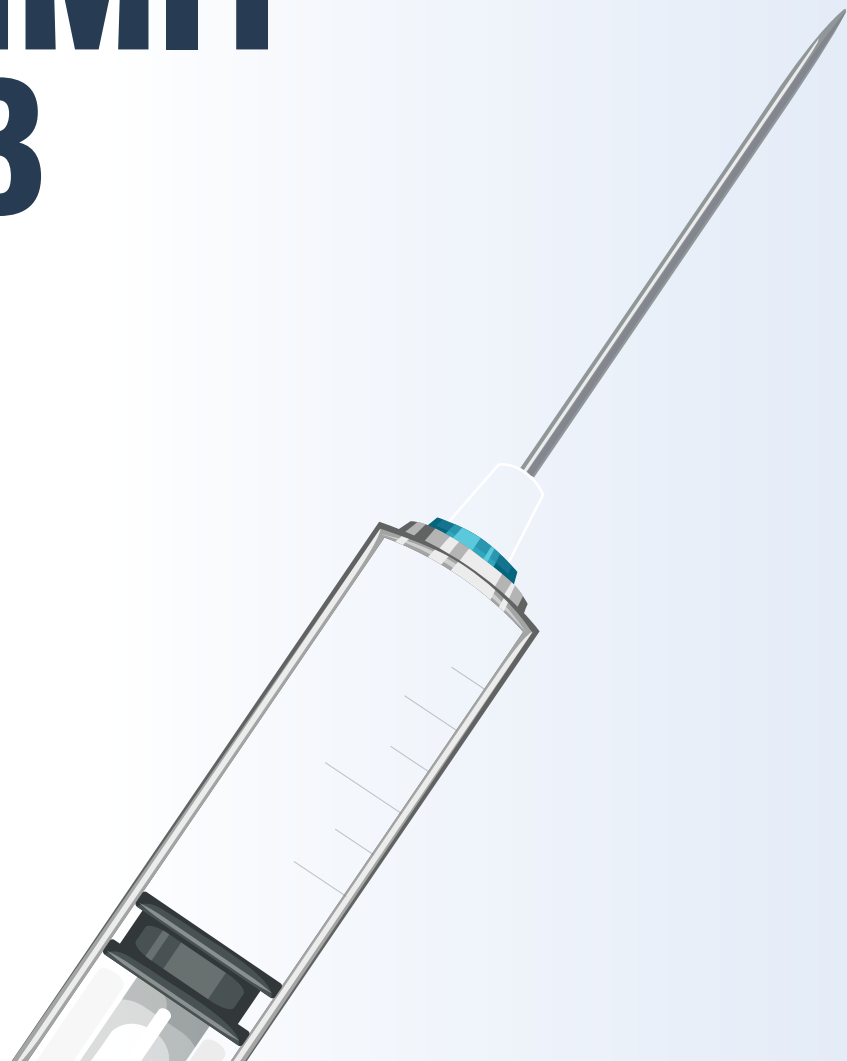
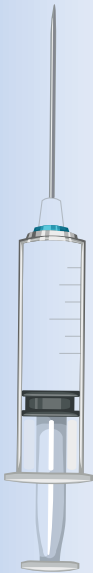
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# OVERVIEW

Immunization is one of the most effective and cost-effective ways to protect children's lives and futures, and the key to child survival. Missing Routine Immunization (RI) can be life-threatening for infants. More than half of the world's most vulnerable children still miss out on the essential vaccines they need to survive and live healthy lives. Moreover, understanding the importance of adult vaccination is also a major concern.

In the last two decades, India has made significant progress in improving health indicators, particularly those related to child health. The country was certified polio-free in 2014 and eliminated maternal and neonatal tetanus in 2015. The Government of India launched an ambitious programme Intensified Mission Indradhanush 3.0. It is the largest immunization programme in the world in terms of the number of beneficiaries, geographical coverage and quantities of vaccine used, with nearly 27 million new-borns targeted for immunization annually to accelerate full immunization coverage and to reach the unreached who even missed out their routine immunization during COVID-19. The coverage was expanded and extended to reach over 90 per cent and was all set to go beyond when Covid-19 walloped India.

Over nine million immunization sessions are held across India every year towards full immunization coverage. The Programme introduced new vaccines, including the Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV) and Rotavirus Vaccine (RVV). It is also rolling out a country-wide Measles-Rubella Campaign aiming to reach every child wherever they live. Moreover, adult vaccination also needs more awareness among those with CKD, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary disease (COPD), Cirrhosis, Diabetes, HIV, Lupus, Cancer and those on Chemotherapy or Radiotherapy, long-term steroid, asplenia, or splenectomy.

Expanding access to immunization is crucial to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). As per NFHS 4, 2015-16, in India the national average for full immunization is 62 per cent. Nearly one million children die before their fifth birthday in India. Only 65 per cent of children in India receive full immunization during the first year of their life. Despite clear evidence around the power of vaccines to save lives and control disease, millions of young children around the world are missing out, putting them and their communities at risk of disease and deadly outbreaks. This is unacceptable in a world where affordable, lifesaving vaccines exist. Diseases such as polio and smallpox that once killed thousands of children, have been eliminated and others are close to extinction— primarily due to safe and effective vaccines.



## ABOUT THE 2ND INDIA IMMUNIZATION SUMMIT 2023

The IHW Council is excited to bring to you the 2nd edition of **India Immunization Summit 2023** to bring together the responsible government authorities, policymakers, pharmaceuticals, social and community level organizations, and key stakeholders from health & healthcare sectors to understand the current status of immunization drive under various government schemes, challenges faced by the States in achieving full immunization coverage including limited capacities of staff, particularly in low performing States and at the field level, and gaps in key areas such as predicting demand, logistics & cold chain management, high wastage rates, system to track vaccine-preventable diseases and overall reach of Intensified Mission Indradhanush 3.0 and various important adult vaccines. And, current status and challenges of two vaccines, namely, Oxford University – AstraZeneca's Covidshield, manufactured by the Serum Institute of India and Bharat Biotech Covaxin, and newly added Russia's Sputnik V. Further understanding the future plans of the world's largest COVID vaccination drive to protect not only elderly and youth but also children below 12 years of age in the country.



## THE KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SUMMIT //

- ✓ Virtual Interaction with responsible government authorities, policymakers, pharmaceuticals, social and community level organizations, and key stakeholders from health & healthcare sectors
- ✓ Key insight and current status of the Government schemes and Mission Indradhanush 3.0
- ✓ Impact of various new vaccines such as Inactivated Polio Vaccine (IPV), Rotavirus vaccine (RVV), Measles Rubella (MR) vaccine, Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV), Tetanus and adult diphtheria (Td) vaccine
- ✓ Effective communication and promotion roadmap to educate people on the importance of immunization
- ✓ New research, digital technology and startups in increasing the awareness and accessibility to vaccination and life saving benefits of immunization
- ✓ Current status, challenges and the future plans of the world's largest COVID vaccination drive



# AGENDA

## Opening Session

01

### Policy Regulations on Immunization with Focus on Adult Immunization

The opening session will put focus on the present status of immunization in the country. Now that the healthcare discourse is witnessing a shift from curative to preventive, awareness and policy regulations on adult immunization are a pre-requisite to ensure healthier populations. Most of the health programmes initiated by the government focus on child and maternal immunization and the session will bring government authorities, policymakers, pharma companies and medical professionals to identify and address the gaps as far as adult immunization in the country is concerned.

## Panel - I

02

### Life Course Immunization – A Futuristic Approach to Public Health

Sustainable Development Goal 3, talks about ensuring healthy lives and promoting well-being for all irrespective of all barriers including age. A life course approach supports this goal by providing a holistic view of people's health and well-being at all ages. The session will bring public health specialists as well as medical experts and policy makers to discuss about the significance of life course immunization by Integrating it into government systems. The unprecedented vaccination achieved during Covid19 aptly demonstrated that behavioural change can be achieved through mass awareness. The session will focus on creating relevant awareness on the sustainable impact that life course immunization can have on public health in the longer run.

## Panel - II

03

### Role of Vaccines in Fighting Infections among Infants and Pregnant Women

Pharmaceutical companies, gynecologist and medical experts will come together to discuss about the role of vaccination in the first 1000Days of pregnant woman protecting the infant and mother from a host of disorders. The session will also have government representatives coming together to assess the impact of schemes like Indradhanush and the way forward for vaccination drives in the country.

## Panel - III

04

### Immunization for Employ Wellbeing – A Public-Private Perspective

The session will have medical professionals, corporates and insurance representatives discussing about the relevance of mass immunization and the way it can be implemented as a public-private partnership scheme in large corporates as part of health and wellbeing agenda. The experts will discuss about the significance of vaccines for employee wellbeing to boost productivity and will highlight employer and insurance perspectives on adult vaccination.

# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PAST EDITION



## REACH & IMPACT

The India Immunization Summit managed to reach a large audience even during the pandemic.



 **1 LAKHS+**

 **56K +**

 **6 LAKH+**



**Eight years journey of the Integrated Health & Wellbeing Council** inspired by UN global agenda of holistic approach to Sustainable Development Goals is a great continuous learning experience for us to help improving good health and lifestyle of people at large. We feel extremely proud to drive 9 out of 17 SDG goals through holistic Hi5 health awareness, advocacy and action agenda of the IHW Council. The advocacy and awareness impact around Good health, Good Food, Good Water Good Air & Good Lifestyle we have created through the responsible actions of our missions involving global leaders, Countries, relevant Ministries & Government bodies, Health, environment & education policymakers, medical technology, solutions & services, infrastructure providers, researchers, academia, professionals, health enthusiasts & influencers, key stakeholders and grassroots level organizations is been a sheer passion.

We continue to bring about this permanent change in the mind of individuals, to health, the healthcare industry, societies and communities globally with the unprecedented support of many dignitaries associated with us as advisor, jury and domain experts, and valuable support & contribution of Government, private companies, pharmaceutical sector and many social organizations to take all the missions forward with such noticeable impact and high standards.

To create limitless opportunities for a strong and robust advocacy, we believe in sharing the boundaries and go places to create a sizable impact among global communities. The year 2021-22 would witness the health & wellbeing footprints in many Asian countries with the strong leadership in each region advocating for good health & wellbeing of people in their own regions.



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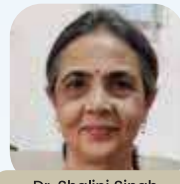
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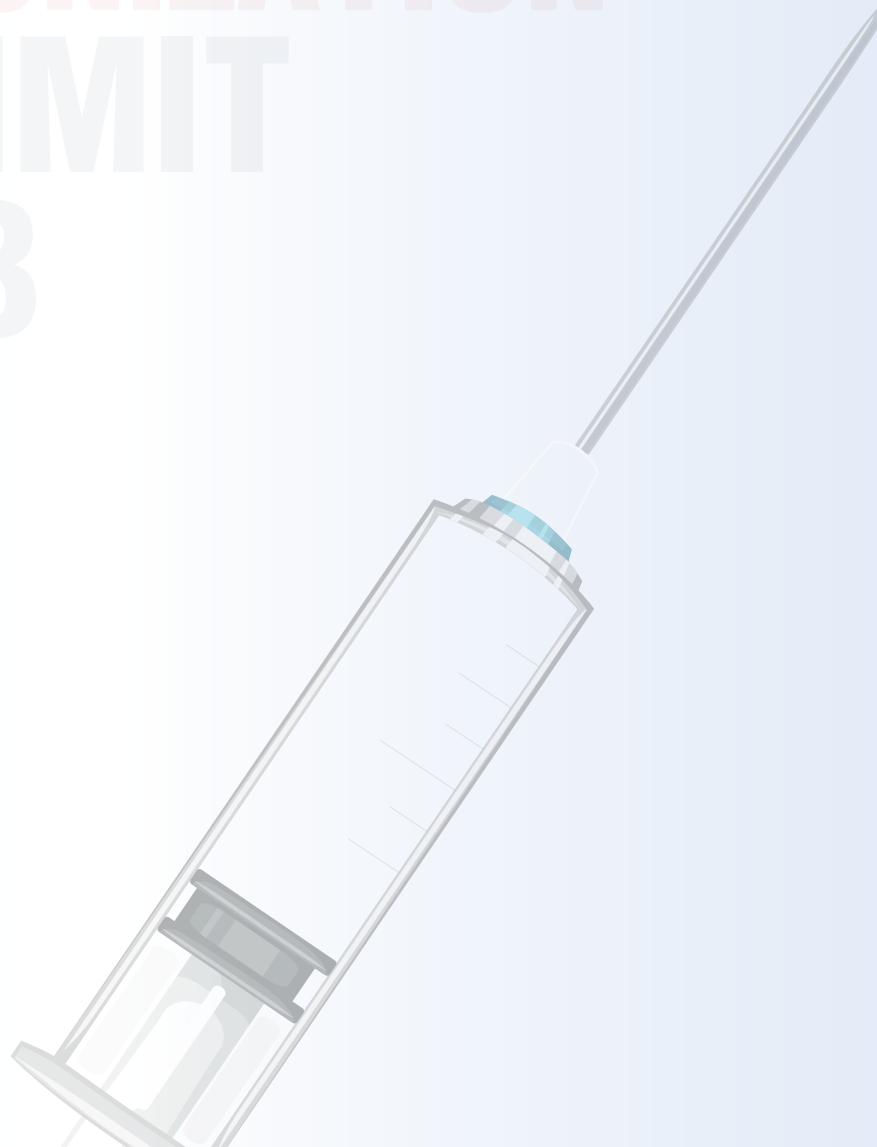


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