

## **Capacity Building Plan for the Staff of Department of Health, Sindh: Department of Population Welfare, Sindh and Pakistan Peoples' Primary Healthcare Initiative**

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**Background:** JSI is implementing USAID-funded Health Systems Strengthening Component of USAID's MCH Program to support the Ministry of Health Government of Pakistan, under a Cooperative Agreement with USAID Pakistan.

### **Primary Goal/ Objectives:**

- The goal is to train professionals in health systems planning, implementation and research.
- To prepare leaders in designing, implementing and monitoring of health care programmes in response to health needs of Pakistan and developing countries.
- To develop professionals with comprehensive skills in health policy development and analysis and implementation.
- To produce professionals with conceptual and technical skills in institutional management.
- To provide tools to professionals to function at all levels of the health care system (policy, programmatic, service delivery) and in different organizational settings.

**Methods:** Training in specific skill sets

**Impact:** capacity building in health programming, management and stewardship of provincial and district managers