



ADAPT –

The Spastics Society of India

1972 – 2012

UNSC GD
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Over 40 years.....

- SERVICE DELIVERY:
 - DEVELOP MODELS
 - INCUBATE FOR NATIONAL SPREAD
- TRAINING:
 - PEDAGOGY
 - SKILLS DEVELOPMENT
- POLICY ADVOCACY THRU SYSTEMS CHANGE:
 - MICRO
 - MEZZO
 - MACRO

THE DISABILITY QUESTION

Indian Census 2011

QUESTION 9 (a), (b), (c)

(a) Is this person mentally/physically disabled?

- Yes = 1
- No = 2

(b) If yes, give code from list

(c) If "multiple disability" give maximum 3 codes in box from list

LIST:

Disability:

- In seeing = 1
- In hearing = 2
- In speech = 3
- In movement = 4

- Mentally Retarded = 5
- Mental Illness = 6
- Any other = 7
- Multiple Disability = 8



PROBLEMS WITH THESE QUESTIONS?

WHERE ARE THE OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN (OOSC): CWSN

- ENTITLEMENTS TO EDUCATION FOR ALL CHILDREN 6 – 14 YEARS
- UPTO 68% CWSN NOT IN SCHOOL (WORLD BANK, 2007)
- WHERE ARE THEY?
- STUDY COVERING 30,000 HHs SHOWS LOW % OF OOSCWSN BASED ON MEDICAL CATEGORISATION
- FUNTIONAL QUESTIONS ADDED ANOTHER 3%

ADAPT IN COLLABORATION:

- MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, GOI
- WITH UNICEF MICS – NEW DELHI AND NEW YORK
- NCHS - WG – GDS
- UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON

TWO STEP PROCESS

- A PRIMARY ENUMERATION: BASED ON CHILD FUNCTIONING AND DISABILITY FOR MICS – UNICEF
- A SECONDARY SCREEN/ASSESSMENT TO GENERATE:
 - LISTING OF ALL OOSCWSN
 - NATURE OF THEIR DIFFICULTIES/DISABILITIES
 - RECOMMENDED SERVICES

COGNITIVE TESTING TRAINING: MUMBAI, SEPTEMBER 2012

- TWO MASTER TRAINERS: KRISTEN MILLER, MITCH LOEB
- ONE FACILITATOR: DAN MONT
- ORGANISATION: ADAPT & TWO OTHER AGENCIES
- 24 INTERVIEWERS
- 30 PRACTICE RESPONDENTS
- 72 REAL RESPONDENTS

RATIONALE FOR THE DOMAINS FOR PARTICIPATION IN EDUCATION?

- SEEING, HEARING, WALKING, SELF CARE
- ATTENTION, LEARNING, COMMUNICATION/COMPREHENSION, COPING WITH CHANGE
- RELATIONSHIPS, PLAYING, BEHAVIOUR
- EMOTIONS

CURRENT PROCESS ON CT

- ADAPT TEAM
- NCHS

FIELD TEST PROPOSAL

- CHILD FUNCTIONING QUESTIONS: 15,000 HHs
- HH AVERAGE 5.5
- SECONDARY ASSESSMENT/SCREENING: EXPECT TO GENERATE 200 CWSN:
- NECESSARY TO VALIDATE TWO-STEP PROCESS FOR A PHASED NATIONAL ROLL-OUT

THE SCALE?

- 35 STATES/PROVINCES
- 644 DISTRICTS
- 7156 BLOCKS
- 81,086 CLUSTERS
- 588,641 VILLAGES
- 1,412,178 SCHOOLS
- 1.2 bn POPULATION
- ~ 262 mn 6-14 years
- ~ 350+ mn 2 – 17 years



THANK YOU