

Training Module for Panchayat Facilitator

Module 1: Democracy and its functions

Day 1: Local Governance and democracy system and support from the 73rd Constitutional Amendment

Sr. No	Session	Hours/ Time	Facilitator's Name	Expected Outcomes		Process/ Method
				Knowledge	Skills	
1	introduction about the training and rapport building, Brief About organization and presentation about experience of working with Panchayats	10:30 AM to 11:00 AM	Dhaval Ahir	-	-	Host Organisation
2	Introducing Decentralization - the concept and the Federal System in India (from bottom to top, at Central as well as at State level and district level)	11:00 AM to 12:15 PM	Manish Acharya	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Learners will be able to understand Importance of Decentralization. 2. Decentralisation and its principles and how the same has been woven in the constitution and in spirit in the states of India 	-	Presentation and Role play on characters in the Local Government system; Presentation on the concept and why is it important.
3	Democracy and local democracy – the story of the 73rd amendment	12:15 PM to 1:15 PM	Manish Acharya	Importance of democracy and context of India	-	Exercise in 4 groups: Difference (+ves and –ves) between lokshahi and other systems; building concept and its importance

Lunch Break 1:15 PM to 2:30 PM

4	Taking through the essential features of 73rd Amendment and provision for rural local government and devolution of power and subjects	2:30 PM to 3:00 PM	Dhaval Chad	Learners will be able to understand Importance of Panchayati Raj system in development sector	-	Presentation and Discussion
5	What do the Panchayats do? What is the role of elected representatives in Panchayats.The Gujarat Panchayati Raj Act and Analysis of Panchayati Raj Act in Practice	3:00 PM to 3:40 PM	Dhaval Dhad	Learners will be able to understand the role of Sarpanch, Members, Up-Sarpanch and secretary	-	Group Exercise, Card Game
6	Compulsory Committees and other Committees of Panchayats	3:40 PM to 4:00 PM	Dhaval Chad	Learners will be able to understand the different types of committees and its function at the Panchayat	-	Presentation
7	Brief introduction to Planning, characterized and it's importance in local government	4:00 PM to 4:30 PM	Manish	Learners will be able to understand Importance of Planning, its relevance under the 73rd amendment of the Constitution	-	Presentation
8	Decentralized Planning and GPDP and E.Gram Swaraj Portal and 9 theme for the planning	4:30 PM to 5:30 PM	Dhaval Chad	Scopes of planning in GPDP	Understanding and skill develop to upload details in the portal	Presentation and Demonstration of planning portal
9	Feedback Session	5:30 PM to 5:50 PM	Manish and Dhaval			Verbally by the team