

#### Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

Government of India

# Strengthening The Public Healthcare Bi-directional Referral Linkages To Improve Continuum Of Care

Convergence between AB-HWCs and AB-PMJAY

## MDGs to SDGs: Achieving UHC

SDG 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages

Target 3.8: Achieve universal health coverage, including financial risk protection, access to quality essential health-care services, medicines and vaccines for all

- 3.1: Reduce maternal mortality
- 3.2: End preventable newborn and child deaths
- 3.3: End the epidemics of HIV,
  TB, malaria and NTD
  and combat hepatitis,
  waterborne and other
  communicable diseases

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New SDG

3.7: Ensure universal access to sexual and reproductive healthcare services

- 3.4: Reduce mortality from NCD and promote mental health
- 3.5: Strengthen prevention and treatment of substance abuse
- 3.6: Halve global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents

SDG3 means of Implementation targets

3.9: Reduce deaths and illnesses from hazardous chemicals and air, water and soil pollution and contamination

# 3.a: Strengthen implementation of framework convention on tobacco control

- 3.b: Provide access to medicines and vaccines for all, support R&D of vaccines and medicines for all
- 3.c: Increase health financing and health workforce in developing countries
- 3.d: Strengthen capacity for early warning, risk reduction and management of health risks

Interactions with economic, other social and environmental SDGs and SDG 17 on means of implementation

### **Ayushman Bharat**

PM-JAY

Financial protection of upto 5 lakh per annum to vulnerable and low-income households for secondary and tertiary hospital care



## Bi-directional referral linkages

Health & Wellness Centers

Setting up of 1,50,000 Health & Wellness Centers to deliver full range of Comprehensive Primary Health Care services closer to the communities









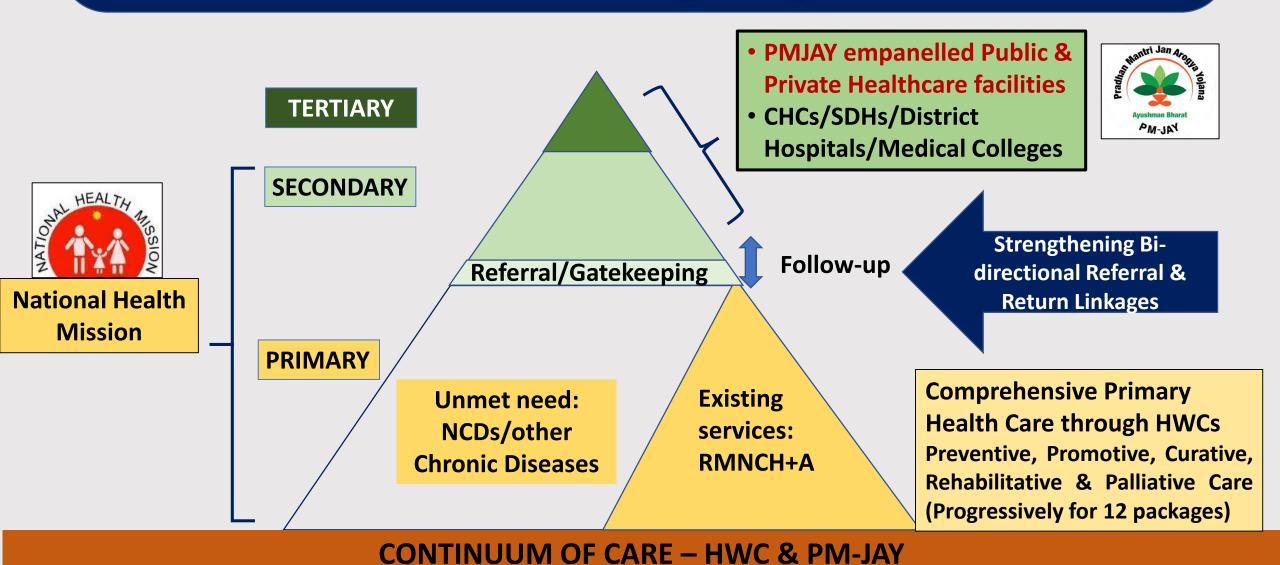






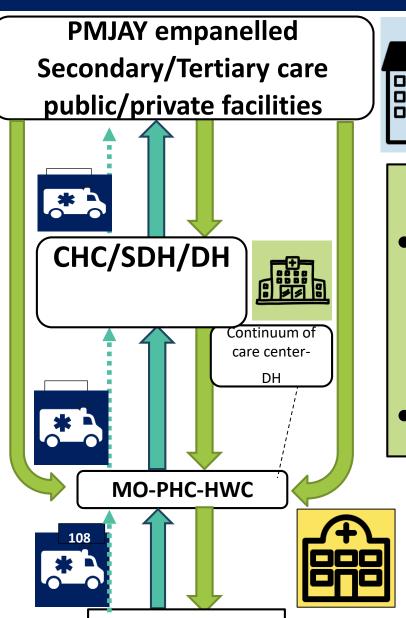
Universal
Access to
Health
Services &
Community
Outreach

## Universal Health Coverage: Ayushman Bharat



#### **Continuum of Care: HWC and PMJAY**

- Upward movement are from primary health care facilities to CHC/SDH/DH
- PMJAY eligible beneficiaries in need of hospitalization, shall have choice to opt for Govt./ Pvt. PMJAY empanelled facilities.
- Choice of facility should be that of a patient & not the facility



**CHO-HWC** 



#### **Downward Referrals**

- Are from tertiary/secondary care facilities to primary care facilities
- AB CCs to facilitate.

## Ayushman Bharat - Counselling Centres (AB-CCs)

- Repository of all information related to PMJAY empaneled hospitals.
- Guide/Counsel both PMJAY patients and non PMJAY patients to make informed choice about the facility they would like to choose.
- · Facilitate movement of patients across districts and states.
- Facilitate downward referral of patients for follow up care.
- Register all grievances and facilitate their resolution.
- Ensure immediate assistance for complaints related to denial of services or entitlements.

#### MONITORING INDICATORS OF AB-CCs

Number of people who availed services from District AB-CCs

Number of patients assisted for consultation outside the district

Proportion of patients
who have reached
referral PMJAY
facility within 3 days
of referral

Feedback from beneficiaries

Proportion of grievances resolved at District AB-CCs

# THANK-YOU