

## **NUTRITION**

### **EDUCATION**

In order to ensure maximum enrolment in the school and to reduce dropout, mid-day meals are freely served to the students studying from I standard to XII standards in all Govt./Govt. aided schools. School Children are provided with 605 calories on vegetables day and 683 calories on egg day and 18 grams Protein on vegetable day and 24 gram protein on egg day.

Under this Sector two schemes namely Mid-day meals schemes and Breakfast scheme are implemented by the Dte. of School Education.

There are 12 Central Kitchens and 92 School Canteen Centres are functioning at present for the preparation of midday meals in a hygienic manner. Out of 12 Central Kitchens, 9 Central Kitchens are at Puducherry, 2 Central Kitchens at Karaikal and 1 Central Kitchen at Yanam covering a student population of 1.26 lakhs. The diet and non-diet articles are being procured from the co-operative institutions in a limited tender system. Necessary Guidelines has been issued for the error free implementation. The Parliamentary Standing Committee attached to the Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi has visited Puducherry during January 2008 and observed that States / U.Ts to come forward for adoption of innovative measures of UT of Puducherry in their set-ups.

The Scheme is implemented in order to eradicate classroom hunger in the morning and also to increase enrolment, school attendance, punctuality and attentiveness in the classrooms, eliminating dropouts. Every year 1.26 lakh students are covered.

### **ACTUAL PHYSICAL ACHIEVEMENT DURING 2009-10**

- Under Mid-day meals scheme & Rajiv Gandhi Break-fast scheme, 1,26,000 students (including 39,136 SCs. students) are benefited.

### **ANTICIPATED PHYSICAL ACHIEVEMENTS DURING 2010-11**

- Under Mid-day meals scheme & Rajiv Gandhi Break-fast scheme, 1,26,000 students (including 39,136 SCs. students) are benefited.

- Under Mid Day Meals Schemes the amount spent per student per day for Primary Classes is increased from ₹4.70 to ₹ 5.25 and for Upper Primary Students it is increased from ₹4.90 to ₹5.90 and in respect of Secondary and Hr. secondary students the amount of increase is from ₹ 6.70 to ₹7.80. Under Rajiv Gandhi Breakfast Scheme the expenditure incurred per student per day is increased from ₹6.07 to ₹6.56. Addition of 12 Gms of Pulses(Mochai and Kadalai) is added in the Mid Day Meals for all the students from LKG to XII.

### **PROPOSED PHYSICAL TARGETS FOR THE ANNUAL PLAN 2011-12**

- Under Mid-day meals scheme & Rajiv Gandhi Break-fast scheme, 1,35,000 students (including 39,800 SC students) respectively will be benefited.

### **WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

ICDS Scheme, one of the Flagship programmes of the Government of India, is implemented through Five ICDS Projects and 788 Anganwadi Centres in the U.T. of Puducherry providing supplementary Nutrition to Children (0 to 6 years) and Pregnant/Lactating mothers. The early childhood education is also provided in Anganwadi Centres to children in the age group of 3-6 years. As a new initiative, the Government of Puducherry is providing supplementary nutrition in holidays also.

### **ACHIEVEMENTS DURING 2009-10**

- 23,030 children & 11,515 mothers enrolled in 688 Anganwadi Centres were provided Supplementary Nutrition.

### **LIKELY ACHIEVEMENTS DURING 2010-11**

- 24,670 children & 12,330 mothers enrolled in 788 Anganwadi Centres are provided Supplementary Nutrition.

### **PROPOSED TARGETS FOR 2011-12**

- 26,700 children & 13,300 mothers are proposed to be enrolled and provided Supplementary Nutrition in 788 Anganwadi Centres.

## OUTLAY AT A GLANCE

Sector : NUTRITION

No. of Schemes : 5

Department : 1. EDUCATION

2. WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

(₹ in lakh)

Eleventh Five Year Plan 2007-12 Approved Outlay	:	19546.04
Annual Plan 2007-09 Actual Expenditure	:	4975.33
Annual Plan 2009-10 Actual Expenditure	:	2761.53
Annual Plan 2010-11 Approved Outlay	:	2596.00
Annual Plan 2010-11 Revised Outlay	:	2596.00
Annual Plan 2011-12 Proposed Outlay	:	2600.00

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Eleventh Five Year Plan 2007-12	Annual Plan 2007-09	Annual Plan 2009-10	Annual Plan 2010-11		Annual Plan 2011-12
		Approved Outlay	Actual Expdr.	Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Proposed Outlay
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)

**SCHOOL EDUCATION**

1.	Mid-day Meals to poor children studying in Stds.I to XII in Govt. / Govt. Aided Schools	6267.50	1382.43	792.10	803.00	806.97	803.00
2.	Provision of Breakfast to poor students studying in Govt. /Govt. Aided Schools	11776.23	3155.75	1767.69	1597.00	1593.03	1597.00
3.	Provision of nutritious food to the students of X and XII standard in the evening as an incentive to attend special class beyond school hours.	100.00	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>18143.73</b>	<b>4538.18</b>	<b>2559.79</b>	<b>2400.00</b>	<b>2400.00</b>	<b>2400.00</b>

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)

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4.	Nutrition component of ICDS	1250.00	429.66	195.03	188.66	188.66	192.66
5.	Pilot Project for the grant of food grains to the undernourished pregnant / lactating mothers and adolescent girls	152.31	7.49	6.71	7.34	7.34	7.34
	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>1402.31</b>	<b>437.15</b>	<b>201.74</b>	<b>196.00</b>	<b>196.00</b>	<b>200.00</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>19546.04</b>	<b>4975.33</b>	<b>2761.53</b>	<b>2596.00</b>	<b>2596.00</b>	<b>2600.00</b>