



Skill Birth Attendants (SBA) Training – 2025

Rationale

Skill birth attendants (SBA) are shortage in the rural health posts/centres throughout Nepal especially in the rural and remote communities. Due to lack of SBAs in the rural and remote community settings, there have been occurred the deaths of the mothers and child during delivery. There needs special attention to those pregnant women until giving birth of the children. Due to the lack of trained health personnel during deliveries, many deaths have been occurred. Thus, in order to have safe deliveries and saving the lives of mothers, and children SBA personnel play vital role. Based on the expertise of IDEA for conducting 18 months Midwifery education course for the last 25 years, we have talents and expertise in midwifery education, and are confident to launch SBA training for the development of the capacities and production of health personnel that are the demands of rural and remote communities in Nepal to meet the demand of the nation.

Since the phase out of 18 months Midwifery education, IDEA has been focusing on SBA training with the financial support of TRAS Canada. The SBA training has been playing vital role for the safe deliveries in their respective communities. Such trained personnel will be employed by the health projects, government health offices (health centres/posts/hospitals). Some of the individuals will perform their jobs individually or in a small group within the field of their expertise.

Training Period:

The SBA Training started since March 30, 2025 in Lamjung Hospital Lamjung, Beshisahar, Lamjung district. This training last 2 months residential course and one month internship.

Training Site:

Lamjung Hospital, Lamjung, Beshisahar, lamjung

Participants:

There are 15 participants from various health institutions. Refer the list in Annex I

Participants' Expression:

Kalpana Singh:

I am so lucky to be able to participate in the SBA training with the support of IDEA.

Chandra Ghale:

Without the financial support of IDEA I would not have participated SBA training.

Santoshi BK:

Thanks to IDEA for supporting my participation in SBA training.

Initial Impact:

All participants are so enthusiastic to learn many more new knowledge and skills from this SBA training. All are actively participating both in the theoretical and practical sessions. They hope that all of them have confident to gain competency in 27 skills during this training.

We are encouraged with the expression of the participants.



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Annex I

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Start Date: March 30, 2025

S. No	Name	Qualifications	Work Place	Status of Work	Remarks
1	Anita Gurung		Pasgau Health Post, Pasgaun, Lamjung	Volunteer	
2	Asmita Khadka	ANM	Anpang Health Post, Anpang, Gorkha	Volunteer	
3	Binisha Gurung	ANM	Barpak Health Post, Barpak, Gorkha	Volunteer	
4	Chandra Ghale	ANM	Aabukhaireni Health Post, Aaukhaireni, Tanahun	Volunteer	
5	Chandra Khadka	ANM	Kotthar HealthPost, Bulingtar, Bardaghat Susta Purba	Volunteer	
6	Dipshikha Magar	ANM	Phaham Health Post, Phaham, Rolpa	Volunteer	
7	Ganga Purja	ANM	Ramche Health Post, Ramche, Annapurna Municipality, Myagdi	Volunteer	
8	Kalpana Singh	ANM	Chum Chet Health Post, Chumchet, Gorkha	Volunteer	
9	Monika Thapa	ANM	Tribeni Susta Health Post, Binaee Tribeni, Bardaghar Susta Purba	Volunteer	
10	Pema Dhiki Lama	ANM	Chhekampar Health Post, Chhekarpar, Gorkha	Volunteer	
11	Ramita Kumari Sanjyal	ANM	Simjung Health Post, Simjung, Gorkha	Volunteer	
12	Santoshi BK	ANM	Bichour Health Post, Dudhpokhari, Lamjung	Volunteer	
13	Sapana Pandit	ANM	Kunchha Health Post, Kunchha, Lamjung	Volunteer	
14	Sarati Kumari Chand	ANM	Thumi Health Post, Thimi, Gorkha	Volunteer	
15	Sumitra Darai	ANM	Taklung Health Post, Taklung, Gorkha	Volunteer	

Remarks:

The Health Department of the concerned Municipality Authorities have promised to keep them a temporary contract after SBA training participation. Then, they all are eligible all the facilities as per the permanent Government personnel. For becoming a permanent position, they have to follow the Government rules and regulations.



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Annex II PHOTOS

