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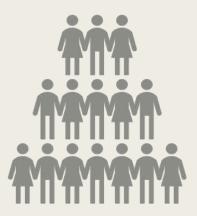


# GPDP GRAM SABHA

An overview about the details of GPDP Gram Sabhas and mobilization strategies

### Gram Sabha

- Gram Sabhas are constitutionally mandated platform for participatory governance at the Panchayat level
- This platform is used for discussions relating to all programmes and schemes aimed at poverty reduction and local development.
- Gram Sabha provides a space for people to participate in the decision making process at the local level
- Gram Sabha is considered as the base of decentralized democracy



## **GPDP Gram Sabha**

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As per the MoPR guidelines for GPDP, Gram Sabha will be used as a site of participation and validation for the all the decisions made for GPDP



Special Gram Sabhas are conducted over the course of three months starting from October  $2^{nd}$  to December  $31^{st}$ 



Along with Panchayat representatives, line department officials also participate in GPDP Gram sabhas

# Preparatory steps undertaken by SHG network for GPDP Gram Sabha

#### Meeting with GP/VC body to confirm date of Gram Sabha

VPRP Demand preparation at SHG level , VO level and consolidation at GP level

Preparatory meeting with GP/VC and other stakeholders to discuss agenda of gram Sabha

Finalisation of VPRP and preparation for mobilisation and presentation in Gram Sabha

Mobilisation of Community for Gram Sabha

Final Presentation of VPRP in Gram Sabha

SHG members can conduct public rallies from village to village shouting slogans of the importance of Gram Sabha

# Gram Sabha Mobilization Strategy

Announcements can be made in the public spaces of the villages to ensure reach of people



SHG members can utilize various methods of performance arts such as skits, street plays, dramas etc. to spread awareness about the relevance of Gram Sabha to a larger audience



Songs and use of musical instruments like drums can also be an effective mobilisation technique



Posters and wall paintings can be pasted / drawn so as to gather attention







### **GRAM SABHA MOBILISATION**









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