Public Private Partnership Initiative of Sindh Government in Thatta and Sujawal



Annual Progress Overview 2018-19

Medical Emergency Resilience Foundation (MERF)

Saving lives by providing effective, efficient and affordable healthcare in resource poor settings.

Medical Emergency Resilience Foundation (MERF) is a non-governmental organization committed to improve access to quality health care services which are equitable, efficient and affordable in collaboration with governments, international organizations and private entities. MERF is registered with Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan under Companies Act 2017 (Previously Companies Ordinance 1984). MERF is a certified not-for-profit organization (NPO) under Section 2(36) of Income Tax Ordinance 2001 with National Tax Number (NTN) 7212843-0. MERF is also certified by Pakistan Centre for Philanthropy (PCP).





Our Objective

- To support public health care system with special emphasis on maximizing access to a basic package of quality essential healthcare services.
- To improve nutritional status of population through nutrition specific and nutrition sensitive interventions.
- To prevent and/or mitigate water, sanitation and hygiene-related diseases through evidence based systematic approaches.
- To deliver emergency services and develop resilience in response to natural and man-made disasters
- To develop and advocate policies for health systems strengthening

SERVICE DELIVERY

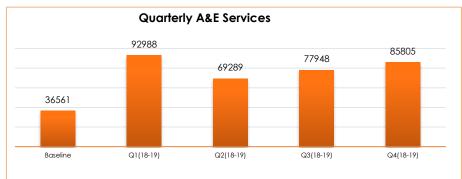
i- OPD AND ACCIDENT / EMERGENCY (A/E) SERVICES



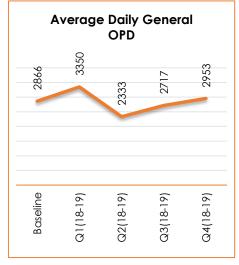


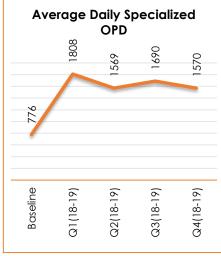


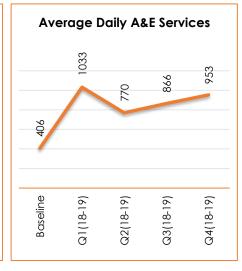












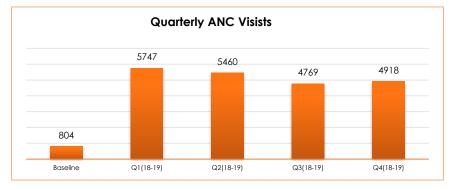
ii- MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CARE SERVICES













iii- INDOOR/ADMISSION SERVICES



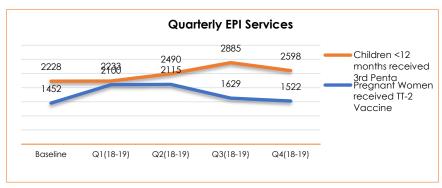


iv- SURGERIES



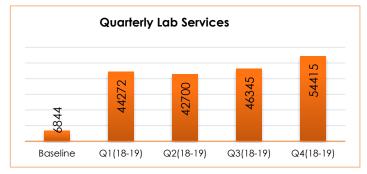


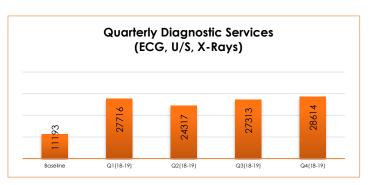
v- EPI SERVICES





vi- DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES



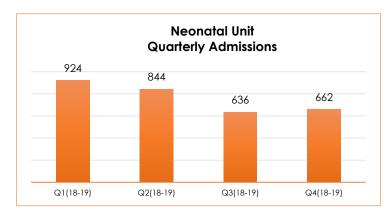




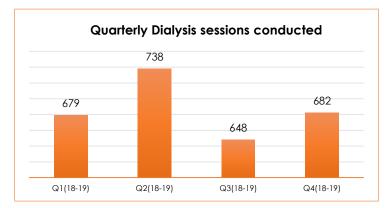




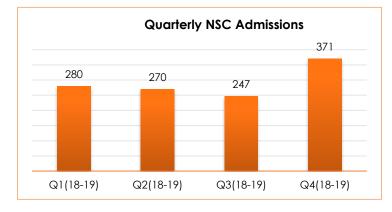
vii- NEW INITIATIVES













HOSPITAL CLEANLINESS AND MAINTENANCE

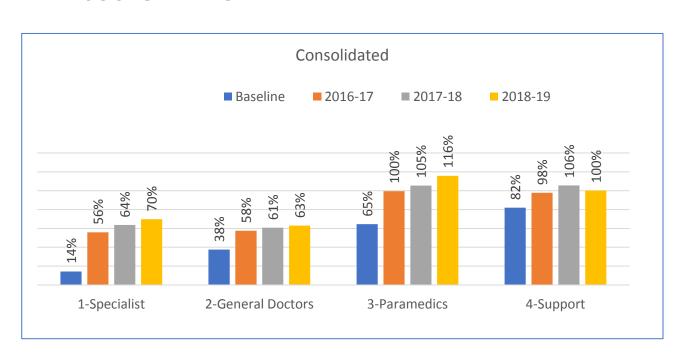








HUMAN RESOURCE DEPLOYMENT



WAREHOUSE AND PHARMACY MANAGEMENT

Main Warehouse / Cold Storage



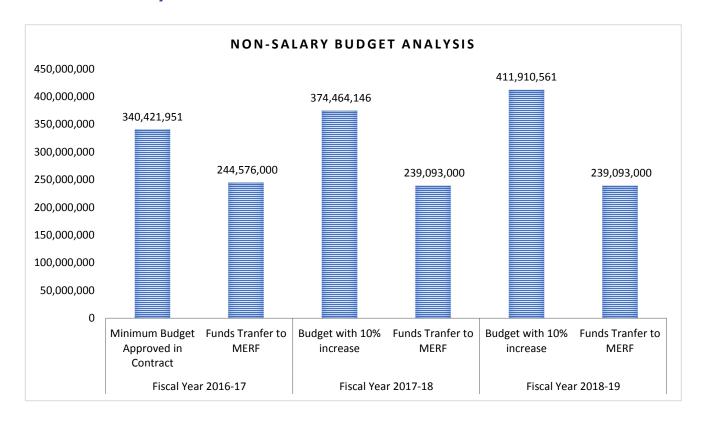
Hospital Pharmacy at RHC Gharo

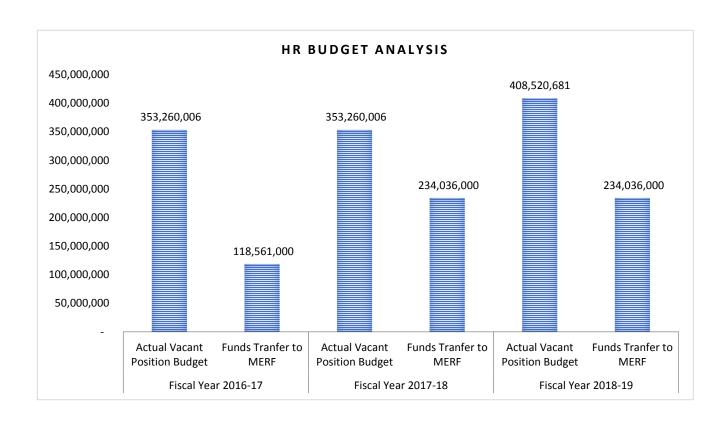


Logistic Management Information System (LMIS)

MERF has established a very strong LMIS in order to track real time information about the inventory of all healthcare facilities. Through this system, MERF strives to prevent stock outs of drugs and other logistical supplies as well generates monthly reports.

FINANCIAL Analysis

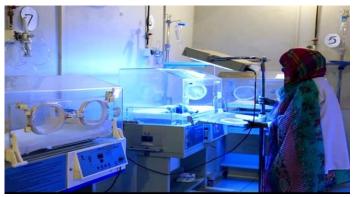




Pre and Post Scenario

Neonatal Unit at DHQ Thatta





Laboratory at THQ Sujawal





Indoor Wards Condition Before and After Intervention





Labor room at DHQ Thatta





Challenges

Budgetary allocation viz-a-viz service delivery expectations

Expectation of key stake holders, particularly higher authorities, political leadership and media persons during their visits of the hospitals to provide free of cost health services. These expectations include even tertiary level services and OPD medicines round the clock. However, there is too much gap between budgetary allocations and caseload that is increasing day by day. Following is summary on budget required and actual disbursement;

	SALARY COMPON al amount in 2013 1		NON-SALARY COMPONENT Bid Proposal amount in 2013: PKR 522,577,520				
Fiscal Year	As per vacancy Position	Actual Disbursement	Fiscal Year	Need based requirement	Actual Disbursement		
2016 - 17	236,096,483	118,561,000	2016 - 17	244,606,000	244,606,000		
2017 - 18	353,260,006	234,036,000	2017 - 18	615,000,000	239,093,000		
2018 - 19	353,260,006	234,036,000	2018 - 19	615,000,000	239,093,000		
2019 - 20	408,520,681	234,036,000	2019 - 20	615,000,000	239,093,000		

Regularity & Capacity of available HR

Regularity and existing capacity of medics and paramedics remained key issue for general public at starting time of Public Private Partnership. Under PPP initiative regularity and punctuality of the staff has improved significantly. The training of doctors and paramedics for different departments especially in ER and MNCH is organized by MERF itself or managed through Health Department, AKU and other Non-government initiatives. MERF has plan for the consequent year i.e. 2019 – 20 on capacity building.

Involvement of key technical staff in Polio Eradication Campaign

Involvement of key technical staff in polio vaccination campaigns almost 15 – 20 days for preparation, polio campaign and post campaign review. Generally Medical Officers and other staff from local hospitals are engaged in polio campaign. However, in some cases instead of local Government Dispensary or BHU; Medical staff from RHCs, THQs or DHQs under MERF management is assigned the duty for Polio Eradication Campaign.

Transfers & Postings

Transfer & Postings of the medics and paramedics without consultation with Partner (MERF) as provided in the contract. This is always challenging for Hospital administration or even MERF to maintain the services. It also includes the permission to doctors for different trainings, approval of long leaves, deputation and assignment of different duties.

An important factor that aggravates the deficiency of human resource in public sector healthcare facilities of Thatta and Sujawal districts is deputation of medical doctors. This means that the healthcare staff that is hired on positions at these healthcare facilities is not providing services elsewhere while still drawing salaries from the same budget. Healthcare facilities of both districts face a similar issue. Following tables shows details of Medical Officers hired at various healthcare facilities that is either relived for post graduate study or on deputation.

Name of HF	DHQ Thatta	THQ MP Sakro	THQ Sujawal	THQ Jati	THQ MP Bathoro	RHC Darro	RHC Vaar	RHC Jherruck	RHC Jungshahi	RHC Gharo	Total
PG Ship	17	3	14	1	10	1	1	3	3	0	53
Deputation	5	2	4	3	2	1	2	1	1	3	24
Total	22	5	18	4	12	2	3	4	4	3	77

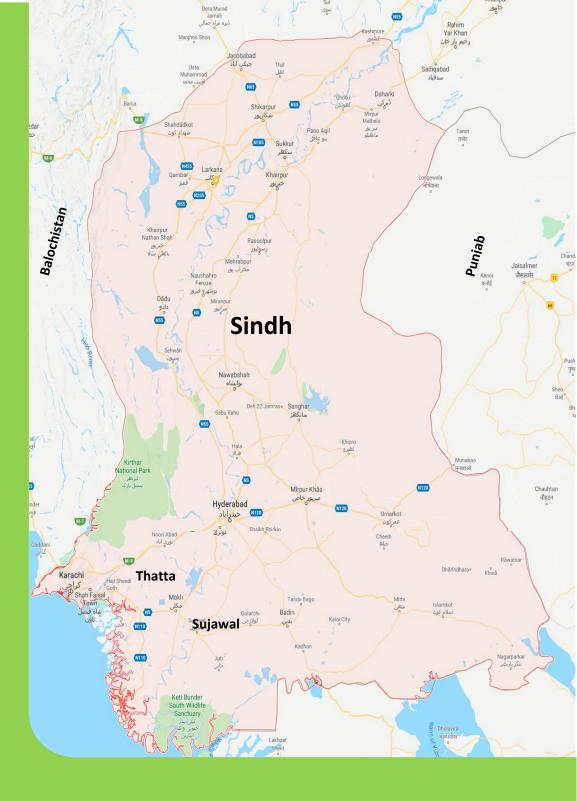
Project Location

District Thatta:

- 1. DHQ-Thatta
- 2. THQ Mirpur Sakhro
- 3. RHC Baghan
- 4. RHC Gharo
- 5. RHC Jherruck
- 6. RHC Jungshai
- 7. RHC Ketibunder
- 8. RHC Var

District Sujawal:

- 1. THQ Bathoro
- 2. THQ Jati
- THQ Sujawal
- 4. RHC Chuhar
- 5. RHC Darro







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