



## **Empower Women and Girls for Maternal and Child Health and Nutrition**

**Period:** 2021-2024

**Location:** 151 villages of Todabhim Block of Karauli District, Rajasthan

The Government of India has committed to the achievement of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by 2030. While all the 17 Goals are interlinked, Goal 2: Zero Hunger; Goal 3: Good Health and Well-Being and Goal 5 on Gender Equality are specific goals. NITI Ayog has identified Karauli as one of the aspirational districts of Rajasthan, for tracking progress on SDGs.

To contribute towards achievement of these Goals, CHETNA has been awarded a project by NSE Foundation to engage with the Rajasthan State Rural Livelihood Mission - Rajeevika

### **Objectives**

The overall objective is to improve maternal and child health and nutrition of women, children and adolescents. The specific objectives are

1. Build capacities of 151 Village Organisations, 4 Cluster level Federations for improving maternal and child health and nutrition
2. Build capacities of 400 women's groups and 8000 adolescent girls on maternal and child health and nutrition practices and their entitlements from the public health system
3. Enhance access to maternal and child health and nutrition entitlements from the public health system by engaging with 151 Village Health Sanitation and Nutrition Committees and 42 Gram Panchayats.

## Activities

- Training and Hand-Holding of Self Help Groups, Village Organisations and Cluster Level Federations; Adolescent Girls age 10-19; Village Health Sanitation and Nutrition Committees
- Observing Village Health Sanitation and Nutrition Days, Adolescent Health Days, Gaud Bharai and Annaprashan Divas
- Workshops with Panchayat leaders and Organising MahilaBalika Gram Sabhas
- Dialogues with block, District and State Government Officials

Expected Results: 100% access to Maternal, Child, Adolescent Health Services

