

Success Stories:

National level award to Auxiliary Nurse and Midwife (ANM) by MoH&FW, Govt. of India, New Delhi

Since inception of NHM (17th June'2005) different MH &CH training programmes have been implemented for para medical personnel like ANM, LHV, SNs at community as well as at institution level to ensure better quality of health delivery services. **Skill Attendant at Birth (SAB) and**



Mrs. P. Meher is performing at NBCC.

Integrated Management of Neonatal & Childhood Illness (IMNCI) trainings have increased the skills of ANM to provide better MH & CH services at community and institution level. Due to SAB & IMNCI training IMR & MMR has reduced to a greater extent in Odisha. Mothers are now well aware about ANC checkup, New Born Care (NBC) and Home based New Born Care (HBNC) due to dedication of the para medical personnel.

Every year, MH Division, MoH&FW, Govt. of India provides “National level award” to the ANM who has **outstanding contribution at community level.** Ms. **Padmabati Meher, ANM, Ghasian, Jogimunda Bolangir** has been selected by GoI for her excellent contribution at community level in the area of MH&CH. She has received National award from **Additional Secretary-cum-Mission Director, NHM, Govt. of India** on the occasion of “Safe Motherhood

Day” on 11th Apr’13 at New Delhi. This award will encourage the ANM community for quality service delivery at village level and to reduce IMR and MMR of the State.



Trained ANM is in screening session at School;.