



REGIONAL COORDINATING INSTITUTE UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN SANT GADGE BABA AMRAVATI UNIVERSITY, AMRAVATI

Report on Regional Webinar

The Regional Coordinating Institute, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University has organized the Regional Webinar on ***“Role & Responsibilities of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan in Present Scenario”*** on 23 – 24 May, 2020 for participating institutes. The Regional Webinar has inaugurated in the gracious presence of Dr. M. G. Chandekar, Hon’ble Chairman, RCI & Vice – Chancellor, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.

In his opening remark he extended a warm welcome to the all participants and the guests invited for the webinar. He has expressed his views on “Role of Higher Educational Institutes in Social Reinforcement”. He has addressed on the significance and importance of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan in present scenario and urged to all participating institutes to prepare for present and post Covid – 19 pandemic challenges associated with development of rural economy, enhancement of employability in rural areas, issued related to the agriculture sectors and social reinforcement with the help of UBA & NSS cells of respective institutions. Moreover, he has motivated to all participants for active involvement in socioeconomic development of rural India is especially Vidarbha region.

In the next session Dr. V. M. Bhale, Hon’ble Vice – Chancellor, Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapith, Akola has enlightened on “Agriculture Crisis: Challenges & Opportunities”. He described the agriculture supply chain between farmers and the open market for better economic benefits. He emphasised on importance of agriculture sectors in Covid – 19 pandemic. He focused on issues related to the transportation of agriculture’s produce. Moreover, he has elaborated on agriculture technologies and its linkages with higher educational institutions. He urged that, the rural educational institutes need to be motivated by the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan for their active involvement in the assessment & resolution of local needs. For the economic & social upliftment of farmers they need to adopt supportive business along with farming.

In the third session Dr. Kishor Bidwe, Coordinator Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapith, Akola has enlightened on “Integrated Village Development”. In his address he has focused on active involvement of villagers and their crucial role in overall development of villages by creating awareness through

Farmers Unit, NABARD, KVK centres, etc. With help of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan the basic problems associated with agriculture practices has been assessed and technical and cost reducing solutions were provided.

On the next day first session Dr. A. B. Marathe, Principal, HVPMS' College of Engineering & Technology, Amravati has enlightened on "Institutional Social Responsibilities in Community Development". Being one of the leading participating institute of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan in Vidarbha region he has acquainted with the technological projects implemented in adopted villages by active involvement of volunteers and stakeholders and shared success stories of their institute. Moreover, he has highlighted that without active participation of higher educational institutes the development of villages could not possible and the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan is most powerful platform to reach the betterment of rural growth & development.

In the next session Dr. Vivek Kumar, Professor, Centre for Rural Development & Technology, IIT Delhi has enlightened on "Effective implementation of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan". In his address he focused on UBA's 2.0 introductory framework & action plan, guidelines, cluster between higher educational institutes and local administration, funding conversions & its utility, role of the Subject Matter Expert Group (SEGs)', academic benefits for participating institutes and faculties & students engaged in the UBA, etc.

In the group discussion session Dr. Archana Barabde, Advisor, RCI, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University has actively involved and thoroughly discussed on the quarries raised by the participating institutes regarding implementation of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan.

Among the 120 participating institutes under the jurisdiction of the RCI, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University the 99 participating institutes were actively participated in the Regional Webinar.

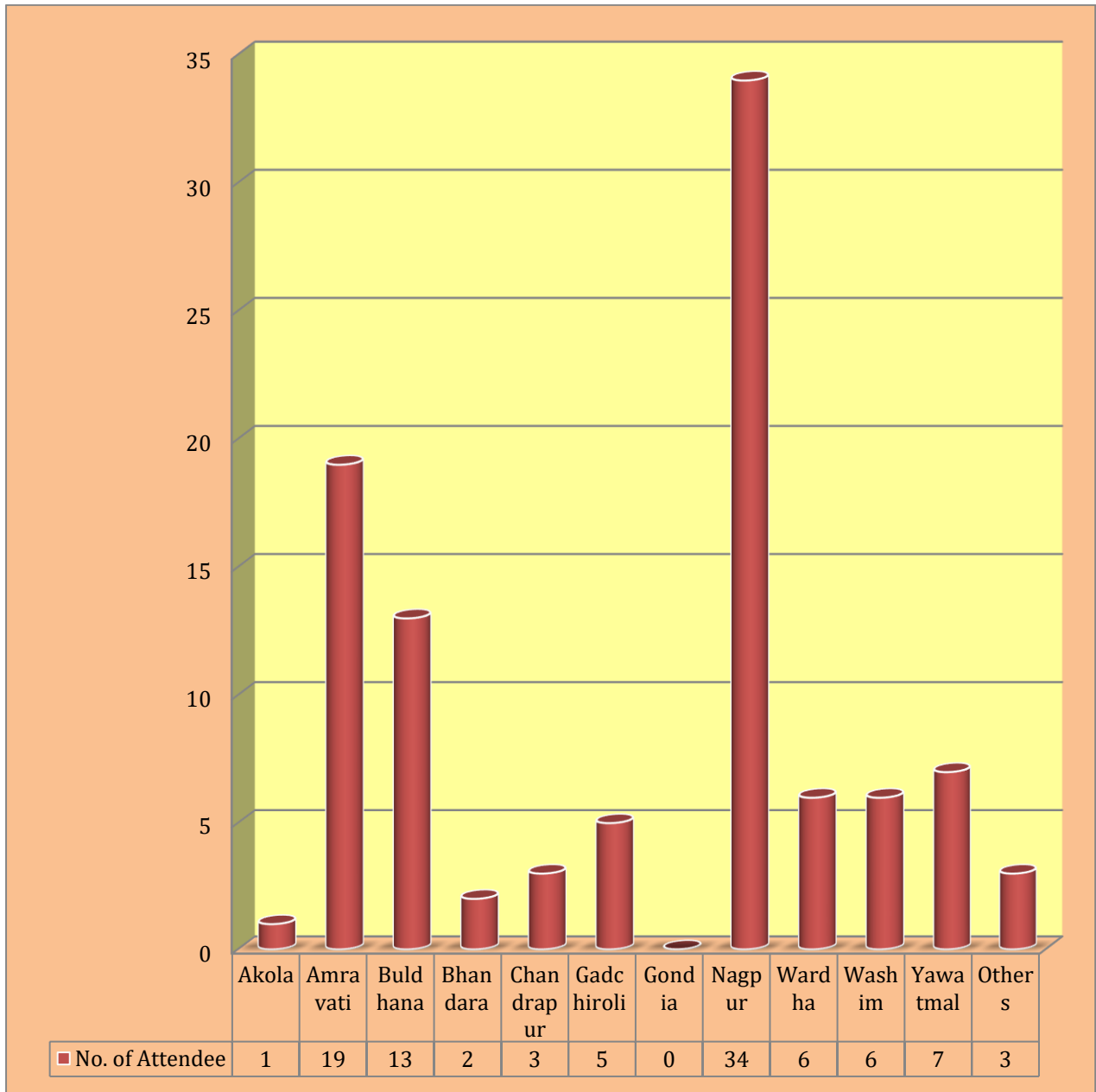
The programme of the Regional Webinar was conducted by Shri. K. C. More, Coordinator, RCI, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University and technically well supported by the Prof. S. D. Pachpande, Dept of Computer Science, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University. At the end of the programme vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Sariput Landge, Coordinator Unnat Bhaat Abhiyan, Maharashtra Animal & Fishery Science University, Nagpur.

(Shri. K. C. More)
Coordinator, RCI

- Annexure: 1) Detail No. of attendees/participants
2) Webinar Brochure
3) Key issues discussed

Annexure - I

Detail No. of Attendees / Participants





REGIONAL WEBINAR ON
“ROLE & RESPONSIBILITIES OF UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN IN PRESENT SCENARIO”
23 - 24 May, 2020

Organized By
Regional Coordinating Institute (RCI)
Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA)
Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati

SCHEDULE & DIGNITARY SPEAKERS



DR. M. G. CHANDEKAR
HON'BLE CHAIRMAN, RCI & VICE- CHANCELLOR,
SANT GADGE BABA AMRAVATI UNIVERSITY, AMRAVATI.

**Role of Higher Educational Institutes in
Social Reinforcement**

**23/05/2020
12.30 To 1.30 PM**



DR. V. M. BHALE
HON'BLE VICE -CHANCELLOR,
DR. PANJABRAO DESHMUKH KRISHI VIDYAPITH, AKOLA.

**Agricultural Crisis : Challenges &
Opportunities**

**23/05/2020
1.30 To 2.30 PM**



DR. KISHOR BIDWE
COORDINATOR, UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN,
DR. PANJABRAO DESHMUKH KRISHI VIDYAPITH, AKOLA.

Intergrated Village Development

**23/05/2020
2.30 To 3.30 PM**



DR. A. B. MARATHE
PRINCIPAL, HVPMS' COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING &
TECHNOLOGY, AMRAVATI.

**Institutional Social Responsibilities in
Community Development**

**24/05/2020
12.30 To 1.30 PM**



PROF. VIVEK KUMAR
CENTRE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT & TECHNOLOGY, IIT,
DELHI.

**Effective Implementation of Unnat Bharat
Abhiyan**

**24/05/2020
1.30 To 2.30 PM**



DR. ARCHANA BARABDE
ADVISOR ,
RCI, SANT GADGE BABA AMRAVATI UNIVERSITY,
AMRAVATI.

Discussion Session

**24/03/2020
2.30 To 3.30 PM**

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Key Issues Discussed in the Regional Webinar

- ❖ Importance of strategic implementation of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan in present scenario of Covid - 19 Pandemic
- ❖ Development of rural entrepreneurship
- ❖ Challenges in rural economy & employability enhancement in rural area
- ❖ Active linkages between higher educational institutes, villages and local governmental bodies
- ❖ Establishment of effective supply chain between farmers and open market for better economic growth
- ❖ Issues related to transportation of agriculture produce
- ❖ Adoption of supportive business by the farmers for economic growth
- ❖ Linkages and knowledge resource connectivity between potential institutes for technological transformation
- ❖ Integrated village development plan for model village
- ❖ Institutional key social responsibilities in community development
- ❖ Implementation of innovative & technical local need base projects under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan in accordance with budget package declared by the Government of India
- ❖ Clustering of higher educational institutes and local administration in funding conversions for village development
 - ❖ Credit transfer and academic benefits policies for UBA stake holders