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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Government (2000-till date)

- National Institute of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi
- Indian Council for Medical Research, New Delhi

National NGOs/Bilateral/ Multilateral (1994-2000)

- Population Foundation of India, New Delhi, 2000
- Multilateral, PMU "The Swajal Project": assisted by World Bank, Lucknow, 1999
- International Foundation for AIDS Education, New Delhi, 1998
- JPS Associates, assisted by Government of Royal Netherlands, New Delhi, 1998
- Health Education & Learning Package, New Delhi, 1996
- American Institute of Indian Studies, New Delhi, 1994
- TARU Leading Edge, New Delhi, 1994

Research Institutes/University (1995-97)

- Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi, Delhi. in association with Institute of Economic Research, Hito Subhashi, Tokyo, Japan, 1997
- Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, 1995

RESEARCH PROJECT: Principal Investigator/ Co-Investigator

1. Impact of Behavioural Intervention Package on the health status of married abused pregnant women attending antenatal clinic of LN hospital, New Delhi. A randomised controlled trial.
2. Need Assessment and socio- cultural practices among Tribal's on Child Immunization for Strategic Intervention in India
3. Evaluation of Public Health Measures at Point of Entry for International Travelers.
4. Impact of Behavioural Intervention Package on the health status of married abused pregnant women attending antenatal clinic of LN hospital, New Delhi. A randomised controlled trial, pilot study.
5. A Monograph on Gender Violence and Health Care in India
6. A Qualitative Study of Utilisation of MCH Services & Care Seeking Behaviour among Rural Women in Southern Orissa.
7. Evaluation of Rogi Kalyan Samitis under NRHM in Uttarakhand. The study was completed and Report was submitted to Uttarakhand govt.
8. 2nd global eHealth Survey supported by WHO.
9. Evaluation of the District Mental Health Programme Component/Scheme of National Mental Health Programme-MOHFW
10. National Health Information Collaboration-WHO
11. Domestic Violence & Health Consequences with special reference to Reproductive Health Consequences in India-A Multi-Centre Study
12. A Study of Psychosocial and Service Dynamics of Illegal Abortion in Rural Areas of India.

13. A Study of factors affecting acceptability of Microbicides among different population groups in India.

PAPER PUBLISHED IN PEER REVIEW JOURNAL

1. **Mahapatro Meerambika.** 2020. Custom, Crime, and COVID-19: A Gender Perspective. *Health, Population, Perspective & Issues* (Accepted)
2. Bharali B & **Meerambika Mahapatro.** 2020. A study on depression and sleep disturbance among youth in the age group of 20-25 years in Raipur, Noida. *International Journal of Scientific and Research Publications.* 10(2), 164-182.
3. **Mahapatro M,** Singh SP. 2019. Coping strategies of women survivors of domestic violence residing with an abusive partner after registered complaint with the family counseling center at Alwar, India. *J Community Psychol.* 48 (9):1–16.
4. Gupta M, Bandhopadhyaya S, **Mahapatro M,** Jha S, Chua P. 2018. PROTOCOL: The effects of road infrastructure, and transport and logistics services interventions on women's participation in informal and formal labour markets in low and middle income countries: a systematic review. *Campbell Systematic Reviews.* 14 (1):1-57
5. Singh S.P. & **M.Mahapatro.** 2018. Institution and victim of domestic violence: An interactional model to access justice in India. *Development in Practice* 28 (4): 1–10.
6. Kumar A., & **M.Mahapatro.** 2018. Community Based Qualitative Health Research: Negotiating Ethics in India. *Quality & Quantity –International Journal of Methodology.* 52 (3):1437-1446
7. **Mahapatro M.** 2017. Qualitative Research in Public Health: A Cross-Cultural Methodological Issue Pertaining to Domestic Violence in India. *Asian Journal of Social Science* 45: 73–92.
8. **Mahapatro M.** and S. Kelkar 2017. Determinates of ANC in deciding place of delivery for marginalized women in rural Odisha, India-Women's Perspective. *Modern Clinical Medicine Research* 1 (1): 20-27.
9. **Mahapatro M.** 2016. Does women's empowerment increase accessibility to healthcare among women facing domestic violence? *Development in practice* 26 (8): 1–12. doi.org/10.1080/09614524.2016.1224815.
10. N. Chaurasia and **M.Mahapatro.** 2016. Self-satisfaction and self-esteem among urban youths: Role of material and non-material culture in India. *Research journal of social science & management (RJSSM).* 6 (5): 18-24.
11. N. Chaurasia and **M.Mahapatro.** 2016. Gender Differences in Self Esteem among Young Adults of Raipur, Uttar Pradesh, India. *Austin Journal of Women's Health.* 3 (1): 1-4.
12. **Mahapatro M.** 2015. Equity in utilization of health care services: Perspective of pregnant women in southern Odisha, India. *Indian Journal of Medical Research* 142, August, 183-189. DOI:10.4103/0971-5916.164251
13. K. S. Nair, S. Raj, V.K.Tiwari, R.Gandotra, **Meerambika Mahapatro.** 2015. Are Patient Welfare Societies Effective In Strengthening Health Care Delivery Systems: Evidences from Uttarakhand State, India. *International Journal of Health Sciences and Research (IJHSR);* 5 (10): 230-242

14. **Mahapatro M.** 2014. Mainstreaming Gender: A Policy Shift. Vision. Sage Publication. 18 (4) 309-315.
15. ShaliniKelkar and **M Mahapatro.** 2014. Community Health Worker: A Tool for Community Empowerment. Health and Population – Perspectives and Issues, 37 (1&2), 57-65.
16. **Mahapatro M,** R.N.Gupta, Vinay. K.Gupta. 2014. Control and Support Models of Help-seeking Behavior in Women Experiencing Domestic Violence in India. *Violence and Victims*, 29 (3).
17. **Mahapatro M** 2013. Barriers to utilization of Maternal Health services among rural women in Orissa –A qualitative assessment GSTF and indexed by EBSCO, CrossRef, ProQuest, Ulrichsweb, Singapore.
18. Kumar A., **Mahapatro M.** 2013. The cutting edge in the blunt space: An anthropological construct of ANM’s social world in the community. Healthcare in Low-resource Settings. PAGE Press, Pavia, Italy. 1 (1):40-43.
19. **Mahapatro M,** R.N.Gupta, Vinay. K. Gupta. 2012. Risk factor of domestic violence in India. Indian journal of community medicine 37 (3): 153-57.
20. **Mahapatro M,** R.N.Gupta, A.S.Kundu, Vinay. K.Gupta. 2012. Interpersonal violence as risk factor for women’s sexually transmitted infection and reproductive health consequences in India: a community based study. Journal of Public Health. 20 (4): 399-403, Springer publication. DOI 10.1007/s10389-011-0455-x
21. **Mahapatro M,** R.N.Gupta, A.S.Kundu, Vinay. K.Gupta. 2011. Domestic Violence during Pregnancy in India. *J Interpersonal Violence*. Sage Publication. doi:10.1177/0886260510390948
22. **Mahapatro M.** 2010. eHealth Fostering Health Equity in Rural India, *Health Positive: Journal of Best Practices in Clinical Medicine and Public Health*; 2010: 2 (3), 38-40. ISSN 0975-7910.
23. **Mahapatro M.** & A. Kumar. 2009. Maternal Mortality among the Marginalized: A Case Study of a Schedule Tribe of Orissa. Indian Anthropologist, *Journal of the Indian Anthropological Association of India*, 39 (1-2):85-97
24. **Mahapatro M.** 2008. Reproductive health awareness among the tribal women in Manipur by Rose Nembiakim, book review in *Journal of the Indian Anthropological Association of India*, 38(2).
25. **Mahapatro M.** 2003. Determinants of fertility: An exploration among the Bhattara tribals of Orissa *IndianAnthropology*, 33(2), Dec.
26. **Mahapatro M.** 2000. Health Seeking behaviour in a Tribal Setting, *Health and Population: Perspective and Issues*, 23 (4).
27. **Mahapatro M.** & A.K.Kalla. 1999. A study of demographic profile of the Bhattara tribe, Nowrangpur District, Orissa". *The Anthropologist*, March Issue.
28. **Mahapatro M.** & A.K.Kalla. 1999. Knowledge, Attitude and Practice of Birth Control Devices among the Bhattara tribe, Nowrangpur District, Orissa. *Human Ecology*, 10 (1):7-13.
29. **Mahapatro M.** 1998. A Preliminary Study of Acceptability of Permanent Measures of Birth Control among the Bhattara Tribe of Orissa. Journal of Schedule Castes & Schedule Tribes Research & Training Institute (SCSTRTI). 38, (1 & 2): 45- 48.

30. Kumar A., L. Cutinoh & **M. Mahapatro**. 1997. The Blood, Paper published in "The International Newsletter on HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care", *AIDS Section, Asia Pacific edition*, Hain publication, 34, January-March.

BOOKS/EDITED BOOKS

1. **Mahapatro M.** 2021. (Expected). Empowering Women Facing Domestic Violence in India – A Healthcare Guide: Springer Nature.
2. **Mahapatro M.** 2018. Domestic Violence and Health Care in India: Policy and Practice. Singapore: Springer Nature. ISBN 978-981-10-6158-5
3. **Mahapatro M.** 2017. Domestic Violence in India–A Decadal Shift in State-Society Paradigms. In E.S. Buzawa& C.G. Buzawa (Eds.) Global Perspectives on Domestic Violence. pp 243-264. USA: Springer International Publishing.
4. **Mahapatro M.** & Kumar A. 2016. Between Culture of Empowerment and Entitlement: A Case of Domestic Violence in India. In Women Empowerment and inclusive Growth (Eds) S. Garg, R.Kothari, A. Sharma. pp 34-53. Jaipur: RBSA Publisher
5. Kumar A. & **M. Mahapatro**. 2010. Narrator and the Narrative: Understanding Scientific Realism of Chronic Diseases in the Field. In Health, Illness and Medicine ed. Arima Mishra. New Delhi: Orient Longman.
6. **Mahapatro, M.** 2011. Gender Based Violence and Health. Health Promotion (eds.) New Delhi: Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, Nirman Bhawan.

PROCEEDINGS/MONOGRAGH

1. **Mahapatro M** 2018.Domestic violence, women’s health and the sustainable development goals: Global target, national response and future directions. Asian Journal of Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences, volume 8, page 15.
2. **Mahapatro M** 2015. Between Culture of Empowerment and Entitlement: A case of domestic violence in India. IIS University, Jaipur.
3. **Mahapatro M** 2013. Barriers to utilization of Maternal Health services among rural women in Orissa –A qualitative assessment GSTF and indexed by EBSCO, CrossRef, ProQuest, Ulrichsweb, Singapore.
4. **Mahapatro M** 2010. Treatment Seeking & Support in response to Health Consequences of Battered Women in India: A Community Based Study. IIM Bangalore.
5. **Mahapatro M**2010. Methodological Challenges in Understanding Domestic Violence Centre for Emerging Areas in Science and Technology, Punjab University, Chandigarh.
6. **Mahapatro M** 2010. Domestic Violence in India- The Social Determinants and Risk Factors: A Community Based Study. Indian Society for Medical Statistics Organised by NIHFW, NIMS, ICMR New Delhi

REPORTS

1. **Mahapatro M.** Impact of Behavioural Intervention Package on the health status of married abused pregnant women aged 15-45 years attending antenatal clinic of LNJP hospital, New Delhi A randomised controlled trial - A pilot study
2. **Mahapatro M.** 2015. A Monograph on Gender-Based Violence and Health Care in India, New Delhi: NIHFW.
3. **Mahapatro M., R.M. Tripathy** 2014. A Qualitative Study of Utilisation of MCH Services & Care Seeking Behaviour among Rural Women in Southern Orissa.
4. Nair KS and **M. Mahapatro** 2013. Evaluation of RogiKalyanSamitis (RKSs) under NRHM in Uttarakhand.
5. **Mahapatro M.** 2009. Domestic Violence & Health Consequences with special reference to Reproductive Health Consequences, A Multi-centre Study, ICMR.
6. **Mahapatro M.&DeokiNandan.** 2009. Second Global eHealth Survey. NIHFW.
7. **Mahapatro M., P.L.Joshi, S. Bute, DeokiNandan.** 2011. Draft Guildline for Multi Purpose Worker (M). New Delhi: NIHFW.
8. **Mahapatro M., P.L.Joshi, DeokiNandan.** 2011. Draft guidelines for Assessment & Accreditation (not published). New Delhi: NIHFW.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONTRIBUTIONS (NIHFW)

1. Faculty Incharge, National Documentation Centre, NIHFW
2. Associate Editor, Health Population Perspective and Issues
3. Sub-Dean (2011-2013)
4. Public Information Officer (CPIO) 2009-2019
5. Chairperson screening committee of group B and group C technical posts; Chairperson Liveries Committee; Chairperson Technical Evaluation Committee
6. Member of sub-committee of experts for National Commission of Health Repository Centre; Member of Hindi Core Group; Member of Local Purchase Committee
Member-secretary sexual harassment committee

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

1. Domestic violence, women's health and the sustainable development goals: Global target, national response and future directions. International conference on World Summit on Healthcare & Hospital Management, Orlando, USA, March 2018.
2. Between Culture of Empowerment and Entitlement: A case of domestic violence in India at National Seminar on Women Empowerment and Inclusive Growth at IIS University 13-14 March 2015, Jaipur.
3. Attended COPS-8 held in 2014 at New Delhi
4. Barriers to utilization of Maternal Health services among rural women in Orissa –A qualitative assessment at '2nd Global Healthcare Conference (GHC 2013). The proceedings is published by GSTF and indexed by EBSCO, CrossRef, ProQuest, Ulrichsweb, 8-9 July 2013, Singapore.
5. Public Health Access and Utilisation among women: A case of health seeking behaviour in South Odisha, India under panel 9: Health and Gender: Policy and

Practices at World Council Association of Anthropologist, 1-3 April 2012 Delhi University, Delhi.

6. Treatment Seeking & Support in response to Health Consequences of Battered Women in India: A Community Based Study” at Fifth Annual International Conference on Policy and Management, Indian Institute of Management(IIM), 8-11 August 2010 Bangalore.
7. Domestic Violence in India- The Social Determinants and Risk Factors: A Community Based Study at 28th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Medical Statistics, November 11-13, 2010 NIMS-ICMR, New Delhi.
8. National Orientation workshop on Rural Drinking Water and sanitation and Health: Priorities & Practices, from 11-12 April 2013, NIHFV, New Delhi.

TRAINING IMARTED (Coordinator/Co-coordinator)

1. Gender Violence, Health and Human Rights for the past 10 years.
2. 2nd Foundation Training programme for CHS medical officers conducted for two weeks (October 30-November 11, 2017).
3. Leadership Development in the Health Sector, 25-29 Nov. 2013
4. Scientific writing’ for health professional, July and September 2011
5. Orientation workshop of Medical Officers and Surgical/Orthopedic Specialists from District hospitals on National Programme for Health Care of Elderly (NPHCE), 18-20 August 2011.
6. Ten weeks Professional Development Course, 2010.
7. National consultation on India adaptation of training package on who child growth standard (integrating mother & child protection card) in collaboration with WHO, and UNICEF and the Ministry, 13-14 July 2009
8. National Health Information Collaboration workshop for collaborating partner institutions, 2009
9. Health System Research, 16- 20 November, 2009.

SUPERVISION/GUIDANCE: 12 PGDPHM Students

AWARDS/FELLOWSHIPS

1. World Health Organization Fellowship for "Community Health Care and Research", KhonKaen University Thailand, 2009
2. Swedish International Development Agency Fellowship for "Child Survival Reaching the Target", Uppsala University, Sweden, 2011-12
3. IDRC finalist for paper on equity in health 2009
4. All India Scholarship 1992-1994, University of Delhi

MEMBERSHIP OF ACADEMIC ORGANISATIONS

1. Member of Indian Science Congress
2. Member of Anthropological Association of India
3. Member of Indian Association of Public Health
4. Member of Sexual Violence Research Institute Forum
5. Member of Ranbaxy Science Foundation

MEMBER OF EDITORIAL BOARD IN JOURNAL

1. Indian Anthropologist
2. APG-Austin Journal of Women's Health, Austin Publishing Group
3. Amity Journal of Healthcare Management

4. Women's Health Science Journal (WHSJ)
5. Health, Population, Perspective & Issues

EXPERT: Appointed by other Body/Professional Service

6. Expert for conducting spot study for "Prime Minister's Awards for Excellence in Public Administration" for 2013-14.
7. Member of Research Advisory Committee (RAC) of Epidemiology, National Institute of Malaria Research, ICMR
8. Member of 6th and 9th Common Review Mission for Uttarakhand and Manipur, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.
9. Member of Sub Group-III: Behaviour change and communication including promotion of IYCF and IMS ACT, Working group on Nutrition for 12th Five year Plan, 2012-17.
10. Member of Rajasthan AFP Surveillance & UIP review team, visited Jodhpur district from 3-7 December 2012, associated with WHO.
11. National Consultation on Social Determinants on Health, at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, 27 Feb 2012.
12. Evaluation of proposals on Disability and Gender, Barriers to Care Seeking in Childhood Pneumonia in Urban, Rural, Tribal Areas of Gujarat for ICMR 14th March 2013 and 2015.
13. Contributed for development of Gender, Equity Social Inclusion Tool and Quality Assessment Indicator with Institutional and Technical Support assisted by European Union 2013.