

Obligations of public authorities:-

i.) **The particulars of its organization, functions and duties:**

**National Rural Health Mission :**

National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) was launched at the National Level in April 2005. However, in J&K State it was started in December 2005. The Goal of the Mission is to improve the availability of and access to quality health care by people especially for those living in rural areas. NRHM aims to undertake architectural corrections in the health system enabling it to promote policies that strengthen public health management and service delivery throughout the country with special focus on those States which have weak public health indicators and/ or weak infrastructure. Jammu and Kashmir State is one of the focused States.

**OBJECTIVES OF THE MISSION**

- Reduction in Maternal and Infant Mortality.
- Universal access to public health care services with emphasis on services addressing women's and children's health and universal immunization.
- Prevention and control of communicable and non-communicable diseases including locally endemic diseases.
- Access to integrate comprehensive primary health care.
- Population stabilization, gender and demographic balance.
- Revitalize local health traditions & mainstream AYUSH.
- Promotion of healthy life styles.

**HEALTH INDICATORS**

The prime objectives of NRHM are to reduce the Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR), Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) and Total Fertility Rate (TFR). The current level of these indicators in the State vis-à-vis goals set by GoI are shown below:

Indicator	* SRS 2006	Current Status	
		J&K	National level
Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) (SRS 2012)	52	39	42
Total Fertility Rate (SRS 2011)	2.3	1.9	2.4
Maternal Mortality Ratio @	NA	70	178

*\* Sample Registration Survey by Registrar General of India.*

*@Interim Report furnished by Directorate of Economics and Statistics, J&K.*

Access to health care is well recognised as a basic right of the people. Realising the importance of health care, the State Govt. has been providing the necessary policy framework, institutions and resources in the shape of finances, personnel, drugs and equipments for the delivery of public health care services in the State. NRHM has proved to be a very useful intervention in, supporting activities aimed at filling up the critical gaps in the delivery of health system to make it more responsive, efficient and effective through a multi-prolonged approach. The result of this has been that the health indicators in the state have improved and are relatively better the national level. Some of the indicators are shown below:-

Indicator	DLHS-3* (2007-08) (J&K)	**CES (2009)	
		J&K	ALL India
Mothers who had 3 or more ANC (%)	73.5	87.0	68.7
Full ANC (%)	29.3	43.5	26.5
Institutional Delivery (%)	55.3	80.9	72.9
Safe delivery (%)	59.3	82.9	76.2
Full Immunization	62.5	66.6	61.0

**\* District Level Health Survey by MOH&FW**

**\*\*CES: Coverage Evaluation Survey by UNICEF**

**FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEES CONSTITUTED UNDER NRHM :**

**GOVERNING BODY OF J&K STATE HEALTH SOCIETY (NRHM)  
(Ref: Govt. Order No: 665 – HME of 2005 dated: 08-12-2005)**

**COMPOSITION**

Chief Secretary	Chairperson
Commissioner/Secretary, H& ME	Vice-Chairperson
Director General Health, FW, RCH, & NRHM	Convenor

**Members**

Principal Secretaries of Social Welfare, PHE  
UEED, Rural Development, Planning, Finance,  
Forest  
Directors of Health Services  
Director ISM  
Representatives from Government of India to be nominated by GoI

**Non-Official Members.**

One Faculty Member each from Govt. Medical College Jammu/Srinagar.  
Representatives from MNGO

**Functions**

- Approval/endorsement of Annual State Action Plan for the NRHM.
- Consideration of proposals for institutional reforms in the H & FW Sector.
- Review of implementation of the Annual Action Plan.

- Inter-sectoral co-ordination. All NRHM related sectors and beyond (e.g. administrative reforms across the State under Health Sector.
- Status of follow up action on decisions of the State Health Mission.
- Coordination with NGOs/Donors /other agencies /organization.
- Health Sector Reforms.

### **EXECUTIVE BODY OF J&K STATE HEALTH SOCIETY (NRHM)**

Executive Committee of State Health Society was constituted vide Govt. order No.665-HME of 2005 dated 8-12-2005 with the following composition:

#### **COMPOSITION**

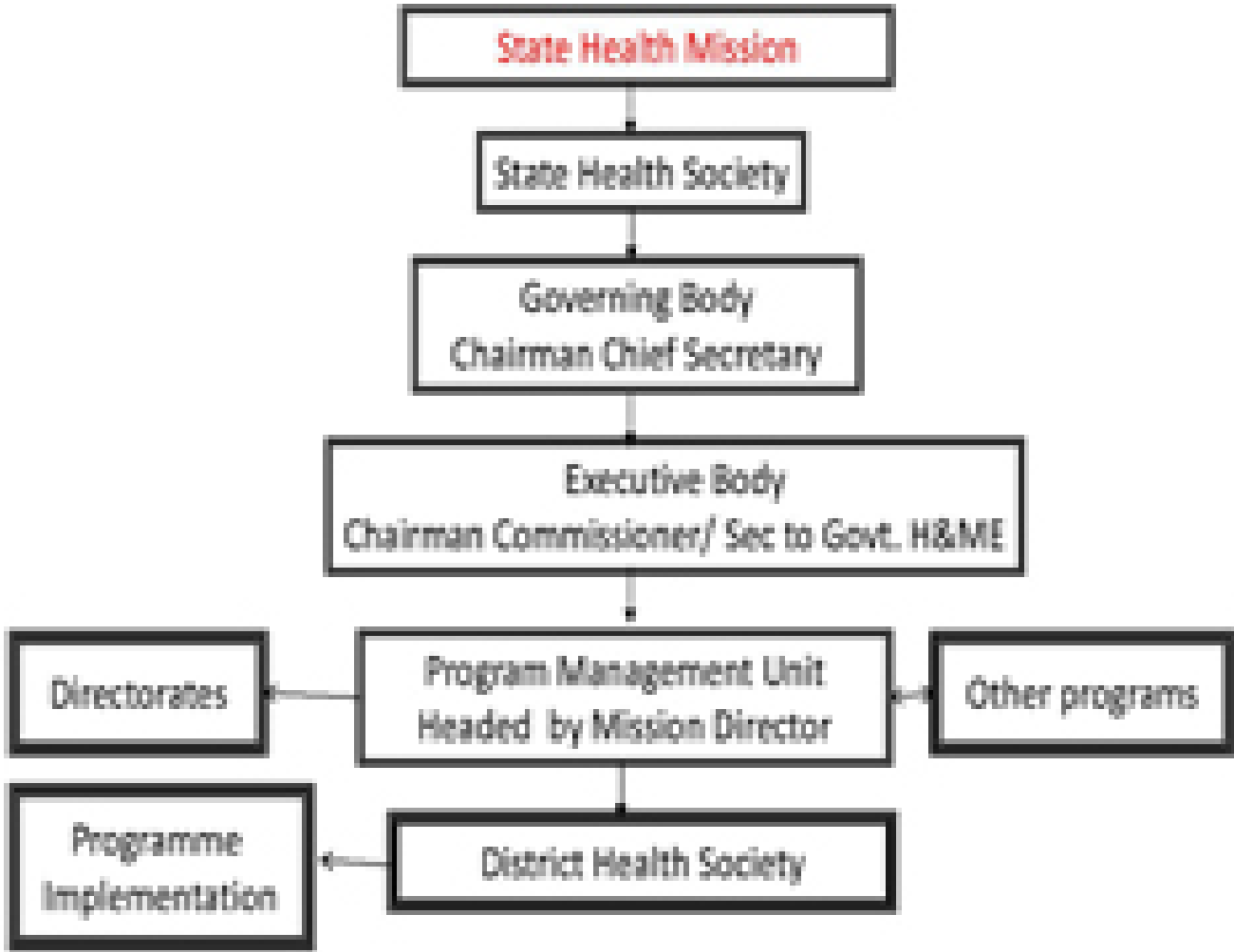
Secretary H&ME	Chairperson
Director General Health, FW, RCH &NRHM	Vice Chairperson
Senior most Special Secretary/Addl. Secretary	Convenor
Director, ISM	Member
Director Social Welfare	Member
Director Rural Development	Member
Chief Engineer PHE & UEED	Member
A representative of Planning/ Finance to be nominated by Hon'ble Minister in-charge of the Department.	Member

#### **Functions:**

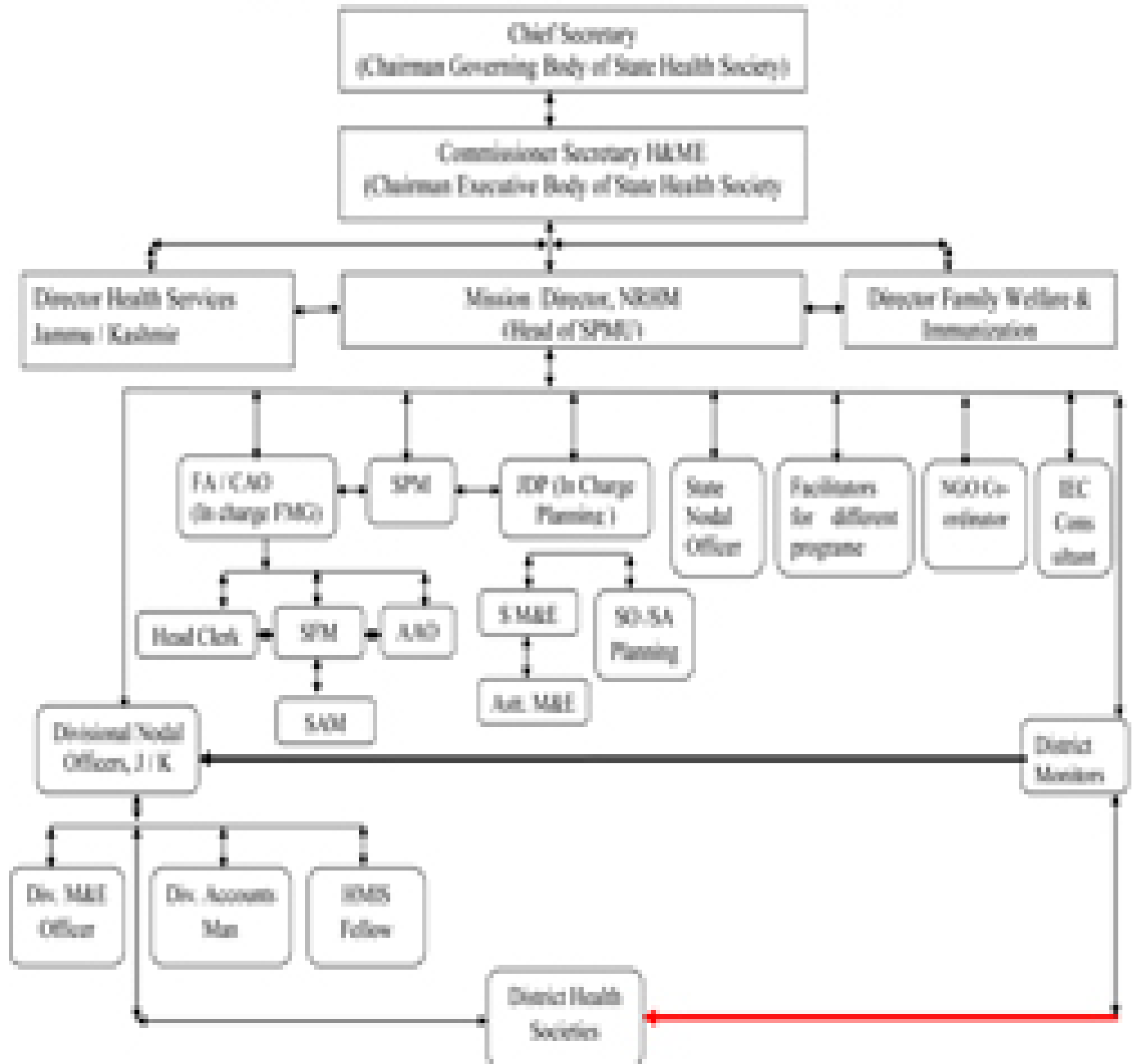
- Detailed expenditure and implementation review.
- Approval of proposals from districts and other implementing agencies / District Action Plans.

- Execution of the approved State Action Plan, including release of funds for programmes at State level as per Annual Action Plan.
- Release of funds to the District Health Societies.
- Finalization of working arrangements for intra-sectoral and inter – sectoral co-ordination.
- Follow – up action on decisions of the Governing Body.

# Structure of State Health Society



## Organogram of State Health Society, Jammu & Kashmir



# INSTITUTIONAL STRUCTURE AT DISTRICT LEVEL

