



Ministry of Health
and Family Welfare
Government of India



Ministry of Education
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Ayushman Bharat - School Health and Wellness Programme (AB - SHWP): Towards health & well being of school children

Services provided through AB-SHWP



Under Ayushman Bharat: Ministry of Education and MoHFW jointly rolled out AB - SHWP to **improve the health and wellbeing of school children**. Two teachers in every school will be selected and trained as "Health and Wellness Ambassadors (HWA)"



AB - SHWP is a key intervention to **link adolescents to essential health services**



HWA will transact **weekly health promotion and disease prevention** information through interactive activities with students



At schools across India, weekly **Iron and Folic Acid (IFA) supplementation** is provided to 6-19 year old students to prevent anaemia



During National Deworming Days, Albendazole tablets are administered to children at schools to **eradicate intestinal worms**



Sanitary napkins may be provided in the schools for adolescent girls as per **Menstrual Hygiene Scheme (MHS) guidelines**



Adolescents who require further services are referred to **Health and Wellness Centres (HWC)** or nearest public health facility



Celebration of Adolescent Health and Wellness Days (AHD) at schools to generate awareness around the adolescent health issues



Under Rastriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK), **health screening is done for identification of 32 diseases** with appropriate referrals