SUN is a unique Movement founded on the principle that all people have a right to food & good nutrition.
Coordination on data and accountability for nutrition

- With the launching of Multi-sector Nutrition Plan in 2012, Nepal has established a multi-sectoral coordination architecture at the national and sub-national levels.

- The highest level of coordination mechanism is the High Level Nutrition and Food Security Steering Committee (HLNFSSC), chaired by the Hon’ble Vice Chair of the National Planning Committee, with membership from the relevant line ministries at the level of the Secretaries.

- There is a National Nutrition and Food Security Coordination Committee (NNFSCC) chaired by the Hon’ble Member of the NPC.

- Similar types of multi-sectoral coordination committees on nutrition exist at district, municipality and village levels as well.

- To provide technical support to the HLNFSSC and the NPC and facilitate multi-sector, multi-stakeholder coordination of all stakeholders implementing the MSNP, a National Nutrition and Food Security Secretariat (NNFSS) has been established at the National Planning Commission Secretariat in 2013.
The ministries have their own information systems, some of which are:

- **Primary source of facility-level data for outputs/ outcomes**
  - Service delivery
  - Limited by service coverage HMIS, EMIS, NeKSAP, DPMAS, etc.

- **DPMAS**
  - Consolidation of secondary data at district level
  - Utilized as much as possible
  - DPMAS only captures 11% (8 out of 72 of six MSNP ministries) of MSNP indicators, and is not sufficient for MSNP M&E
Distribution of Indicators for MSNP

74 MSNP Indicators

- 24 Health Indicators
- 13 Education Indicators
- 9 WASH Indicators
- 7 Agriculture Indicators
- 12 Local Governance Indicators
- 9 Women and Children Indicators

Indicators from Sectoral Log frame
- Objective
- Impact
- Outcome
- Output
Data Management at National Level

• Sector M&E focal points
  • Responsible for data collection and management
  • Preparation of bi-annual reports with MSNP M&E Taskforce
  • Contribution of core indicators to DNFSSC

Data Sources:
- MIS
- NSS
- Baseline
- Sector Reports

National-level Indicators

M&E Focal person

Ministry Planning

NNFSCC

NPC / NNFSS

District-level Indicators

M&E Focal Person

District Planning

DDC / DLNFSSC

DLNFSSC
MSNP Data Sources and Uses at District

Process Monitoring
- Routine Management
  - Activity-Level Indicators
    - Sector Planning
      - Program Improvement
  - Baseline
  - Endline

Achievement Monitoring and Evaluation
- NSS
- Sector MIS
- Sector Reports
- NeKSAP
- Output/Outcome/Impact-Level Indicators
  - NSS Technical Working Group
  - Food Security Technical Working Group
  - MSNP M&E Task Force
  - Joint MSNP M&E/DFSN
    - DNFSSC
  - Multi-sector Planning
    - DDC/DC
  - Multi-sector Program Improvement
MSNP Data Analysis and Use

Process Monitoring
- Routine Management
- Activity-Level Indicators
- Sector M+E/Planning
- Program Improvement

Achievement Monitoring and Evaluation
- Baseline Endline
- NSS
- Sector MIS
- Sector Reports

Output/Outcome/Impact-Level Indicators
- DFSN+
- DNFSSC

Program Improvement
- Sector M+E/Planning
Institutional Arrangements: Roles and Responsibilities

**July**
- TOR: Analysis, Consensus Building, Documentation, Preliminary Response Plan (DDC/DADO/DALO/DPHO/DWSS/DEO)

**August**
- TOR: Collect, compile, format, pre-analyze data
- TOR: District Nutrition & Food Security Situation
  - DDC

**September**
- Draft Plan of Action
- DNFSSC
- TOR: Review and endorse District Nutrition and Food Security Situation Update and evidence-informed MSNP, including response plan

**October**
- District multi-sector nutrition plan, including response plan
- DDC

*Key NSS members are represented in the MSNP task force to ensure links between sector MIS and NSS*
Challenge and solution

- Capacity building of District as well as national level M&E focal persons is crucial to the success of overall MSNP M&E
- One door mechanism for reporting for easy access to information
- The information from other sectors sometimes is not up to date
- Need a ‘one door’ mechanism for easy access to information
National Panning Commission has developed a Nepal Nutrition and Food Security Portal - www.nnfsp.gov.np

- The portal is designed for all national and international stakeholders to access nutrition and food security related knowledge, information, tools, practices and services in Nepal

- It aims to provide a platform to promote coordination, cooperation and collaboration among government, external development partners and non-governmental organizations working in the field of nutrition and food security in Nepal

- Within this portal, a ‘Resources Repository’ has been created which will comprehensively pool the nutrition and food security resources from Nepal in a structured manner

- All nutrition and food security stakeholders should upload information directly onto this portal
2016-17 PRIORITIES

• The national Nutrition and Food Security Coordination Committee has initiated the process for the formulation of the MSNP II

• Need to create budget code for nutrition in order to track effective investment for MSNP

• Need to continue Nutrition Financial Tracking to ensure funding increase for MSNP

• Recruitment of an institution to carry out the evaluation of the MSNP
Thank you