KERALA STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY
– EVENT REPORT
(06-10-2026)
HDMP workshop

FIELD	DETAILS
Event Name	Hospital Disaster Management Plan
Event Date	06-10-2026
Duration of the Event	One day workshop
Event Venue	Evergreen Continental Conference Hall
Conducted / Organized by	DDMA Pathanamthitta, KSDMA, SHSRC-K
Details of the Event	**Date:** 06 October 2026 District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Kerala State Disaster Management Authority (KSDMA), Health Department (DHS), and State Health Systems Resource Centre Kerala (SHSRC-K), a one-day district-level orientation workshop on the Hospital Disaster Management Plan (HDMP) was successfully organized in Pathanamthitta as part of the "BHADRAM" Hospital Safety Project. The program was conducted with the vision of *"Safe Hospitals, Prepared Communities."* **Inaugural Session:** The workshop was inaugurated by District Panchayat President Smt. Deenamma Roy. In her inaugural address, she reminded attendees that in the context of climate change and recent floods affecting the district, it is imperative for hospitals to prepare their own disaster management plans. District Medical Officer Dr. Manikandan J. and Deputy Collector (Disaster Management) Sri. Vijayan A. delivered felicitation remarks at the event. BHADRAM District Coordinator Dr. Jeevan K. presented a detailed overview of the project. **Technical Sessions:** Sri. Ani Thomas Idiculla, District LSG Disaster Management Plan Coordinator, led the technical sessions of the workshop. He explained the foundational concepts of disaster management, the Incident Response

	System (IRS), the formation of Hospital Disaster Management Committees, and the various designations, roles, and responsibilities within the Hospital Incident Response System (HIRS). Additionally, sessions covered the HDMP model template, a discussion on sample plans, and the strategic planning required for HDMP preparation. Health Department officials also lectured on the lessons learned from past disasters in Kerala and the relevance of hospital preparedness and response. SHSRC-K State Coordinator Bhavya Fernandez and Coordinator Athira actively participated and contributed to the proceedings of the workshop. **Way Forward:** Following the workshop, participating hospitals will form respective institutional-level teams, complete hospital-level hazard-vulnerability and preparedness assessments using the prescribed template, and finalize their customized Hospital Disaster Management Plans (HDMPs).
Total Number of Participants	64
Number of Females	30
Number of Males	34
Number of Others (Non-binary / Transgender)	Nil
Number of Children (below 18 years)	Nil
Role Played by the Officer(s)	*LSG DMPC Ani Thomas Idiculla Led all the technical sessions (4) and coordinated the conduct of the training.*
Output from the Event	All participants from different medical institutions of the district trained on HDMP preparation, formation of DMC and on Hospital IRS structure.
Sendai Framework Priority Addressed	Sendai Framework Priority 3: Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience Priority 4: Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective response and to "Build Back Better" in recovery, rehabilitation and reconstruction
PM's 10-Point Agenda – Point Number(s)	Point 5: Leverage Technology to Enhance the Efficiency of Disaster Risk Management

SDG Goal(s) Aligned	SDG 11 - Sustainable Cities and Communities "Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable."
Photos/Links	   

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