

**Schedule for Village Visit Module at NDDDB Training Centres at
Erode, TN, Jalandhar, Punjab, Mehsana, Gujarat and Siliguri, Bengal**

Sr. No	Activity	Tasks assigned
Day 1		
01	Briefing	Briefing about the programme a
02	Group activity (Operation/ Functions of DCS)	Observation at Village Dairy Cooperatives <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Milk Collection process 2. Discipline maintained during Collection: maintenance of queue, closed vessels, types of vessels used, etc 3. Milk sample collection 4. Testing method: details 5. Local sales, if any 6. Transparency indicators in DCS: testing, use of IT, display of milk rate, MCM members etc 7. Cattle feed sales 8. Bulk Milk Collection process 10. Maintainance of cleanliness
03	Group activity (Input services)	Discussion at DCS on input services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Artificial Insemination (AI): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Importance of AI - Procurement of Straw, Liquid Nitrogen Identification of semen doses - Cost of semen (Purchase & sales rate) - Farmers' orientation towards AI versus Natural Breeding - Recording - Post AI follow ups - AI training - Ways of awareness generation on AI • Cattle Feed (CF) & Mineral Mixture (MM): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Importance of CF and MM - Source of procurement - Cost (Purchase and Sales) - Popularity among farmers - Ways of awareness generation on the importance of CF and MM • Animal health services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Availability of veterinary services - Deworming and Vaccination - Emergency services
04	Group activity (interaction with Secretary)	Information about Dairy Cooperative Society & Roles & responsibility of Secretary

06	Group activity (Observation of Milk shifting to union tanker/Vehicle)	Understanding the process of loading milk to the Union tankers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sample milk testing - BMC scale reading - loading milk to the taker - Trip sheet signing - Milk summary sheet from the society <i>This activity may be carried out as per the Milk Tanker arrival time</i>
07	Group activity (interaction with Chairperson & Management Committee Members)	Roles & responsibility of Chairperson & Management Committee Members
08	Group activity	Visit to Progressive Milk Producers and interaction on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Initiation of the activity - Details of animals, milk production, surplus, sale - Income and expenditure - Backward and forward linkages - Future plans
Day 2		
09	Group activity (interaction with farmers)	Visit to farms for discussion on agriculture practices: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seasonal cropping pattern - Inputs sources - Credit facilities - Marketing facilities - Training and extension services
Break Fast		
10	Group activity (interaction in Gram Panchayat office)	Interaction with Village Panchayat office holders
11	Group activity (interaction with PHC and Anganwadi)	Interaction at Primary Health Service centre and Anganwadi Centre: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Enrolment - Facilities - Services
12	Group activity (interaction Self Help Groups/ Mahila Mandals)	Interaction with Self Help Group (SHG) members Observation of SHG meeting, if possible
13	Group activity (interaction with Business Correspondence Model)	Visit to Business Correspondence/ Micro ATM centre and interaction on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Objective ➤ Different financial services provided ➤ Awareness among villagers

		➤ Acceptability of the model
14	Open session/ Visit to Village Market	
15	Group activity (interaction with villagers)	Village meeting
Day 3		
16	Individual Activity (Interaction with Progressive farmers/entrepreneurs)	Interaction with Progressive farmers/ entrepreneurs on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brief history of enterprise - Backward and Forward linkage - Motivating factors - Future plan <p><i>The learning of each individual should be consolidated later)</i></p>
17	Group Activity (Visit to Primary School)	Visit to Primary school in village
18	Open visits	Visit to any other Institutions in the village: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - NGOs - Offices of any other Gov offices - KVK if nearby - ITI, if nearby - Other Self Employment Training centres, if nearby - Any other
Day 4 & 5 – Returning to training centre		
19	Presentations and Debriefing	Presentation of learning from the visits and debriefing

Note: The schedule is a broad guideline. It may be customised as per the village and village institutes. The customization may be done in consultation with the NDDDB Training Coordinator.

Comments of Training Division:

- The group may be divided into two or more batches and each batch may be exposed to one difficult village and one model village.
- 4th day may be added in the village stay.
- Additional day may be utilized to see the different institutions at the village level like schools, PHC, Farms Producers Organizations, other Government projects like Jan-Dhan, Ujjawala, DBT, digitization and interact with the villagers to understand their problems/issues etc.