

A 2-Day Capacity Building Workshop at IIHMR University

Program on Vaccine Economics On 21 And 22 December

Jaipur, 20 December: IIHMR is holding a 2-day capacity building workshop in Vaccine Economics on 21 and 22 December. This is being organized in collaboration with the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health.

The objective of the workshop is to strengthen skills related to economics and financing of national immunization programs. The policy makers in low and middle-income countries regularly apply economic principles to healthcare decision making which requires greater expertise in applied health economics. The workshop aims to improve the sustainability of vaccine delivery in low and middle-income countries.

The program is funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. It will cover subjects like Introduction to vaccine economics; defining costs; uses of cost data for program managers and applying costing methodology for routine immunisation programs among others.

It is designed for professionals who are involved in planning and implementation of immunization programs and projects. A team of seasoned Health Economists from IIHMR University and Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health will jointly offer the program.