

From

Director Higher Education
Haryana, Panchkula

To

1. Principals, Govt Colleges of Haryana
2. Principals, Govt. Polytechnics of Haryana

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Sub: Regarding NEP 2020 – to increase GER in Higher Education: NSS survey thereof

Kindly refer the subject cited above.

1. With a view to increase GER in Higher Education, it has been decided to conduct a socio-economic survey of persons in the age group 18 upto 25. A PMU of 6 members at HQ has already been constituted in this regard. The survey is to be conducted by the Officer/Officials of Higher Education Department posted in the Colleges preferably with the help of NSS Volunteers. However, help of Volunteers in other clubs/societies in the colleges may also be taken by the concerned officer/official.
2. The main points of the survey are highlighted below
 - a. **Socio-economic survey:** The survey shall be conducted by online method by way of *survey mobile app* which can work on smartphone. The link to download and install this app, alongwith login credentials, will be provided by the directorate in the due course.'
 - b. **Difference between base data and survey data:** After logging-in in the app, the data pertaining to individuals in the said age group will be fetched on the basis of Family ID of that individual. During the survey, a situation may arise wherein the individual may claim that his data is incorrect/different from *fetched base data vis* differences in basic demographic data elements viz. name, parents name, mobile number, qualification, DOB, occupation, etc. In such a situation, the surveyor will record the data given by the individual who is subject of the survey. The survey teams need to record these differences in the appropriate field in the mobile app.
 - c. **Mapping:** The mapping of all villages & urban wards with the Govt. Colleges and Govt. Polytechnics will be done and shared shortly with the Principals/DDOs/NSS Coordinators of the respective colleges.
 - d. **Motivating persons to rejoin Higher Education:** The survey team(s) will sensitize the persons (18-25 age group) who are not enrolled in an higher education institution to rejoin Higher Education and their willingness to do the same will be recorded in the app.
3. Time lines and user manual/help module for using the mobile app will be shared shortly with the Principals/DDOs/NSS Coordinators of the respective colleges.

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