



JSI CONTRIBUTES TO SCALE-UP OF KANGAROO MOTHER CARE IN INDIA

Almost 400,000 babies die due to prematurity and low birth weight¹ related causes in India each year

Kangaroo Mother Care is an evidence-based intervention to reduce mortality among these small babies.2



EVIDENCE GENERATION TO INFORM SCALE-UP (JAN-DEC 2017)

Demonstration sites in two district hospitals

Chain Rai Womens Hospital Haridwar, Uttarakhand





IMPLEMENTATION AT DEMONSTRATION SITES

CAPACITY BUILDING



300 field 50 doctors

workers and nurses

SUPPORTIVE SUPERVISION

4 visits per month by experts

LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY **CHAIN MANAGEMENT**

2 hospitals with appropriate materials for KMC services

DATA FOR DECISION MAKING



Recording and reporting forms developed



KNOWLEDGE SHARING

Dissemination workshop and stakeholder discussions



ADVOCACY

National and State advocacy for scale-up



SCALE-UP ACROSS SIX VRIDDHI STATES

Capacity development, provision of job aids, & supervisory and monitoring tools



SCALE UP WILL BENEFIT 550,000 **SMALL BABIES PER YEAR**









^{2.} Boundy EO, Dastjerdi R, Spiegelman D, et al. Kangaroo Mother Care and Neonatal Outcomes: A Meta-analysis. Pediatrics. 2016;137(1):e20152238

