

ICRW (International Center for Research on Women) in partnership with IPE Global, supported by Government of UK's Department for International Development (DFID) under its Knowledge Partnership Programme (KPP) held a dissemination workshop on the final study findings of the project 'Analytic Study on Alcohol and Violence against Women in India' on December 14, 2015, New Delhi.

The dissemination workshop discussed findings from two studies that explored the association between alcohol and violence against women. ICRW presented findings of their study based on reviewed policies and programmes pertaining to alcohol and violence against women. Complementing the secondary data analyses and policy review work of ICRW, the Family Health International 360 (FHI 360) shared findings of their study based on primary data analysis titled, "Alcohol and violence against women in urban Madhya Pradesh" to explore these links at the micro level. This study was also supported by Government of UK's Department for International Development (DFID).



*Dr. Bachani, Deputy Commissioner (NCD) - Ministry of Health and Family Welfare delivering the opening address*

The invited speakers and panelist represented various sectors such as officials from the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, DFID, alcohol treatment providers such as AIIMS and civil society organizations such as the Public Health Foundation of India and the TTK Hospital.

The dissemination was attended by approximately 50 representatives from women's organizations, de-addictions treatment providers, government officials, academicians and research organizations. Some of the key participants in consultation were Dr. Pam Rajput, Chairperson,

High Level Committee on Status of Women, Dr. Damodar Bachani and Dr. Zoya Ali Rizvi, from Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Dr. Atul Ambekar from AIIMS, Dr. Thirumagal from the TTK Hospital Chennai and Dr. Monika Arora from the Public Health Foundation of India. Representatives from other program organizations such as FHI 360, CARE, PSI, Asthama Care foundation-Jaipur were also present in the audience of the consultation.

