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Chandigarh, March 18:- A three day training programme for Aanganwadi workers, ANMs, Supervisors and CDPOs was inaugurated today by Director Social Welfare, Mr. Samwartak Singh at Senior Citizen Home, Sector 43 Chandigarh. The training programme has been organised by the Department of Social Welfare in association with Food & Nutrition Extension Board & Health Department under National Rural Health Mission.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Samwartak emphasised on improvisation of education, food and hygienic conditions at Aanganwadi centres. He also laid stress on generating awareness about the various schemes/benefits of Social Welfare Department like loan facility old age pension, disability pension etc. through the Aanganwadi centres.

Dr. Bhavneet, Dr. Vandana Janmeja and Dr. Sangeeta from PGIMER also delivered lectures on Management of Childhood illness and immunization and eventuation to integrated Management of New Born & Childhood illness, Convergence of services at the community level under NRHM and objective and component of RCH-II, PNMT & safe abortion.

The training programme will continue till March 20, 2010. Various technical services/workshops about NHED, IMNCI (Integrated Management of New born & Childhood illness) and other NRHM modules will also be conducted during the programme.