

# ROLE OF PANCHAYATS IN IMPROVING ACCESS TO FAMILY PLANNING

Effective functioning of Sub-Centres

Regular visits by ANMs to villages

Regular contact of ASHAs with women for counselling

Promote rights issues in the uptake of contraceptives

Encourage male responsibility in contraceptive use

Ensure services are provided without discrimination

Promote access of adolescents to life-skills education

Availability of a basket of contraceptives

Availability of quality services

Informed choice and consent

Counselling of couples

