

Pencerah Nusantara PRIMA (PN PRIMA)

Inclusive, Responsive, and
Community-Driven Health Centers

Pencerah Nusantara, a program initiated by the Center for Indonesia's Strategic Development Initiatives (CISDI), aims to accelerate the achievement of national development goals by strengthening primary health services in remote areas in Indonesia.



Who Are We?

Pencerah Nusantara (PN) is an award-winning program focused on strengthening Primary Health Care, established in 2012. We provide solutions to help PHC deliver care for everyone, working closely with local communities to tailor interventions to their specific needs.

Initiated by CISDI, an Indonesian-based nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting health sector development and strengthening health systems through research, advocacy, and participatory interventions, **Pencerah Nusantara believe that primary health care centres (Puskesmas) are the gateway to solving Indonesia's structural health challenges.**

CISDI and partners developed a model to ensure integrated and inclusive services at Puskesmas. Based on findings from community needs research, Pencerah Nusantara continues to evolve.



Our Mission

Indonesia needs a healthcare system that works more effectively and responsively

Good healthcare services are capable of providing effective, safe, affordable, and quality health interventions for both individuals and communities, whenever and wherever needed, without being hindered by social and economic factors.

-  The realization of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Indonesia has been slower than anticipated.
-  The integration of health services at the community level has not yet become a priority.
-  There is a lack of sufficient and qualified human resources in the health sector.
-  Indonesia needs to adopt a more inclusive approach within its community health centers.

2012–2019

Pencerah Nusantara 16 districts/cities

Test and Implement a Strengthening Model in 16 Puskesmas

7 years of intervention with 222 young health workers, creating impact for 262,000 people in 16 districts/cities.

2020

PN COVID-19 8 Puskesmas

Model Test in 8 Puskesmas

Modification of the Pencerah Nusantara (PN) model for Covid-19 pandemic response according to the WHO gold standard of pandemic response.

2021–2023

PUSPA 347 Puskesmas in West Java

Scaling Up Pilot Project

The PUSPA programme is managed in a tiered manner from the provincial level, with routinely available resources in >300 Puskesmas in West Java.

Primary Health Care Facility Recovery and Preparedness

- Promoted the formalisation of Community Health Workers (CHWs) for community health resilience.
- Designed systems to promote access to vaccinations and health services that are sensitive to the needs of vulnerable groups.
- Digital health innovations to empower Puskesmas to track people's health, encourage healthy behaviour, and provide health service alerts/information.

2024–2026

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Sustainable Primary Health Care (PHC)

- Training of CHWs on 25 required and additional competencies in accordance with the PN-PRIMA programme.
- Assistance of CHWs in utilising the supportive supervision method.
- Social media campaigns.
- Community empowerment through CHWs at Posyandu.
- Provision of standardised SOP for service delivery.
- Development of a sustainable CHWs' competency development process.
- Quality assurance of CHW-provided services through digital recording and reporting platforms: ASIK and PN-PRIMA app (for home assistance).
- Evidence generation for decision-making.
- Facilitation of CHWs in finding solutions needed by their community (e.g. community forum).

2022

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Sustainable Primary Health Care (PHC)

- Mapping of vulnerable groups' barriers and needs regarding vaccination services.
- Training of community health workers (CHWs) and other health workers on delivering inclusive and accommodating vaccination services, NCDs and nutrition.
- Public awareness campaigns on NCDs and nutrition by PRIMA CHWs in public spaces.
- CHWs supervision and mentoring by health workers.
- Creation of penthaelix coalitions at the district level.
- Development of dashboard for measuring changes in intervention data target.
- Monitoring of the data integration platform operation.

Our Work

Empowering Communities and Developing Supporting Instruments



Capacity building for health workers and CHWs

- Training on 25 competencies aligned with the Ministry of Health's standards.
- Advanced training by CISDI, based on skills and attitude identification.
- Supportive supervision by field supervisors.



Development of social innovation by CHWs

Mentoring CHWs to identify problems and solutions for their community.



Screening and Community Mobilisation

Activating and increasing the quality of posyandu in accommodating lifecycle-based services.



Development and improvement of information system quality

Development of PN PRIMA application to accommodate screening, as well as ANC and child nutrition services provided by CHWs.

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Our Achievements

(September 2021-Februari 2023)

■ **83%**

Children aged 1-5 with wasting and stunting assisted by CHWs

■ **1.587**

Pregnant women have their upper arm circumference measured

■ **19.087**

Individuals aged >15 years are screened for NCDs

■ **5.292 Individuals**

willing to receive COVID-19 vaccination. 4,528 were successfully vaccinated (either dose 1, 2, or 3) and received post-vaccination side effect monitoring.

■ PRIMA CHWs successfully mapped and identified barriers to 22,374 vulnerable groups who have not yet received vaccinations COVID-19.

■ PRIMA CHWs conducted home visits to screen individuals who were unable to attend Posbindu.

■ PRIMA CHWs managed to reach 2,421 children aged 1-5 who had previously missed growth monitoring follow-ups.

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