

WEBINAR SERIES

**BUILDING SUSTAINABLE MEDICAL OXYGEN SYSTEMS:
EXPERIENCES AND LESSONS FROM INDIA'S COVID-19 RESPONSE**

AGENDA FOR WEBINAR #1
POLICY FOR SUSTAINABLE MEDICAL OXYGEN SUPPLY
Lessons from early experiences in various states

September 3, 2021, Friday | 05:00 PM to 06:30 PM

05:00 – 05:10 PM	<u>Welcome and Context Setting</u> <i>Mr. Neeraj Jain, Country Director India and Director South Asia, PATH</i>
05:10 – 05:25 PM	<u>Opening Remarks</u> World Bank's initiatives in accelerating medical oxygen availability <i>Dr. Trina Haque, Practice Manager for Health, Nutrition and Population, South Asia, the World Bank</i>
05:25 – 05:35 PM	<u>Keynote Address</u> Sustainable medical oxygen supply policy: Experience and lessons from India <i>Ms. Sumita Dawra, Additional Secretary, Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India</i>
05:35 – 05:45 PM	<u>Spotlight Address#1: Public sector experience and lessons</u> Becoming Oxygen Surplus: Lessons from Kerala, the first Indian state to become oxygen self-sufficient <i>Mr. Balamurali D, Managing Director, Kerala Medical Services Corporation Limited, India</i>
05:45 – 05:55 PM	<u>Spotlight Address#2: Private sector experience and lessons</u> Delivering oxygen to COVID-19 patients: Experience and lessons of an Indian healthcare corporate <i>Dr. Narayan Pendse, Vice President, Medical Strategy and Operations Group, Fortis Healthcare Limited</i>
05:55 – 06:05 PM	<u>Global Perspectives</u> Sustainable access to oxygen: Global experience and lessons relevant for South Asia <i>Dr. Alex Rothkopf, Supply Chain Management and Data Science Advisor, PATH</i>
06:05 – 06:25 PM	<u>Open House</u> Questions and answers from the audience
06:25 – 06:30 PM	<u>Summary and Closing Remarks</u> <i>Mr. Neeraj Jain, Country Director India and Director South Asia, PATH</i>
