



WPF concludes three-day training

ISLAMABAD (July 04 2009): World Population Foundation (WPF), Pakistan concluded three-day training for the master trainers on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR) education for adolescent girls and boys. This initiative is part of its flag ship programme "Life Skills Based Education" (LSBE), being implemented in public and private schools of Pakistan since 2003 in various districts.

A total of 14 master trainers from Faisalabad, Peshawar, Quetta and Vehari attended the training which focused on providing them with the information and knowledge on issues faced by adolescents in Pakistan. It is important to consider that Pakistan is one of the 164 signatories of Dakar Education for All (EFA), which very clearly identifies and states "Life Skills" as a basic learning need for all young people. However, in our culture, there is no mechanism to guide these young adults about the change in life and functions. A vast majority of 65 percent adolescents remain unaware of even such simple matters as physical changes in boys and menstruation in girls, before attaining puberty.-PR

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