

**National Consultation on
Implementation of Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD)
“Inclusive Education/Literacy and barrier free communication and information with special
emphasis on Women with Disabilities”**

September 12, 2011 Islamabad

Jointly Organized by UNESCO Islamabad and Special Talent Exchange Program (STEP)

Agenda

0930 – 1000 Registration/Arrival of Guest

1000 – 1005 Recitation of Quran

[On digital format](#)

1005 – 1010 Welcome address

[Muhammad Atif Sheikh, President STEP](#)

1010– 1030 Address by UNESCO

[Dr. Kozue Kay Nagata, Director/Representative, UNESCO](#)

1030 – 1040 Gender Mainstreaming and Women with Disabilities

[Ms. Abia Akram, Women Coordinator DPI Asia Pacific](#)

1040 – 1050 Inclusive Education

[Mr. Niaz Ullah Khan, Inclusive Education Expert, Evisenna Consultants, Islamabad](#)

1050 – 1120 Literacy, Right to Education & Barrier-Free Communication and
Information

[Arshad Saeed Khan, Senior National Specialist \(Education\) UNESCO](#)

1120 – 1130 Address by the Chief Guest

[Syed Mustafain Kazmi, Director General Special Education and Child Development](#)

1130 – 1200

Tea Break

1200 – 1330

Formation of four thematic groups & Group Work:

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| Group I | Gender Mainstreaming and Women with Disabilities Chair: Ms. Abia Akram |
| Group II | Inclusive Education Chair: Dr. Sajida, Karachi University |
| Group III | Literacy, Right to Education & Barrier-Free Communication and Information Chair: Dr. Kozue Kay Nagata / Arshad Saeed Khan |
| Group IV | Barrier for implementation of UNCRPD Chair: Mr. Niaz Ullah Khan, Inclusive Development Consultant |
| Group V | Community-Based Rehabilitation (CBR) supported by WHO, UNESCO and ILO Chair: Dr. Mariam Malick (WHO) |

1330 – 1430

Lunch Break

1430 – 1530

Feedback/presentations by groups

1530 – 1600

Q & A Session / Closing

1600

Tea