## Revision of NTP education materials and adoption of TB desk-guide for NTP Nepal

Need has been realized by NTP Nepal and its stakeholders to revise the existing education materials as there have been several new developments through research, adoption of new policies/strategies, recommendations by reviewers etc. Moreover, NTP Nepal has shown its interest to adopt Nuffield TB desk guide following its documented effectiveness at service delivery level in other countries.

This project aimed to bring the new developments into policy and practice by revising existing NTP materials with locally tested best practices.

The project team worked closely with NTP, SAARC TB and HIV/AIDS Centre, and its stakeholders (NGOs, INGOs and private sector) from the inception. Several consultative meetings and discussions were held during the process. Final products was used widespread under the Nepal NTP and has been expected to enhance the overall program performance in the long run. The project duration was of 18 months starting from July 2008.

