

# Outreach programme under AINP-Genome Editing Technology for Improvement of livestock Health and Production

*Bareilly, 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2026:* Research team of ICAR-Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar conducted an Interaction cum inputs distribution programme at Tribal dominated village on 27.02.2026. The programme was organized under ICAR funded project on AINP-Genome Editing Technology for Improvement of livestock Health and Production at Sungharikala village of Sitarganj block, US Nagar, Uttarakhand. The

programme was attended by 47 tribal farmers and farm women. Dr P.K. Gupta, Principal Scientist and Project Coordinator briefed about the project activities and its impact in food security and farmer



welfare. He also outlined the farmer centric activities of project and their positive impact on farmers' livelihoods. He encouraged participants to adopt ICAR-IVRI-developed technologies for better animal husbandry practices. Dr. C. Jana, Principal Scientist in the Division of Pathology and Co-PI of the programme, highlighted the importance of mineral supplementation for dairy animals and demonstrated its application in cattle and goats. The essential inputs like mineral mixture and multipurpose trays were distributed among the participants for adoption of improved husbandry practices. Animal health related issues like parasitism, infertility and poor milk production were also addressed by the scientists during farmers' interaction. The programme was ended with collection of feedback from participants.





*Glimpse of TSP outreach programme under AINP-GET at Sunkhalikala  
Village, US Nagar, Uttarakhand*