

Final Workshop on Resource Mobilization Held



The final workshop on Resource Mobilization of Caritas Bangladesh was held at Caritas Central Office, Dhaka, on 25 January 2017, where 41 senior and mid-level staff of Caritas Central, Region, Trusts and Project Offices participated. The workshop was inaugurated by the Executive Director, Mr Francis Atul Sarker with call on mobilizing internal resources and local resources, targeting enhancement by 50% of local contribution against current 35-40% by 2020. He also shared the following objectives of the workshop:

- To share the outcomes of the Regional Workshops on Resource Mobilization; and
- To develop strategies for implementation of resource mobilization strategy, prepare action plan and income budget for the FY 2017-18 through mobilized resources.

Mr. Sukleash George Costa, Senior Manager (Resource Mobilization) shared the major outcomes of the Regional Workshops held during July to December 2016. His presentation included existing own and external resources, programs/projects where more attention is required to maximize revenue; Strategies to be taken to maximize own and external resources; Probable Income Generating Activities; Challenges for implementation of resource mobilization Policy; Working framework for implementation of Resource Mobilization Policy; Strategies for formation of Resource Mobilization Unit and Committee, criteria of the members and roles and responsibilities. Then participants were divided into groups to develop achievable strategies for mobilizing Resources and to prepare doable action plan and income budget for the FY 2017-2018 through mobilized resources.

Mr. Francis Atul Sarker, Executive Director concluded the workshop appreciating the participants for their valuable contribution during the workshop and with a vote of thanks. He also emphasized on immediate formulation of Resource Mobilization Unit and Committee at Central and Regional level for the faster implementation of the Policy.

