## National Consultation-

A National Consultation on "Developing Skilled Human Resources & Implementation of Swachh Bharat Mission" and launch of Skill Development Training in Health Care Sector was organised on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017 at Yashwantrao Chavan Auditorium, Sahyadri Giest House, Malabar Hill, Mumbai. Eminent dignitaries namely- Dr. Deepak Sawant, Hon. Minister of Public Health and FW, Maharashtra; Dr. Ranjeet Patil, Minister of State, Maharashtra, Dept. Urban Development, Law and Judiciary, Parliamentary Affairs, Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Ex-Servicemen Welfare; Dr. B. D. Athani, Special Director General, DGHS, New Delhi; Shri. Shyamlal Goyal, Add. Chief Secretary, WSSD, SBM (Gramin) and Ms. Yasmeen Ali Haque, Representative, UNICEF, India Country Office attended the programme.

About 15 eminent speakers from MoHFW, UNICEF, Medical Colleges & Institutions and NGO delivered talk during the conference. Around 150 delegates including students, imminent faculty & staff from medical colleges, Local Self Government Bodies, Training Institutions of Sanitation & Hygiene and NGO's attended the programme.

Dr. Deepak Sawant ji, in his inaugural address urged the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Ministry of Water Supply & Sanitation and Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship to join hands together to promote Swachh Bharat Mission launched by the Honorable Prime Minister. He further expressed that, Skill Development Trainings initiated by FWTRC should solve programme of unemployment to some extent.