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Anuradha Gupta is the Deputy Chief Executive Officer of Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance.

Prior to joining Gavi, Anuradha served as Additional Secretary at the Indian Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, and Mission Director

of the National Health Mission where she ran the largest – and possibly most complex – public health programme in the world with an annual budget of US\$ 3.5 billion.

Anuradha played a leading role in India's efforts to eradicate polio transmission. She has also led efforts to pioneer free care for over 165 million pregnant mothers and children; to introduce universal child health screening for 270 million children, and to design an innovative health programme for 350 million adolescents.

Anuradha has assumed an important role in a number of global health initiatives including Co-Chairing the Partnership for Maternal, Neonatal and Child Health (PMNCH), serving as a member of the Steering Committee of the "Child Survival Call to Action" at the invitation of Secretary of State Clinton, Co-Chairing the Stakeholder Group for the London Family Planning Summit 2020, and as a member of the Family Planning 2020 Reference Group.

Anuradha has a Masters in English Literature from Kurukshetra University, an MBA from the University of Wollongong in Australia, as well as Executive Education from Stanford School of Business and Harvard's Kennedy School of Government.

Anuradha is married with two children. She is an Indian national and speaks English, Hindi and Punjabi.