**Problem 1:**

Akshaya Patra determinedly curates local taste into its mid-day meal recipes for serving close to 1.75million children reaching out approx. 15000 schools, in India daily. Akshaya Patra has a mechanism in place to collect feedback on its meals, however, feedback is not a real time information flow. Thus there is lag of time in incorporating any required changes into the process.

Secondly, school strength varies from day to day, specifically during start of new academic year and festival seasons etc. Meal supply during this time is same as normal days due to no intimation of change in attendance which leads to significant food wastage.

**Challenges:**

**Akshaya Patra has no real time direct two-way information-communication channel in place to interact with its beneficiaries or parents to convey any information, collect feedbacks or understand demands of meals. We are looking for an IT solution to collect real-time feedback on meals and meal quantity requirement on a daily basis from the school so as to incorporate feedbacks and minimize food wastage.**

**Problem 2:**

While we conduct a monitoring & evaluation and impact assessment process in the organization which is extensive (refer Annexure I). There is a need to have a proper digital platform where all the data is present/stored for analysis and secured for the future use.

**Challenge**

**We are looking for an ICT solutions for the data collection process, in Monitoring & evaluation and Impact assessment to ease operational obstacle and hindrances of Mid-Day Meal and Mid-Day Meal (MDM) allied programs. (refer Annexure II)**