

ADMISSION OPEN TO

Post Graduate Diploma in Plant Health Management (PGDPHM) - (2023-24)

Aim of the Course: Develop a highly committed and competent cadre of agricultural professionals to promote environmentally sustainable plant health and biosecurity management in India and her neighbourhood.

Course Design & Framework: The one-year course is spread over 2 Semesters with total 40 credits, in line with National Education Policy 2020. The programme highlights are:

- 1. Unique programme in the country to become –
- i) Plant health expert ii) Expert in pesticide quality and residue analysis
- 2. Options to choose specialization in the field of Plant Health Management/Plant Biosecurity/Pesticide Management / Plant Health Engineering
- 3. Participatory learning in classroom and laboratory.
- 4. Field visits for enhancing observational skills.
- 5. Agro-ecosystem based analysis through Farmers Field Schools (FFS)
- 6. Unique project in one of the specialization areas in second semester.
- 7. Opportunity to do an industry internship with possible stipend.
- 8. Placement opportunity with industry standard pay package.
- 9. Hands-on experience with advanced lab facilities
- 10. Opportunity to learn advanced analytical equipment (GC-MS/MS, LC-MS/MS etc.) with proficient trainers.
- 11. Unique programme with multifaceted opportunities in Plant Health Sector and Analytical and Quality Control labs.

Eligibility: A person possessing either of the educational qualification of B.Sc. (Agri. or Hort.)/ B.Sc. in Agri. & Rural Dev. / B. Tech. (Agri. Engg.)/ M.Sc. in Life Sciences.

Five seats are reserved B Sc. (Chemistry) – for PGDPHM with specialization in Pesticide Management only.

Batch Strength - 30 seats only

Fee structure:

Rs. 75000/- (For unemployed youth)
Rs. 2, 00,000/(For the employees of private organization)
Rs. 5000/-
Rs. 8000/-
Rs. 30000/-
Rs. 93000/-
Rs. 2,11,000/-

Meritorious scholarships would be available for eligible candidates.

Tentative Schedule of admission process:

Last date of receipt of application	30 th September 2023
Intimation to shortlisted candidates	7 th October 2023
Written Examination (Tentative/online)	16 th October 2023
Announcement of selected candidates	20 th October 2023
Admission (on or before)	31 st October 2023
Commencement of the programme	1 st November 2023

For registration, please visit <u>http://14.139.92.166/dips/register.aspx</u> (A fee of Rs. 200/- to be paid through UPI/bank transfer along with application)

Applicants may use the digital payment mode available at Institute website for payments: <u>https://niphm.gov.in/general/niphm_sbi.pdf</u>

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Course Design & Framework: The six-month course is with total 20 credits having participatory learning in classroom and laboratory along with field visits for enhancing observational skills. Students are given opportunity to have hands-on experience with agro-ecosystem based analysis through Farmers Field Schools (FFS).

Eligibility: Graduates in Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Life sciences/ B.Sc. in Agri. & Rural Dev/ B. Tech. (Agri. Engg.).

Fee structure:

Course Fee	Rs. 40000/- (For unemployed youth)
Other	Rs. 3000/-
(Library/Sports/Cultural/Books	
etc)	
Caution Money	Rs. 8000/-
Lodging Charges	Rs. 15000/-
Boarding charges	Rs. 46000/-
Total Fee	Rs. 1,12,000/-

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