



ADMISSION OPEN TO

Post Graduate Diploma in Plant Health Management (PGDPHM) - (2022-23) (2 Semesters)

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. The programme consists of four major components:

1. Participatory learning in classroom and laboratory.
2. Field visits for enhancing observational skills.
3. Agro-ecosystem based analysis through Farmers Field Schools (FFS)
4. Specialization in one of the following selected areas (during 2nd semester):
 - a. Biocontrol Input Production Management
 - b. Biosecurity Incursion Management
 - c. Pesticide Management
 - d. Vertebrate and Structural Pest Management
 - e. Plant Health Engineering

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.

Course Fee: Rs. 75000/- (payable in two instalments) for unemployed youth. Boarding charges as per prevailing rates of catering service (at present Rs. 240/ per day). However, accommodation will be provided free of cost. For the employees of private organization, the course is offered on full payment basis i.e. Rs.2, 00,000/-.

Meritorious scholarships would be available for eligible candidates.

Diploma in Plant Health Management (DPHM) - (2021-22) (1 Semester)

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

Course Fee: Rs.35,000/- (payable in single instalment) for unemployed youth. Boarding charges as per prevailing rates of catering service (at present Rs. 240/ per day). However, accommodation will be provided free of cost.

Application and Registration Fee:

A registration fee of Rs. 100/- may be paid along with application. Applicants may use the digital payment mode available at Institute website. (https://niphm.gov.in/general/niphm_sbi.pdf) The link to apply for the programme is available at <https://niphm.gov.in/>

Tentative Schedule:

Last date of receipt of application	30 th September 2022
Written Examination (Tentative/online)	7 th October 2022
Announcement of selected candidates	12 th October 2022
Commencement Date	20 th October 2022

Candidates are advised to visit <https://niphm.gov.in> at regular intervals for updates