



## INFORMATION BROCHURE

### Online Training Course On

### “Vertebrate Pest Management –wild boar, monkey and birds”

(29–31, July, 2020)

**Organized by**  
**National Institute of Plant Health  
Management, Hyderabad**  
Department of Agriculture Cooperation  
& Farmers Welfare,  
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers  
Welfare,  
Govt. of India

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### About the Course

National Institute of Plant Health Management (NIPHM) is a premier autonomous Institute under Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmer's welfare, Government of India established in the year 2008 with the expanded scope of promoting environmentally sustainable Plant Health Management practices in diverse and changing agro-climatic conditions and Plant Biosecurity Management and Pesticide Management through capacity building programmes. Several vertebrate pest species currently cause economically significant damage to various crops in our country. These include wild boar, monkey, blue bull, birds and rodent. Damage due to vertebrate pest's farmers bears the severe loss during harvesting season and post-harvest. In India, vertebrates have been estimated to cause 5 to 20% losses in various crops. Severity varies with season, location and ecosystem. In recent days monkey, nilgai and wild boar are also becoming a serious pest and attack wide variety of crops in our country resulting into enormous crop damage. To address the issues, NIPHM proposed to organize the 3 day training on vertebrate pest management with the following objective.

### Objectives

- To identify the major vertebrate pest problems in different agro-ecosystems
- To assess crop losses caused by vertebrate pests.
- To develop safe, effective and economical control methods which are suitable and feasible for farmers.
- To understand the methods of assessing their infestation and damage incidence in agrarian ecosystem.
- To transfer knowledge to the farming community through the state agricultural department.

### Course duration

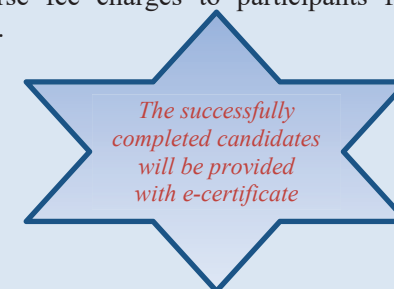
**Three days (29–31, July, 2020)**

Session timing: 11.00-13.00hrs

**Platform: Online**

### Eligibility

This training Course is meant for the state extension/developmental officers of agriculture and horticulture and KVK scientists of ICAR/SAUs. The total number of participants shall be limited to 20 -25. All the applications must be routed through proper channel. There are no course fee charges to participants for this training.



### How to apply?

Interested applicants may register their names in the NIPHM website (<http://niphm@gov.in>) through proper channel. The final selection will be made only if the application duly recommended by the competent authority is received. The selected candidates will be intimated through email.

After the candidates are intimated of their selection, they should immediately reply with firm acceptance.

Last date for receipt of the application 23/07/2020

**For Clarification please contact Course Coordinators:**

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