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POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH MANAGEMENT

(AUGUST 2021 – JULY 2022)

Venue: Indian Institutes of Public Health (IIPHs)

Delhi NCR, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad and Bhubaneswar

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BACKGROUND

The Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) is pleased to announce its call for applications, for the fourteenth consecutive year, for the Post Graduate Diploma in Public Health Management being conducted in the academic year August 2021-July 2022, at the Indian Institutes of Public Health, Delhi NCR, Gandhinagar (Gujarat), Hyderabad (Telangana) & Bhubaneswar (Odisha).

The public health challenges being faced by the country calls for the development of capacity in the health systems of both the Central and State Governments by way of positioning qualified and skilled professionals who can execute and monitor national health policies and programs, supervise the public health workforce, fully assess the dimensions of public health issues and devise appropriate strategies to meet emerging challenges. The standard MBBS, MD (PSM) and DPH programs offered at medical colleges or the MBA, PG Diploma program offered at business schools do not significantly impart these managerial skills and competencies. Hence, this program is designed to impart the knowledge and skills to address and resolve key health management challenges.

OBJECTIVES

To enhance the capacity of the public health managerial workforce through the conduct and delivery of a specially designed Post Graduate Diploma course in Public Health Management.

COURSE DURATION

The program would be a regular course lasting for nine months of classroom teaching and three months of project work including field study. The total duration of the course is twelve months.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants should have a graduate/postgraduate degree in medicine, AYUSH, dental, nursing, pharmacy, health sciences, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, natural/life sciences, management, social sciences, social work, economics, statistics or any equivalent qualification.

Candidates with work experience in health/development sector will be given preference.

Candidates from across India and from other countries can state their preference of the institute (Delhi, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad and Bhubaneswar) in the application form.

SELECTION PROCESS

The selection will be made strictly on the basis of merit. Eligible candidates would be screened, based on their application and statement of purpose by a specially constituted screening committee. Short-listed candidates would then be interviewed and the final list will be announced. The final selection of the candidate is based on qualifications, relevant experience, statement of

purpose and interview. The weightage for each component will be as follows:

Qualifications	-	30%
Relevant experience	-	30%
Statement of purpose	-	10%
Interview	-	30%
Total	-	100%

Decisions taken by the selection committee will be final.

Reservation of seats in admissions will be as per Government of India policy as applicable from time to time. If suitable candidates are not available under the reserved category, the seats will be filled by general category candidates.

COURSE FOCUS & TEACHING METHODS

This program is interdisciplinary, both in its content and teaching. It utilizes a variety of teaching/ learning techniques, including seminars, journal clubs, collaborative learning, group discussions, case studies, lecture discussions, assignments, hands-on training on computers, visits to organizations of public health interest, practicum and field projects. Faculty with diverse disciplinary backgrounds, national and international experience combined with a breadth and depth of public health experience would be teaching this course.

PROJECT WORK / DISSERTATION / INTERNSHIP

Each candidate working under close guidance of a faculty advisor, will develop and work on a project or undertake dissertation or internship. Each candidate will be evaluated concurrently on the study protocol/ work undertaken, while the study is in progress and terminally on his/her report.

COURSE FEES

The fee structure for PGDPHM for self-sponsored candidates in the year 2021-22 will be as follows:

For Indian and South Asian Nationals:

Tuition Fee

The annual tuition fee for the academic year 2021-22 is **Rs. 2.00 Lakhs** per student.

(which includes Rs. 10,000/- admission fees and Rs. 10,000/- examination fee)

For International Candidates:

Tuition Fee

The annual tuition fee for the academic year 2021-22 is **5,600 USD** per student.

**Accommodation in hostels is subject to availability, at an additional cost.*

Scholarships Available

Dr P G Tulpule Scholarship is available to suitable candidates with good academic background for the year 2021-22. For further details and eligibility criteria please visit the website: www.phfi.org

ABOUT PUBLIC HEALTH FOUNDATION OF INDIA (PHFI)

The Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) is a public private initiative that has collaboratively evolved through consultations with multiple constituencies including Indian and international academia, state and central governments, multi & bi-lateral agencies and civil society groups. PHFI is a response to redress the limited institutional capacity in India for strengthening training, research and policy development in the area of Public Health. PHFI was launched on March 28, 2006 at New Delhi.

Other academic programs offered by PHFI at the various IIPs are as listed below:

On Campus Programs (Current Programs):

PhD (Full time) in Health Sciences/Public Health: The PhD is a full-time program being offered by Indian Institute of Public Health - Delhi in Health Sciences/Public Health. This program is affiliated to Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology (SCTIMST), Trivandrum. PhD is offered in the following disciplines: Epidemiology, Health Economics, Health Systems (with focus on reproductive & child health and Nutrition).

PhD in Public Health: The PhD is a full-time program being offered by Indian Institute of Public Health – Gandhinagar in Public Health. This program is offered by Indian Institute of Public Health Gandhinagar, Gujarat, India (A University under State Govt. Act).

Integrated MSc & PhD in Clinical Research: Integrated MSc & PhD in Clinical Research is a full time program being offered jointly by Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) and Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR) at the Indian Institute of Public Health-Delhi. This multi-disciplinary program focusses on the scientific, ethical and operational issues related to clinical research. This Clinical Research program is a blend of principles of basic and advanced research and its application in health sector.

Integrated MSc & PhD in Health Informatics: Integrated MSc & PhD in Health Informatics is a full time program being offered jointly by Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) and Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR) at the Indian Institute of Public Health-Hyderabad. This multi-disciplinary program focusses on applications of informatics and technologies in public health.

Master of Public Health (MPH): This two year master's program aims to promote health systems and public health research and implementing solutions in institutional and field settings. It will prepare health professionals to work in socially, culturally and economically diverse populations by being attentive to needs of vulnerable and disadvantaged groups. This program is offered at IIPH-Gandhinagar, IIPH-Hyderabad, IIPH-Delhi, IIPH-Shillong and IIPH-Bhubaneswar (proposed).

Master of Hospital Administration (MHA): MHA program offered by the IIPH-Gandhinagar is a two-year, full-time program. The program is designed to develop professionally trained administrators who can play an effective managerial role and provide leadership in public/private hospitals and healthcare

institutions. For achieving its intended objective, the program curriculum is structured on some multi-disciplinary perspectives including general management and hospital management theories and practices.

Associate Fellow of Industrial Health (AFIH): AFIH is a three month full time course regulated by Directorate General, Factory Advice Service and Labour Institutes (DGFASLI). This program is offered at IIPH-Gandhinagar.

Certificate Course on Geriatric Health Caregiving (CCGHC): IIPH-Gandhinagar has launched four months onsite certificate course to train and develop a cadre of professional Health Care Givers who can fulfill basic health care needs of those who require assistance with special focus on geriatric age group. This is supported by Gujarat State Financial Services Limited and facilitated by the Gujarat CSR Authority.

Certificate Course for Community Health (CCCH): This course is offered by IIPH-Gandhinagar and has been developed as per the guidelines of MoHFW, Government of India. The program aims at improving the knowledge, skills and competencies of GNM, BSc Nursing and Ayurveda graduates (BAMS) to enable them to serve as competent human resource essential for strengthening the primary health care services at Health and Wellness Centres Sub Centres under Ayushman Bharat across 9500 Sub Centres of Gujarat.

Certificate Course in Public Health Management (CCPHM): This course of three-months duration is offered at IIPH-Bhubaneswar. CCPHM has been envisioned to enhance the capacity of District and State Health managers on public health management through a specially designed certificate course.

eLearning Programs (Current programs)

- ePost Graduate Program in Public Health Nutrition
- ePost Graduate Program in Epidemiology
- ePost Graduate Program in Management of Reproductive and Child Health Programmes
- ePost Graduate Program in Health Promotion
- ePost Graduate Program in Public Health & Hospital Management for Nursing & Allied Health Professionals
- ePost Graduate Program in Public Health Services Management
- ePost Graduate Program in Health Economics, Health Care Financing & Policy
- eCourse in Research Methodology
- eCourse in STI & HIV/AIDS
- eCourse on Monitoring & Evaluation of Health Programs
- eCourse on GIS Application in Public Health
- eCourse in Public Health Surveillance
- eCourse on Public Health Development for ICDS Officials
- eCourse in Advanced Hospital Management
- eCourse in Health, Safety & Environment Management
- eCourse in Good Public Health and Clinical Laboratory Practices
- eCourse in Clinical Research Methods
- eCourse in Tobacco Control
- eCourse in Research Ethics
- eCourse in Effective Grant Writing in Public Health

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PGDPHM COURSE MODULES

MANAGEMENT

- Introduction to Public Health Management
- Human Resource Management and Organizational Behaviour
- Financial Management
- Management of MCH/RCH
- Project Management
- Logistic Planning and Drug Distribution/ Inventory Management

PUBLIC HEALTH

- NHM, National Health Programs, Health Systems and Health Sector Reforms
- Urban Health
- Behavioural and Social Science in Health
- Quality, Equity and Access to Health Care

- Health Communication and Promotion
- Health Management Information Systems
- Public Health Nutrition
- Communicable Diseases
- Non-Communicable Diseases
- Health Policy and Health Care Planning
- Environmental and Occupational Health

ANALYTICAL SKILLS

- Epidemiology
- Demography
- Disease Surveillance
- Biostatistics
- Research Methods and Operations Research
- Essential of Health Economics
- Health Financing and Insurance

PGDPHM PROGRAM COMPETENCIES

- Program planning and management
- Project development and management, monitoring and evaluation
- Good understanding of national health programmes and guidelines
- Health Policy and Environment Analysis at District, State and National Levels
- Practical knowledge of conducting primary quantitative and qualitative research including tool development and data collection, data management etc.
- Data analysis using statistical packages and report writing
- Adequate managerial skills including Human Resource Management, Financial Management and Logistics and Drug distribution



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IN THE FIELD OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN INDIA**



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Program brochures and application forms are available on the PHFI website <http://www.phfi.org>

Please submit your filled application form at the address given below:

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