ePost Graduate Program in Public Health Nutrition
eLearning Program
Course Duration: One Year
Offered by: Indian Institute of Public Health-Delhi
OVERVIEW
PHFI's intensive one year eLearning program is focused on providing comprehensive training in Public Health Nutrition (PHN) in a global setting coupled with an exposure to a number of topics and in a range of contexts.

BACKGROUND
Population based approaches have been the mainstay of research in the field of nutrition for decades. However, in an age of growing health consciousness and fitness, public health nutrition (PHN) workforce development is increasingly becoming a global focus. In an effort to provide direction to nutrition research in the country and with the objective of contributing towards training future leaders in the field of nutrition, the Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) launched a post graduate program in PHN in the year 2010 for the benefit of all stakeholders. Its debut was met with unprecedented success and positive feedback and it is well posed on the academic and knowledge sharing landscape.

COURSE DESIGN AND DURATION
Designed as a one year ePost Graduate program, the course focuses on the following:
- Fundamentals of food science and nutrition
- Food safety, health promotion and nutrition education
- Nutrition policy and program planning, community based nutrition interventions/innovations
- Nutrition epidemiology and research methods

ELIGIBILITY
- The course is open to the following candidates:
- Graduates in all disciplines, especially public health, nutrition and medicine
- Paramedical personnel, including nurses, social workers, public health educators and health assistants
- Researchers from nutrition and allied fields, including clinicians involved in nutrition research
- Nutrition program related practitioners in the public and private sectors

Eligible candidates would be screened, based on their application and statement of purpose, by a specially constituted selection committee. Decisions taken by the selection committee will be final. Preference will be given to in-service candidates from the central and state governments.

JOURNEY
This program aims to provide comprehensive training in public health nutrition in a global setting with the choice of specializing in number of topics and in a range of contexts. It provides an integrated program covering dietary, epidemiological, public health, social and biological aspects of nutritional science. Special topics include biostatistics, maternal and child nutrition, food policy, nutrition program planning, monitoring and evaluation and nutritional epidemiology. This course is particularly suitable for people whose employment overlaps the nutritional area such as program managers, health care workers, medical practitioners, dieticians, pharmacists, nurses, health educators and teachers. This course is also open for those who wish to avail themselves of contemporary ideas in human nutrition. During the course, the participant completes a short research project in the form of a project synopsis or an elective subjective assignment, which enables them to work on a subject of special interest, practice skills of analysis and presentation, and integrate different aspects of course work.

TEACHING & COURSE DELIVERY

METHODOLOGY
The course is delivered in the hybrid/blended learning mode, i.e. through a mixture of recorded and live eLearning sessions conducted by faculty members with students logging in from their location. The offline components of the course (a written manual) is complemented by online lectures (online sessions using power-point presentations).

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS
- Internet Bandwidth: 1 Mbps
- Processor: Intel Pentium 4 or equivalent and above
- RAM: 512 MB and above (1 GB recommended)
- Supported browsers: Recent Google Chrome, recent Mozilla Firefox, Safari 6, Internet Explorer 9,
- Latest Adobe Flash Player
- Supported Operating Systems: Windows XP , Windows Vista, Windows 7, Mac OS, Linux, iOS, Android, etc.
- Headset with microphone (web camera - optional)

EVALUATION
Students will be evaluated through a combination of individual module assessments, final online examination at the end of year and a project report or an elective subjective assignment to be submitted after 9 months of completion of the course.

COURSE OUTLINE

Candidates | Course Fee
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Indian Nationals | ₹ 36,000 (INR)
South Asian Nationals | $ 600 (USD)
Other International Candidates | $ 1,200 (USD)
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Other eLearning Programs offered by PHFI

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<td>eCourse on GIS Application in Public Health</td>
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<td>eCourse in Effective Grant Writing in Public Health</td>
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Unique Features of PHFI Centre for eLearning

- State of the art Learning Management System
- Multidisciplinary faculty
- Self-paced learning
- Competency-driven curriculum
- Enriching virtual classroom experience
- Collaboratively developed programs with national and international organizations
- Wide range of programs in key areas of public health practice

Online Application
Application Status Monitoring
Automatic Email Notifications
Online payment via payment gateway
Automatic Student Registration in LMS
Online Lectures & Assessments
Validation of Online Certificate
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**On-Campus programs offered by PHFI**

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<td>Master of Public Health (MPH)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
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<td>2 years</td>
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<td>Post Graduate Diploma in Public Health Management (PGDPHM)^*</td>
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<td>Certificate Course in Community Health (CCCH)^**</td>
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<td>Associate Fellow of Industrial Health (AFIH)^^</td>
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[^1]: Affiliated to Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology (SCTIMST) Trivandrum, an Institute of National Importance under Govt. of India

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[^5]: Offered by Indian Institute of Public Health Gandhinagar, Gujarat, India (A University under State Govt. Act)

[^*]: A two-year Master’s program (MSc in Clinical Research or Health Informatics), with the option of pursuing a PhD, if eligible, as an Integrated MSc-PhD in Clinical Research or Health Informatics. Offered in collaboration with Academy of Scientific & Innovative Research (AcSIR), an Institute of National Importance established by Act of Parliament

[^**]: Supported under National Health Mission (NHM), MoHFW, Govt. of India

[^®]: Supported by State Institute of Health and Family Welfare, Gujarat

[^^]: Supported by Gujarat State Financial Services Limited and facilitated by Gujarat CSR Authority

[^*]: Offered in collaboration with Department of Health & Family Welfare, Odisha

[^^]: Regulated by Directorate General, Factory Advice Service and Labour Institutes (DGFASLI), Govt. of India

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