



Centre for Chronic Disease Control (CCDC) in partnership with International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), New Delhi invite applications for a short course on

UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION POLICY AND ACTION

 10-13 Nov 2024

 Zone Connect, Saket, New Delhi

India currently faces multiple simultaneous forms of malnutrition. Optimal nutrition improves cognitive development and school and work performance, reduces morbidity and mortality; all these increase the nation's productivity and economic development.

Traditional training in medicine or nutrition (usually delivered within a home science curriculum) fails to prepare practitioners, researchers or program developers. **CCDC and IFPRI are committed to capacity-building in the area of nutrition.** This short course, offered for the past several years, is a part of their long-term strategy to train a cadre of qualified professionals.

Didactic and interactive sessions are planned over a period of 4 days. Participants will gain increased familiarity with ongoing nutrition programs and policies in India. Participants will learn about the role of nutrition epidemiology in designing evidence-based policy. Using collective experience and expertise of faculty from several leading nutrition and public health institutes, participants will apply these learned principles to promote public nutrition up the political agenda.

Who should apply?

- Representatives from government bodies engaged in policy making or functioning in close association with nutrition and health oriented national programs
- Research professionals from domains of nutrition, public health and life sciences
- Faculty members engaged as program practitioners, consultants, technical officers in above fields
- Future aspirants in nutrition policy /advocacy space may also apply.

REGISTRATION:

Deadline for Registration: **15 Oct 2024.**

Interested participants should submit their CV via email to nutricourses@gmail.com

Registration Fee for 4-Day Course: **9500 INR.**
**This covers participation in the course, course materials, tea/coffee, and lunches. It does not cover travel costs, or accommodation.*

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Minimum of 2 years of work experience is desirable.