



The National Institute of Health and Family Welfare New Delhi

(Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India)

MD Degree in Community Health Administration (CHA) 2021-24 and Diploma in Health Administration (DHA) 2021-23 affiliated to Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Delhi

The NIHFWS is an autonomous organization, under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, acts as an 'apex technical institute' as well as a 'think tank' for the promotion of health and family welfare programmes in the country.

MD (Community Health Administration) is the flagship course of the Institute. A multifaceted course, incorporating the outstanding aspects of Public Health, Community Medicine and Hospital Administration. The MD(CHA) and DHA both are MCI Approved courses. The PG Residency Schemes is as applicable to centrally funded Government Medical Colleges in the country. Residents are entitled for Rs 1,00,000/- (+) monthly stipend as per the 7th CPC Government of India. Residents are entitled about one month leaves each year as per government rules. NIHFWS also providing the opportunity to work with various divisions of MOHFW, such as Training division, EMR division, NITI Ayog, NCDC, ICMR and other prestigious Institutions as well as visiting to various states as Central Health Team member, Kayakalp team member, state government health department's Tertiary care and government hospitals.

The highlights of the MD (CHA) program includes:

- Capstone project/Thesis/Dissertation.
- Collaboration with national and international stakeholders in public health
- Exposure to administration and functioning of National Health Programmes.
- Academic lectures and weekly seminars/journal club for postgraduates.
- Conducting evaluation studies of government programme/schemes and report writing in collaboration of International Organizations.
- Hands on training of Hospital Administration at tertiary level hospitals.
- Hands on Training in Community Health Administration
- Training in scientific writing publication.
- Conducting training courses and taking sessions
- Paper presentations in conferences
- Practical exposure of Indian Healthcare Delivery System in Rural and Urban settings
- Posting at Rural Health Training Centers, Government and Corporate Hospitals, National Health Mission in States etc.
- Opportunities are also given to work with large scale Evaluation Projects in NIHFWS.

Salient features of the Institute:

- Lush sprawling green campus situated in the idyllic southern part of Delhi.

- Numerous concurrent multi-sectoral training programs.
- Multi disciplinary and highly qualified faculty.
- Scholastic lectures from world class guest speakers/faculties.
- Public health museum
- National Documentation Centre
- Computer Centre
- Hostel and mess facilities available.
- Residency Scheme of GOI (as per 7th CPC of GOI) for Residents as per 7th CPC
- Easy accessibility - Metro/Railway station/Airport

Career Paths

MD(CHA) is a three-year post graduation course approved by MCI. After the successful completion of the course, a number of exciting career paths open for the candidate including, but not limited to:

- Senior Residency in Community Medicine Departments/Hospital Administration Department.
- Senior Residency at NIHFw under consideration of government.
- Faculty positions in Community Medicine and Hospital Administration Department of Medical Colleges.
- Consultant's position for National/International Public Health Agencies (WHO, UNICEF, UNDP, JSI etc)
- Public Health Specialist in MoHFW through UPSC
- Hospital Administrator in Public/Private set-up
- Station Health Officer in Indian Armed Forces
- District Immunization Officers
- Surveillance Medical Officers

Some Success Stories

- The Alumni of MD(CHA) held senior positions in WHO, Director Health Services, Government of Delhi; Special DGHS, MoHFW; Director, NACO, OSD to Hon'ble Health Minister of Health, Government of Delhi, Additional/Deputy Commissioner of Health, MoHFW, Director, Central Bureau of Health Intelligence (CBHI), Additional Commissioner of ESI, Professor in Community Medicines of Medical Colleges,

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