

## About the Institute

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## Course Coordinating Team

Course Coordinator	: Dr. S. Ramachandra Rao
Course Co-Coordinator	: Dr. Rajesh Kumar
Course Associates	: Ms. Poonam Sharma
	Dr. Vikram Singh,
	Ms. Shikha Saini

## Course Fee

There is a course fee of Rs. 5000/- per participant as per the institute's norms. Online transfer/ DD in favour of Director, NIHFW, New Delhi will be accepted. TA/DA of the participants will be borne by sponsoring organizations. The bank details are as follows: Name of the beneficiary: Director, NIHFW, New Delhi Bank Name& Branch: SBI, NIHFW, Munirka, New Delhi Account No.: 10932790787 IFSC Code No.: SBIN0001624 Branch Code No.: 01624

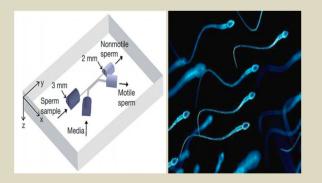
#### Accommodation

Hostel accommodation depending on the availability at nominal rates would be provided to the participants only within the institute's campus. Hostel email is **hostel@nihfw.org** and reception phone number are 011-26165959, 26166441-ext-154. Working lunch will be provided by the Institute during training period.

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Ph No. 011-26165959 Ext 331 E. mail:<u>srrao@nihfw.org</u>, Mobile: 7780161519 2<sup>nd</sup> TRAINING COURSE ON ADVANCES IN REPRODUCTIVE BIOMEDICINE TECHNIQUES FOR MEDICAL OFFICERS/FACULTY/ RESEARCHERS

August 21-25, 2023





Department of Reproductive Biomedicine The National Institute of Health & Family Welfare Baba Gangnath Marg, Munirka New Delhi-110 067 Website: www.nihfw.org

## Introduction

According to the Indian Society of Assisted Reproduction, infertility currently affects about 10 to 14 per cent of the Indian population, with higher rates in urban areas where one out of six couples is impacted. Nearly 27.5 million couples actively trying to conceive suffer from infertility in India. Assisted Reproductive Technologies (ARTs) have been developed to overcome infertility, which are particularly helpful in case of male infertility. This training course is proposed to build the capacity of healthcare providers by introducing the advances taken place in reproductive biomedicine to address the issues of infertility.

## General Objective

To impart knowledge to participants on advanced reproductive biomedicine techniques.

## Specific Objectives and course contents

1. Introduction and Importance of various advanced techniques in Reproductive Biomedicine for infertility management.

2. Real-time PCR/RT-PCR in infertility studies.

3. Role of medical officers in dealing with infertile couples visiting the healthcare facility for treatment.

4. Describe the techniques in semenology such as sperm count, motility, viability, sperm and germ cell morphology, CASA, Semen biochemistry, evaluation of cervical mucus & Post-coital test.

5. Microfluidics techniques in reproductive biomedicine and sorting of functional and motile sperm.

6. Quality assurance in healthcare/laboratory facilities.7. Biomedical Waste Management 2016 Guidelines & Amendments 2018 & 2019.

# Methodology

The course will be conducted in an offline mode. The course consists of interactive learning through:

- Lectures and discussions on important areas in the field of advanced reproductive biomedicine techniques.
- Demonstration of techniques methodologies
- Hands-on experiments
- Group- discussion

# Duration and Schedule of Training

5 days offline mode from August 21-25, 2023 from 9 AM to 5:30PM

# Number & nature of participants

Approximately 12-15 participants who are medical officers, faculty, residents, and researchers associated with reproductive health from various medical colleges, health care facilities from Governmental & private sectors across India.

### Venue

Cellular and Molecular Endocrinology Lab, Department of Reproductive Biomedicine 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Academic Block, The National Institute of Health and Family Welfare, Munirka, New Delhi-110067

## Training Outcome

The healthcare professionals, who attend the training, will gain the knowledge and rich experience on advances in reproductive biomedicine techniques to address the issues of reproductive health.

## How to apply

Application via email may be sent to <u>rbm.trg@nihfw.org</u> giving particulars of the candidates as given below: 1. Name

and 2. Address for communication including e-mail address

#### and phone/mobile number

- 3. Age and date of birth
- 4. Sex
- 5. Educational Qualifications
- 6. Present Designation and Place of work

## Last date for Receiving Nomination

#### 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2023

Participants are requested to make travel plans only on receipt of confirmation for participation from NIHFW.