

Diploma in Population Studies - DPS (through Correspondence)

The Institute has started Diploma in Population Studies (DPS) course through distance education from the academic session 2007-08. The course is meant for persons who are pursuing/ desire to take up careers in Population/Health or related areas. Admission to this course is open to Indian/ Foreign nationals. Deadline for submission of application for academic session 2012-2013 (5th Batch) is **1st August 2012**.

Eligibility criteria for admission:

Admission to this course is open to all those with a Bachelor's degree/equivalent of an acceptable standard from any Indian/ foreign university. Documented qualification is essential for enrolling in the programme.

Number of seats:

There are 100 seats available for admission to this course. However, the Institute reserves the right to decide the number of students to be enrolled in each academic session.

Selection criteria:

Selection of candidates for the course will be done by a selection committee duly constituted by the Director of the Institute. Preference will be given to candidates having experience in population, Health and /or in allied areas.

Reservation:

Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/PH candidates will be considered as per the Government of India norms.

Duration of course:

This course can be completed in a minimum period of one year, as well within a maximum period of three years. In case if candidate is not able to complete the course in a given time period, he/she can avail one year extension after paying 50 percent of the course fee. Maximum 2 times continuous extension will be given. If the candidate fails in completing all the formalities even after availing two successive extensions, he/she will not be eligible for degree and his/her registration will automatically stand cancelled.

Fee structure:

For Indian Students

Fee	Amount (INR)
Course Fee*	4000.00
Processing Fee	400.00
Contact Programme Fee	300.00
Examination Fee	300.00
Re-examination Fee	500.00
* Includes Tuition fee & cost of study materials	

For Foreign Students

Fee	Amount (US \$)
Course Fee*	1000.00
Processing Fee	25.00
Contact Programme Fee	50.00
Examination Fee	50.00
Re-examination Fee	50.00
* Includes Tuition fee & cost of study materials	

Components of the program:

Essentially there will be the following components of teaching under this programme:

Course Structure**A. Preparatory Courses**

DP-01 Basic Concepts in Mathematics, Statistics, Computers and Social Sciences

B. Main Courses

DM-01 Introduction to Population Studies
DM-02 Fertility and Nuptiality
DM-03 Mortality, Morbidity and Public Health
DM-04 Migration, Spatial Distribution and Urbanization
DM-05 Social Research Methodology
DM-06 Population Policy, Programme Management and Evaluation of Family Planning Programme
DM-07 Advanced Computer Applications
DM-08 Population Projections and Evaluation & Adjustment of Data
DM-09 Population and Development
DM-10 Gender Issues & Reproductive Health

C. Term Paper/ Area Study**D. Viva-voce**

1. Sending of self instruction course materials to the students by post: The self-instructional course materials are sent to the students in two lots by post/courier services. The materials include instructions for self study and self assessment exercises.
2. Contact programmes in the Institute: Every year contact programme of two weeks duration is organised in the Institute in the month of June/July. During the contact programme a thorough feedback on the course material sent throughout the year is given in addition to the laboratory exercises related to technical papers, computer applications and preparation of term paper/area-study.
3. Evaluation & Examinations: Examination will be held twice in a year (June and December) at the Institute. The written examination is followed by preparation of a Term paper/ Area-study and viva-voce examination. The evaluation is done by direct grading system. In order to qualify for the diploma, a student is required to obtain a total of 40 credits (written examination and assignments: 30 credits, term paper/area-study: 5 credits, viva-voce: 5 credits).

For any further information please contact:

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(Telegraphic Address: DEMOGRAPHY, Chembur, Mumbai)

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO DPS COURSE

(Through Distance Education)

Processing Fee*

Amount : US \$ 25 (Foreign)

: Rs. 400/- (Indian)

D.D. No.: _____

Issued at : _____

Date : _____

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1. Name in full : Dr./Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____
(IN BLOCK LETTERS)
2. Sex : _____ 3. Nationality : _____ 4. Marital Status : _____
5. (a) Address for correspondence: _____

(b) Permanent Address : _____
(if different from the above) _____
(c) E-mail : _____
(d) Phone Number : Off. _____ Resi. _____ Mobile _____
6. Date and Place of Birth : _____
7. Whether belong to SC/ST/OBC : _____ No/Yes (Specify) _____
(If applicable)
8. **Academic Record**
Give particulars of all the examinations and degrees obtained

Exam/Degree	Board/Institute/ University	Year of Passing	Division/Class with percentage of marks obtained	Subject(s) offered

*Non-refundable

9. Give reasons in brief as to what do you expect to gain from this programme
(Attach additional page if required)

10. Employment Record (if any)

Employer	Post held	From (Date)	To (Date)	Salary last drawn	Reasons for leaving the post

DECLARATION BY THE APPLICANT

I hereby declare that all statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place & Date: _____

Signature of the Applicant

CERTIFICATE BY THE EMPLOYER (If applicable)

This is certified that Dr./Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____ holds a post of _____ in this Dept./Office/Institution and all the statements made by him/her in this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I recommend his/her admission to the DPS programme of the Institute.

Place & Date: _____

Signature: _____

Designation : _____

Dept./Institution/Organisation: _____

(Office Seal)

Note :-

1. Applications should be sent by registered post/courier to the In-charge, Department of Extra Mural Studies, International Institute for Population Sciences, (IIPS), Govandi Station Road, Deonar, Mumbai - 400 088, India, so as to reach on or before **August 1, 2012**.
2. Completed application form and copies of transcripts attested by a Gazetted Officer or public notary should be submitted along with a processing fee of Rs.400/- (For foreign student \$ 25) through a demand draft payable to "The Director, International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai".
3. SC/ST candidates are exempted from paying the processing fee
4. Applicants who are selected for admission to the course will be informed by Registered post/E-mail.
5. **INCOMPLETE FORM WILL BE SUMMARILY REJECTED.**