

# **Prospectus for Post Basic Course of Diploma in Nursing Education and Administration (DNEA)**

## **Diploma In Nursing Education and administration (DNEA)**

The 10 months course is conducted for nurses who have undergone Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery (or) B.Sc. Nursing, to enable them to function as Nursing Tutors / Supervisors in Community Health Field / Hospital set-up.

The Course curriculum was developed by the Nursing Education Committee of the India Nursing Council and was recommended for adoption in the country during 1987.

### **Course Objectives :**

As stated by the Indian Nursing Council this integrated Post Basic Diploma Course was evolved to update registered and qualified nurses as competent nurse teachers as well as Senior/Middle Level Nurse Manager in Health Care set-ups at Community/Hospital

### **Institutional Set-up for the Course at GIRH&FWT, Gandhigram:**

The Course is conducted at the Regional Health Teachers Training institute (RHTTI), Gandhigram which is one among the six such centres in the country established by the Government of India in 1979 under the Rural Health Division of the Directorate General Health Services, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

As per the specific recommendations of the Indian Nursing Council, formal approval was obtained from the concerned authorities to adopt the Diploma Nursing Education and Administration curriculum in lieu of the Diploma Course in Public Health Nursing, from the academic year 2000-2001, to conform to the all India pattern.

### **Main Features of the Curriculum :**

In accordance with the norms of the Tamil Nadu Nurses and Midwives Council, the Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Government of Tamil Nadu is the Chairman Board of Studies and Board of Examination for the Course. Qualifying certificates are issued by the Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Government of Tamil Nadu.

The 10 months course is conducted in two semesters of five months each.

### **The first Semesters is detailed for:**

- Applied Science in Nursing and allied health science
- Reproductive Health Care & Nutrition in Health Disease
- Comprehensive & Community Health Care

### The Second Semester offers elective for:

- Institutional Nursing Care & Administration Vs Community Health Nursing & Administration (Elective)
- Teaching, Research and Statistics
- Nursing Administration

Well Planned and closely monitored learning experiences are provided in class room, Hospital and Community Health setting by qualified and experienced faculty. Government Board Examination is conducted at the end of each Semester in December and may respectively, by the Directorate of Public Health and preventive Medicine, Chennai.

### Eligibility for the Course:

- Diploma in General Nursing & Midwifery / B.Sc. Degree in Nursing from a recognized Institution.
- Registration with the respective State Nursing Council.
- Minimum one year of experience in Hospital/Community Health set-up

### Scope:

On successful course completion the candidates are eligible to function as :

- Nursing Tutors/Clinical Instructress in Health Worker Schools, Nursing Schools and Colleges.
- Public Health Nurses / Public Health Nurse Instructress in Health Care settings and institutions for in-service education. (Elective-Community Health).
- Nurse Supervisors in Hospitals / Health Institutions (Elective-Hospital Administration)

### Course Expenses :

<b>Course Fee</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>Rs. 7,000</b>
<b>Establishment including Library</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>Rs. 4,000</b>
<b>Transport</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>Rs. 2,500</b>
<b>Examination Fees</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>Rs. 500</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>Rs. 14,000</b>

Boarding lodging-approximately Rs.1,000/- per month. (A refundable amount of Rs.1,500/- is to be remitted as mess advance).

### Stipend:

Candidate who are undergoing the course without pay and allowances are eligible for a Government of India stipend of Rs.400/- per month