



NIMHANS Digital Academy

CERTIFICATE COURSE IN PRIMARY MENTAL HEALTH CARE FOR MBBS MEDICAL OFFICERS

Department	Community Psychiatry, Department of Psychiatry
The minimum requirement for admission	MBBS degree from any recognized University
No. of Seats	50 seats per batch
Duration of the Course	3 months (14 hours of online training + 16 hours of onsite training)
Commencement of Course	This course will commence on request from the respective State Governments
Fees	There is no fee for the trainee. This course is currently being offered only on request from the state government and is being run only for MBBS doctors. The training costs are being absorbed by the sponsoring Govt
Brief Description of the Course	This program is a mentoring course for MBBS doctors. The syllabus encompasses information pertaining to the diagnosis, treatment and follow-up of common mental disorders prevalent in the primary care setup. The course will consist of didactic presentations, case-based learning and collaborative video consultations. There is also a component of continued long-term support for difficult cases post-completion of the course.
Course Coordinator & Contact details	Dr C Naveen Kumar
Faculty	Dr. C Naveen Kumar Dr. N. Manjunatha Dr. Suresh Bada Math
How to apply?	Once the advertisement is out, the application will be available online on the website.
Selection process	After the expression of interest is filled, the institution will review the application and those who have fulfilled the criteria will be sent a link for the payment.