



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATI RAJ
(Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India)
Rajendranagar, Hyderabad – 500 030



Admission Notification for Distance Mode Programme Post Graduate Diploma in Tribal Development Management (PGDTDM) Batch-15 (2026-27)



About the Institute

National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR) is a premier national institution under the Ministry of Rural Development, dedicated to advancing rural development through capacity building, research, training, teaching, and consultancy. As a “think tank” for the Ministry, it supports policy formulation, offers knowledge-based solutions, and serves as a repository of expertise. Its contributions are recognized both nationally and internationally.

Programme Overview

NIRDPR is commencing its 15th batch 18-month PG Diploma in Tribal Development Management Programme in Distance Mode from August 2025. The Programme is approved by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE). The Programme will be offered through three semesters as stated below.

How to Apply:

- Download the brochure and apply online: www.nirdpr.org.in
- Application Fee: Rs. 500/- (Gen/OBC/EWS), Rs. 300/- (SC/ST/PH)
- Upload: Attested certificates with the application
- Last Date: 31st July 2026

Programme Objectives

To prepare competent rural development professionals who will be well equipped with:

- Concepts, approaches and opportunities of Tribal development
- Knowledge about the human and natural / non-natural resources and their sustainable use
- Knowledge about policies and programmes of the central and state governments pertaining to rural development
- Best practices in institutional arrangements for Tribal development in developing countries
- High skills to develop and implement projects for the application of tribal concepts to accelerate rural development efforts in India and other developing countries.



Eligibility :

Bachelor's degree from a UGC-recognised university



Fees:

General/OBC/EWS: Rs. 18,200/- ; SC/ST/PWD: Rs. 16,400/-
(Payable in 2 instalments)



Batch 15 (2026-27) | Distance Mode | Duration: 18 Months

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