PG Diploma Course in Disaster Preparedness and Rehabilitation (PGDP&R) started in September 2006.

The course aim to provide education in principles, procedure and practices of disaster preparedness and rehabilitation cycle within an integral context to aim at reduction and mitigation action to reduce disaster risk as well as improve delivery of post disaster assistance to promote effective response, recovery and rehabilitation. The PG diploma course is affiliated to Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha (DDSIP) University, Delhi. The affiliation has been granted after a through scrutiny of facilities and ensuring availability of necessary pre-requisites to start such a course which includes availability of well qualified faculty and teaching facilities.

AIMS & OBJECTIVES

The aim of the course is to provide weekend postgraduate education in the principles, procedures and practices of Disaster Preparedness & Rehabilitation cycle within an integral context to aim at reduction and mitigation action to reduce disaster risk as well as improve the delivery of post disaster assistance to promote effective recovery and rehabilitation.

The other objectives are

- To provide experienced practitioners in appropriate field
- To enhance career opportunities while in service, through a period of academic study without disrupting the services.
- To provide opportunities for professionals to obtain specialized qualification which has recognition in a global perspective.
- To provide a platform for professionals to build up the capacity for training of trainers.
- To develop liaison with Government, NGO, corporate sector and international agencies for synergies in disaster mitigation, preparedness and rehabilitation programme.

QUALITY STANDARD AND CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT

IRCS in its pursuit for excellence has maintained very high standards.
ORGANIZATIONAL SETUP

The President of India is the President of Indian Red Cross society and the Union Minister for Health and Family Welfare is the Chairman of the Indian Red Cross Society.

ORGANOGRAM

PRESIDENT
(Hon'ble President of India)

Chairman
(Nomination by President)

National Managing Body (18 members)
6 nominated by the President
-12 elected from the branches

Hony. Legal Advisor
(appointed by the Managing Body)

Hony. Treasurer
(appointed by the Managing body with the previous approval of the President)

Secretary General
(Chief Executive)
(appointed by Managing Body with the previous approval by the President)

Deputy Secretary/ Director/ OSD
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