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National Action Plan for Skill Development of Persons with Disabilities (NAP-SDP)

Persons with disabilities can join free skill training in NSQF courses run by empanelled training partners of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, with a personal assistive aid payment through DBT.

What you may get

Skill training in short term or long term NCVET approved courses at centres of empanelled training partners, assessed and certified by the Sector Skill Council for Persons with Disabilities. A trainee also receives Rs 5,000 as help for personal assistive aids through DBT, in two parts: Rs 1,000 when the first instalment is released to the centre and Rs 4,000 at the second instalment, along with conveyance cost where allowed.

Who it is for

Indian citizens with 40 percent or more disability, aged 15 to 59 years on the day the course begins, who hold a UDID card or UDID enrolment number.

Main conditions

- The trainee is a citizen of India with not less than 40 percent disability.
- The trainee has a UDID card number or a UDID enrolment number with a disability certificate, and an Aadhaar number or Aadhaar enrolment number.
- Age is between 15 and 59 years on the date the course starts.
- The trainee has not done another skill course under this scheme in the year before the last date of application for the course.
- The course must be an NCVET approved course, and the age, qualification and disability type allowed for that course apply.

Documents

- UDID card number or UDID enrolment number with disability certificate
- Aadhaar number or Aadhaar enrolment number

How to apply

1. Create your profile on the PM-DAKSH-DEPwD portal of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities.
2. Choose a validated centre and course of an empanelled training partner and enrol yourself at that centre through the portal.
3. Training starts once the allotted number of trainees is complete and the batch is approved. Attendance is marked through biometric and Aadhaar enabled attendance.
4. Appear for the assessment after the training. Failed or absent candidates can appear again for reassessment.

Status

Active

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