

ICAR-NBFGR organised a School on Aquatic Animal Epidemiology

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A School on Aquatic Animal Epidemiology was organised from October 6-10, 2025, involving the resource person, Professor Kenton L. Morgan, Emeritus Professor of Epidemiology, University of Liverpool, United Kingdom, at the ICAR-National Bureau of Fish Genetic Resources, Lucknow. The training was organised under the National Surveillance Programme for Aquatic Animal Diseases (NSPAAD), funded by the Department of Fisheries, MoFAHD, Government of India. The NSPAAD is coordinated by Dr. J. K. Jena, DDG (Fisheries Science), ICAR, New Delhi and Dr. Kajal Chakraborty, Director, ICAR-NBFGR, is the Co-coordinator of the programme. The training was attended by 20 participants from 10 organisations/institutes, including ICAR Fisheries Research Institutes, Central Agricultural Universities, Colleges of Fisheries, and State Fisheries Departments. The major topics covered in the School on Aquatic Animal Epidemiology included: Concept and principles of epidemiology; Use of epidemiological principles in the design and implementation of surveillance; Sampling considerations for surveillance; Population survey; Estimation of the sensitivity and specificity of diagnostic tests; and Questionnaire design, etc. The training helped strengthen the knowledge of academicians and young researchers in aquatic animal epidemiology.



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