



GOVERNMENT OF KERALAM, DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY
STATE INSTITUTE FOR ANIMAL DISEASES

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**NOTICE INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR PAID INTERNSHIP
PROGRAMME FOR THE YEAR 2026–27**

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for admission to the Paid Internship / Apprenticeship Training Programme conducted at the State Institute for Animal Diseases (SIAD), Palode for the year 2026–27.

The programme is conducted in accordance with the provisions of Government Order G.O.(Rt) No.29/2023/AHD dated 18.01.2023.

The training programme shall include theoretical instruction, supervised practical training and hands-on operational exposure.

Courses and Admission

The specialised practical and research-oriented internship courses sanctioned for the year 2026–27 at SIAD, Palode is given as Annexure-1 along with this notification, indicating the eligibility criteria, duration, course fee and sanctioned intake for each course.

Candidates may apply for courses for which they satisfy the prescribed eligibility criteria, subject to availability of seats.

The number of trainees admitted to each batch shall be strictly limited, to ensure effective supervision and intensive practical training.

Submission of Applications

Interested and eligible candidates may download the prescribed application form Annexure-2 from the official website of the Animal Husbandry Department, Government of Keralam: <https://ahd.kerala.gov.in/>

Duly filled-in applications shall be submitted by e-mail to cdio.ahd@kerala.gov.in along with self-attested copies of the following

documents: Academic mark sheets, Degree/Diploma certificate, as applicable, Valid identity proof and Any other documents prescribed for the course applied for. The subject line of the e-mail shall invariably be “Application for Paid Internship Training- 2026-27”

Important Timelines

Event / Activity	Date
Notification	September 10, 2026
Last Date for Receipt of Duly Filled Applications by E-mail	September 22, 2026
Publication of Selection List (AHD Website & SIAD Notice Board)	September 28, 2026
Tentative Commencement of Internship & Orientation	October 01, 2026

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Chief Disease Investigation Officer

Annexure -1

Sl	Course Title	Seats /Batch	Duration	Total Fee	Commencement of batch	Qualification
1	Advanced Laboratory Techniques	3	6 Months	₹ 10,000/-	Oct 26	BVSc & AH, MVSc, MSc (Biotechnology / Microbiology/ Biochemistry / Zoology), BSc MLT, MSc MLT, or DMLT
2	Bio-safety Procedures in Laboratories	2	3 Months	₹ 5,000/-	Oct 26	BVSc & AH, MBBS, MSc Microbiology, MSc Biotechnology, or MSc MLT
3	Molecular Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases by PCR	2	6 Months	₹ 10,000/-	Oct 26	BVSc, MVSc, MSc (Biotechnology / Microbiology / Biochemistry / Zoology), BSc MLT, MSc MLT, or DMLT
4	Immuno Diagnostic Procedures	3	3 Months	₹ 5,000/-	Dec 26	BVSc & AH, MSc Microbiology, MSc Biotechnology, or MSc MLT
5	Analytical Methods in Toxicology	2	3 Months	₹ 5,000/-	Oct 26	Sanctioned under SIAD / RDDDL Palode (<i>Follows standard laboratory/veterinary entry qualifications</i>)
6	Isolation & Identification of Bacterial Pathogens	2	6 Months	₹ 10,000/-	Oct 26	BVSc & AH, BSc Microbiology, MSc Microbiology, or MSc MLT
7	Laboratory Procedure in Helminthology & Protozoology	2	1 Month	₹ 3,000/-	Oct 26	Diploma in Laboratory Techniques (KVASU); BSc MLT or DMLT with experience in veterinary institutions; or BVSc & AH / higher veterinary degree
8	Basic Procedures for Primary Cell Culture	2	3 Months	₹ 10,000/-	Oct 26	BVSc, MVSc, MSc (Biotechnology / Microbiology / Biochemistry / Zoology)
9	Histopathology Techniques	2	3 Months	₹ 5,000/-	Nov 26	BVSc & AH, MVSc, BSc MLT, MSc MLT, or DMLT
10	Rabies Diagnosis Techniques	2	3 Months	₹ 5,000/-	Nov 26	BVSc & AH or MBBS

General Conditions

Admission shall be subject to fulfilment of the prescribed eligibility criteria and availability of seats.

The Head of the Institution shall have the authority to regulate the training programme, allot trainees to appropriate sections, modify the training schedule where necessary and issue instructions required for the smooth conduct of the programme.

Trainees shall abide by all rules, regulations, instructions and safety protocols in force at SIAD, Palode during the period of training.

The Institute reserves the right to discontinue the training of a trainee for violation of institutional rules, safety protocols, professional conduct requirements or other conditions of the programme, subject to applicable rules and orders.

Matters not specifically covered in this notification shall be governed by the relevant Government Orders, departmental instructions and decisions of the Chief Disease Investigation Officer from time to time.

The decision of the Chief Disease Investigation Officer regarding admission, training, assessment and course completion shall be final, subject to the applicable rules and orders.



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**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO PAID
INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME (2026-27)**

Annexure 2

Full Name of Candidate	
Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Gender (M/F/TG)	
Father's / Guardian's Name	
Permanent Address	
	PIN
Address for Communication (Leave blank if same as permanent)	
	PIN
Mobile / Contact No	
E-mail Address	

EDUCATIONAL & PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Sl	Examination / Degree	Board / University	Year of Passing	Marks % / OGPA
1	Secondary (SSLC / CBSE)			
2	Higher Secondary (HSC / VHSE)			
3	Graduation			
4	Post-Graduation			
5	Other Technical Qualification			

SELECTION OF INTERNSHIP COURSE

Please select up to three (3) courses from the list below in order of your preference. Write '1' for your first preference, '2' for your second preference, and '3' for your third preference in the 'Preference' column.

Preference	Course Title
[]	Advanced Laboratory Techniques (6M)
[]	Bio-safety Procedures in Laboratories (3M)
[]	Molecular Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases by PCR (6M)
[]	Immuno Diagnostic Procedures (3M)
[]	Analytical Methods in Toxicology (3M)
[]	Isolation & Identification of Bacterial Pathogens (6M)
[]	Laboratory Procedure in Helminthology & Protozoology (1M)
[]	Basic Procedures for Primary Cell Culture (3M)
[]	Histopathology Techniques (3M)
[]	Rabies Diagnosis Techniques (3M)

Declaration Statutory Terms Of Undertaking

I hereby declare that all the information furnished above is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that the internship course fee is strictly non-refundable. I agree to comply with all laboratory Bio-Security, Infection Control, and Good Laboratory Practices during my training at SIAD Palode. I understand that this is a professional upskilling programme and does not guarantee or provide any preference for public sector or government employment. I also agree to execute a legal undertaking on Rs. 200/- worth non-judicial stamp paper prior to the commencement of the internship training course.

Place: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant

Enclosures

Required Supporting Documents (Enclose Self-Attested Photocopies):

- [] Proof of Age (SSLC / Birth Certificate)
- [] Degree or Provisional Certificate (Graduation / PG)
- [] Consolidated Mark List of qualifying examination
- [] Any Other documents (as applicable)
- [] Copy of Identity Proof (Aadhar Card/Voter ID/Driving License/Passport)