

ADVANCED TRAINING

REUSE OF TREATED WATER

Preparation of State and City-level Action Plans

Dates: **March 11-13, 2026** | Last Date to Apply: **27th February 2026**

Languages of instruction: **English and Hindi**

Venue: **Anil Agarwal Environment Training Institute (AAETI), Nimli, Rajasthan**

With 16 per cent of the world’s population and a mere 4 per cent of its freshwater resources, India’s water worries are not going away anytime soon – unless the country takes recourse to innovative, sustainable and practical solutions, such as reusing treated wastewater, especially for addressing non-potable water needs. According to the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), only 28 per cent of the sewage generated in the country (amounting to a humungous 20,236 million litre every day) is being treated: this points to the immense potential for reuse, which can significantly reduce our dependence on groundwater.

The Union Ministry of Jal Shakti has already laid out a national framework for ‘Safe Reuse of Treated Water’, mandating cities to recycle and reuse across multiple points within the urban fabric. However, with only some states having formulated policies and action plans to align with this framework, there exists an opportunity to address the gap and offer support to states and cities for building robust reuse systems.

Centre for Science and Environment (CSE) invites applications for its advanced training programme which is aimed at instructing state and local authorities on how to prepare action plans for reuse of treated water. This training will draw from CSE’s two recent publications on the subject: Planning for Reuse of Treated Wastewater at the State Level and City-level Template on Safe Reuse of Treated Water.

NOTE: Participants will receive a certificate upon successful completion of the training.

WHAT DOES THE TRAINING PROGRAMME OFFER?

- Holistic understanding of reuse of treated water in urban sustainability and climate resilience.
- In-depth insights into regulatory frameworks, national policies, and compliance mechanisms.
- Sector-specific reuse planning for agriculture, industry, landscaping, and construction.
- Technical inputs on water quality standards, treatment efficiency, and monitoring protocols.
- How to prepare state level and city level reuse of treated water action plans
- Best practices and case studies from India and abroad.

TRAINING METHODOLOGY

The training, imparted in English and Hindi, will include individual/group interactions, practical exercises, and interactions with experts, class discussions, case study/documentary films and a field visit.

WHO WILL BENEFIT

Officials from SBM 2.0, AMRUT 2.0, NMCs, and urban/state-level training institutions, government officers involved in planning, implementing, or monitoring wastewater projects, urban planners, engineers, consultants, and sector professionals

TRAINING FEES

Rs. 30,000

(Single Occupancy Accommodation)

Rs. 28,000

(Double Occupancy Accommodation)

Training fees include accommodation, food, training material, field visit and travel from CSE's main office at Tughlakabad Institutional Area to the training centre and back.

LIMITED FULL AND PART FELLOWSHIPS AVAILABLE!

- Full Fellowship includes travel, boarding & lodging costs and training kit & fees costs. Double occupancy accommodation and group pick-up & drop for local travel from pre-defined locations in Delhi.
- Part Fellowship doesn't include to & fro Delhi travel (from your respective location) costs but covers full boarding & lodging costs and training kit & fees. Double occupancy accommodation and group pick-up & drop for local travel from pre-defined locations in Delhi.

FEMALE PARTICIPANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY AND GIVEN PREFERENCE IN FULL / PART FELLOWSHIPS.

Note: Only shortlisted candidates will be informed"

FOR MORE DETAILS, PLEASE CONTACT

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