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Training Programme on Cultivation of Medicinal Plants at Dodra, Rohru: A Report

A one day training program on nursery techniques, cultivation and conservation of medicinal plants was organized by ICFRE-HFRI Shimla at Dodra, Rohru on 29th August, 2025. Fifty women participants of common interest group and NGO cluster formed for medicinal plants cultivation, JICA cluster, Dodra and members of *mahila mandal* attended the program. At the outset Dr. Joginder Singh Chauhan welcomed Director-incharge, HFRI and all training participants and briefed about the objectives of training program and also about HFRI Shimla. Dr. Vaneet Jishtu, Head Extension applying simple communication skills provided information on local medicinal plants for cultivation, their threats and conservation. He stressed that cultivation of medicinal plants is an important measure of conservation. He displayed important medicinal plants on screen for better reception. Dr. Ankush, talked about medicinal plants of Dodra region and their medicinal uses. Dr. Ashwani Tapwal, Scientist F made a detailed presentation on bio-fertilizer and bio-fungicides for organic cultivation of medicinal plants. He also distributed VAM fertilizer among the participants and explained its importance, process of preparing it and procedure to use these bio-fertilizers. Dr. Sandeep Sharma, Director-incharge discussed about nursery techniques of Kadu, Nihani, Chora and Bankkakdi. All the queries of participants were satisfied through expert opinion. Session ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Joginder Chauhan. After technical session, practical demonstration on raising, maintain and harvesting of karoo was given and resolved the queries of the farmers in the field.




