

DBT sets up a national genomics core to support academia, clinics and industry



New Delhi, July 03: The Department of Biotechnology (DBT) in the Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India, has established a National Genomics Core (NGC) with its hub in National Institute of Biomedical Genomics (NIBMG), Kalyani, and centres in Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics (CDFD), Hyderabad, and University of Allahabad. NGC provides consultancy and services to academia, clinics and the industry using high-throughput sequencers and high-density microarrays in human-, bacterial- and meta-genomics. It is committed to provide affordable services in high-quality data generation and computational & statistical data analysis and is constantly expanding its repertoire of service platforms. NIBMG has started providing genomic core services and CDFD will also soon start its activities.

As part of the first step, the central core at NIBMG is already announcing service solutions to the interested clients via its communication channel, coteri@nibmg.ac.in. Researchers are encouraged to utilize National Genomic Core facilities such as high-quality data generation and computational & statistical data analysis etc. for their research and development activities.

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