

Sri Madhusudan Sai Institute of Medical Sciences and Research

("SMSIMSR")

SRI SATHYA SAI GRAMA, MUDDENAHALLI, CHIKKABALLAPUR DISTRICT - 562101, KARNATAKA

PROSPECTUS

ESTABLISHED IN 2023 BY

SRI SATHYA SAI UNIVERSITY FOR HUMAN EXCELLENCE ("SSSUHE")

NAVANIHAL, OKALI POST, KAMALAPUR,

KALABURAGI, 585313, KARNATAKA

5. Institutional Distinctiveness

SMSIMSR is a distinct one-of-its-kind Institution in the world, as it not only provides medical education and other worldly knowledge termed as apara vidya, but it also teaches both para vidya (spiritual knowledge) which is the need-of-the-hour in this world driven by commerce. It is an absolute amalgamation of spiritual vedantic knowledge of the East and the state-of-the-art technological advancements of the West. Thus, the Institutional distinctiveness is exhibited in the following ways:

- a. Reviving the ancient traditional 'gurukulam system' of values-based medical education.
- b. Mastering the highest ancient wisdom, "May I be liberated from death, so that I am not separated from the perception of immortality" by process of transformation.
- c. Standing by the philosophy of self-realisation.

Reviving the ancient traditional 'gurukulam system' of values-based medical education

If we look back at our great Indian tradition, health, education, and nutrition were never commercialised and were always provided to the whole community. In these lines, by providing courses in MBBS, postgraduate, nursing and allied health sciences, our Institution aims to revive the ancient traditional system of values-based medical education. Further, akin to the ancient 'gurukulam system', courses are offered in a compulsory residential setup which is needed for integrated growth of the pupil. Our Institution will therefore serve to:

- $\bullet \ \, \text{Avoid exuberantly high, out-of-pocket expenditure incurred by medical students}. \\$
- Address the issue of urban-rural divide of the medical fraternity.
- Instil an essence of culture and values amongst medical students.

Mastering the highest ancient wisdom, "May I be liberated from death, so that I am not separated from the perception of immortality" through a process of transformation

This wisdom of "I am **not** separated **from** the perception of **immortality"** (immortal essence pervading everywhere) is embedded in the logo of the Institution, with the purpose that this message of ancient wisdom is shared amongst our students, staff, faculty, and patients. To be ready to receive this highest wisdom, a process of transformation of self and others is paramount.

For each of the patients that we **treat** in our Institution, both patients and staff shall have a sense of **gratitude**. With gratitude, a sense of **devotion**, not towards any particular God or religion, but devotion towards their own divine Self. From this devotion shall arise a sense of **transformation** to be better human beings capable of spreading the divine message, "Love all and Serve all" and instill a sense of love and compassion in all.

Standing by the philosophy of Self-Realisation

"Self-realisation is shedding away the intricate layers of one's own personality to understand the absolute true nature of reality". Our institution sees patients as Divine and not less than God.

Thus, realisation that we are all Divine and, "to treat the Divine by being Divine", is the most distinctive feature of our Institution. This path of self-realisation by the way of selfless absolutely health care and medical education will help students to live a life with the awareness that we are Divine and all are Divine.

8. Procedure for Admissions for MBBS

Procedure for application, counselling and admission for the MBBS course at SMSIMSR. Muddenahalli, Chikkaballapura for Academic Year 2023-2024

- a. SMSIMSR is a Medical college in Karnataka established to train healthcare personnel committed to serve with integrity and compassion, especially the medically underserved in India.
- b. SMSIMSR is part of the Sri Sathya Sai University for Human Excellence and Permitted by the NMC.
- c. As per the Government of India policy, counselling for admission to the MBBS Course in SMSIMSR for the academic year 2023-2024 will be conducted by the Karnataka Examination Authority (KEA).
- d. For information on registration, verification of documents and other counselling formalities, kindly refer to the KEA website (http://kea.kar.nic.in).
- e. In keeping with the mission of the Institute to train healthcare personnel to serve in the medically underserved areas of the Country, all MBBS candidates to SMSIMSR are required, as a condition for admission, to execute a social obligation service Affidavit to serve for FIVE years in one of the designated hospitals or health centres in a medically underserved area of the Country. Those who fail to fulfill the obligation service commitment will have to pay the penalty stipulated by the Governing Board.
- f. Admissions to SMSIMSR are subject to the regulations and statutory enactments of the University, NMC and the Central and the State Governments.

9. Eligibility Criteria for MBBS

- a. Candidate must have completed 17 years of age on or before 31 December of the year $\,$ of admission to the MBBS Course.
- b. Candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/ Biotechnology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology / Bio-technology, taken together, at the final examination of the Pre-University Course or its equivalent. In respect to candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or Other Backward Classes, the minimum marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Bio-technology, taken together, in the qualifying examination shall be 40% instead of 50%.
- c. Candidate must have appeared in the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test UG 2023 (NEET UG - 2023) and qualified for admission to the MBBS course as per the criteria laid down by the Government of India.
- d. If any of the certificates or information provided at the time of admission is subsequently found to be false, the allotted seat is liable to be cancelled.



10. Compulsory Program

All admitted students including that of Government seats, private (payment) seats as per Karnataka Professional Education Act, NRI candidates, and Management candidates shall execute an undertaking in favour of the University to the effect that:

- (i) The student will abide by the rules and regulations of the University including hostel regulations, published by the University administration from time to time.
- (ii) All students who have taken admission in the university have to compulsorily serve in any of the free hospitals established by or registered with the University or allied trusts, institutions or foundations of the sponsoring body in rural areas or medically underserved areas as may be posted or transferred by the university at its complete discretion in total for such period equal to such number of years the course student has studied in the University. For MBBS medical course, it will be five years of compulsory service. During their service, the university will pay the salary as per its norms and regulations.
- (iii) After completion of UG course and during the compulsory service period, if any candidate secures a PG seat in the same university (SSSUHE), he/she shall be allowed to complete the PG course with Zero fees. Further he/she will be paid a stipend as prescribed. He/she shall serve extra period equal to such number of years of the duration of PG course along with the remaining period of compulsory service of UG course.
- (iv) Further, if any candidate secures a PG seat in other university / college, he/she will be allowed to pursue the PG course. But, after the completion of the PG course either in the same university (SSSUHE) or other university / college, the candidate shall complete the remaining period of compulsory service in any of the free hospitals established by or registered with the University or allied trusts, institutions or foundations of the sponsoring body.

- Further, the candidate who secures a PG seat shall complete the prescribed compulsory service within 10 (ten) years of the completion of the UG course.
- (vi) A student failing to comply with the required compulsory service in the hospitals registered with the University or allied trusts, shall be liable to pay a penalty of double the fees in case of the UG medical course, as determined by the University for a NRI UG medical candidate seat, and in case of a candidate who secures a PG course seat in SSSUHE, he / she shall pay four times the fees fixed for the NRI PG candidate of that year.
- (Vii) In case, the student discontinues or is terminated from the courses for non-compliance of rules and regulations of the University, the student shall be liable to pay the fee of entire course fixed for NRI candidate of respective courses, including the hostel fee.
- (Viii) The penalty fees, determined by the University, shall be paid within six weeks from the date of issue of the letter from the University, failing which twelve percent (12%) interest shall be levied from the date of non-payment.

11. Seat Matrix for MBBS

- (a) Admission. Admission to MBBS course in the University shall be based on the ranking obtained by the students in the NEET examination.
- (b) Reservation of seats. Seats in medical courses shall be reserved in the University in following proportion, namely: -

Summary of Seat Matrix of 50 Seats with percentage

Sr No	Category	Seat Percentage	Number of Seats
1	Government quota seats	40%	20
2	Private (Payment) Seat	40%	20
3	NRI	15%	7
4	Management seat	5%	3

12. Document Requirement

Original Documents listed below AND a set of photocopies are to be submitted to the Academic Section during Admission

Sr. No	Documents / Particulars	
1	Allotment Order	(Original & Xerox)
2	Class X / SSLC Marks Sheet	(Original & Xerox)
3	Class XI Mark Sheet	(Original & Xerox)
4	Class XII / HSC Mark Sheet	(Original & Xerox)
5	NEET - UG 2023 Admit Card	(Original & Xerox)
6	NEET - UG 2023 Score Card	(Original & Xerox)
7	Transfer Certificate	(Original & Xerox)
8	Nativity Certificate	(Original & Xerox)
9	Permanent Community Certificate	(Original & Xerox)
10	Income Certificate (if applicable)	(Original & Xerox)
11	Physical Fitness Certificate	(Original & Xerox)
12	Affidavit & Undertaking (Notary)	(Original & Xerox)
13	Certificate of Physical Handicap (If Applicable)	(Original & Xerox)
14	COVID -19 Vaccination Certificate	(Original & Xerox)

SMSIMSR reserves the right to request any other additional documents which may be required.

Format of Affidavit undertaking to serve in medically underserved areas in the Country for FIVE years after graduation. (To be submitted at the time of KEA Document Verification)

UNDERTAKING TO DO SERVICE IN MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED AREAS Sri Sathya Sai University for Human Excellence

Form-A

COURSE DISCOUNTINUATION/TERMINATION or COMPULSORY SERVICE UNDERTAKING

(Undertaking for All, General and Foreign / NRI Seats)

(To be Submitted on a Rs. 200 Stamp paper purchased In Karnataka)

I, Dr/Mr/Ms, aged about,
years,
S/D of, resident of
do hereby swear on oath as follows:
I, have been selected to the 1st year(MBBS/MD/MS) course at Sri Madhusudar Sai Institute of Medical Sciences and Research (SMIMSR), Muddenahalli, Chikkaballapura Distric affiliated to Sri Sathya Sai University for Human Excellence (SSSUHE), Navanihala, Kamalapura Taluq Kalaburagi District through the NEET Common Counselling based on my NEET Rank No
I, swear that on my own will and of my parents/guardian, took admission to the
SSSTIFE

I hereby undertake that I will serve in the hospitals established or registered with the SSSUHE or sister concerns of the trust in rural and medically underserved areas for period of five years after the completion of MBBS, three years after the completion of MD/MS course or such number of years of the course I have studied in the SMSIMSR as the case may be, as per the policy of the SSSUHE in addition to Government compulsory rural service.

I agree with full knowledge and follow the discipline, code of conduct and responsibility in the classroom, in the Hospital and in the Hostel. I shall obey the rules of dress code of the University and its hostel all the time.

I and my parents hereby undertake that we are jointly responsible to pay double the NRI quota fee payable pertaining to MBBS course and four times of the NRI quota fee payable in case of MD/MS course, if I fail to complete the compulsory service as prescribed by SSSUHE in the hospitals established or registered with the University or sister concerns of the trust as stated above. In the case of the MBBS course the said amount is quantified at **Rs 3.6 Crore plus hostel fees** incurred and these shall not be disputed by us.

In the event of my discontinuation of (MBBS/MD/MS) course due to any reason I also along with my parent/guardian hereby undertake to pay tuition and other fees in accordance with the NRI quota fee to SSSUHE. Such tuition and other fees are payable for the entire course without any demur. In the case of the MBBS course the said amount is quantified at Rs 1.8 Crore plus hostel fees incurred and these shall not be disputed by us.

I also understand that the original documents submitted to the KEA / SMSIMSR / SSSUHE at the time of admission, will be returned to me only after the payment of above said amount.

What is stated above, and all information submitted to the University are true and correct. I along with my parent/guardian do hereby undertake that we will abide by the above conditions, rules, regulations, discipline and undertake that we do not dispute on these aspects in any court of law. This day of

....., Karnataka State.

Signature of the Candidate

Signature of the Parent/ Guardian

By order of the University

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are CAUTIONED not to be lured by any person offering admission to any of the courses conducted by SMSIMSR. The college will not be responsible for any candidates or parents dealing with such person / persons. Civil and criminal court proceedings will be taken up against any person who holds out promises and also uses the institutions intellectual properties.

PLEASE NOTE: WE DO NOT ADMIT STUDENTS THROUGH AGENTS OR AGENCIES.

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AFFIDAVIT FORM-B

Undertaking for Medical service in the university Sri Sathya Sai University for Human Excellence

S/o or D/o
(Father Name)
(Mother Name)
residing at
hereby declare as follows –

And my parents with full mind read and understand the Rules, Regulations prescribed by the University –

I and my parents are grateful and obedient to the University for providing free Education and free Accommodation including free food.

I follow and obey all the terms and conditions of the University including compulsory service without iota of deviation of the rules and regulations of the University and College.

I agree with full knowledge and follow the discipline, code of conduct and responsibility in the classroom, in the Hospital and in the Hostel. I shall obey the rules of dress code of the University and its hostel all the time.

I will attend all the classes including the Practical classes, seminars and other academic activities notified / prescribed by the University.

What is stated above is True and correct and further we hereby undertake to act accordingly.

Signature of the Candidate

Signature of the Parent/Guardian

By order of the University

13. Student Programmes

All undergraduate medical students are assigned to a faculty mentor. The mentorship program provides emotional support and serves as an anchor in times of need.

Hostel Warden - hostel wardens add yet another layer of emotional support and mentorship to students in need of help.

As part of Academic Excellence, the Medical College will conduct a variety of programs and activities for students to enhance their learning and personal growth. Some of the common programs and activities which will be conducted by our college for students are:

Clinical rotations: Students will have the opportunity to participate in clinical rotations in different specialties to gain practical experience and exposure to different medical conditions, starting from their first year.

Research opportunities: SMSIMSR will provide research opportunities for students to work on projects related to clinical or basic science research.

Community service: Students will have the opportunity to participate in community service activities to develop their leadership skills and social responsibility.

Workshops and seminars: SMSIMSR will conduct workshops and seminars on various topics related to medicine, healthcare, and personal growth.

Conferences: Students will have the opportunity to attend conferences and symposiums to learn about the latest developments in the field of medicine.

Medical camps: SMSIMRS will organise medical camps in rural areas to provide healthcare services to underserved communities.

Sports and cultural events: SMSIMSR will conduct sports and cultural events to promote physical fitness and social interaction among students.

Student organizations: SMSIMSR will have various student organizations, such as student councils, interest groups, and clubs, which provide opportunities for students to pursue their interests and develop leadership skills.

14. Campus Discipline

Professional year commences with induction through the Foundation Course by the 1st August of each year. There shall be no admission of students in respect of any academic session beyond 30th August under any circumstance.

14.1 Policy on ragging

In keeping with the legislative policy of Karnataka State and the country and NMC and Sri Sathya Sai University for Human Excellence guidelines, SMSIMSR has a 'ZERO TOLERANCE TO RAGGING' policy.

"Ragging is a cognizable offence punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year or with fine according to section 116 of the Karnataka Education Act, 1983, and under various sections of the Indian Penal Code (IPC)."

 $\hbox{\it "Principals are instructed to inform the Police and take necessary action to dismiss the student"}.$

The institution will deal firmly and strictly with all instances of ragging. If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authorities, the concerned student will be given an opportunity to explain. If the explanation is not satisfactory, the authorities will expel the student from the institution. Hostelites involved in ragging will be expelled from the hostels and will have to make alternate arrangements for accommodation. Names of such students will also be handed over to the police and University for further action.

Anti-Ragging Helpline E-mail: helpline@antiragging.net

14.2 Students' Code of Conduct

The student Code of conduct outlines the Behavioural expectations and Guidelines that every student is expected to follow within our educational institution. By understanding and abiding by these principles, students can contribute for creating a positive and respectful learning environment.

Simplicity

- The students of the campus are required to follow a simple lifestyle with a neat and modest
 appearance that is suitable for the educational environment.
- Male students are expected to keep clean-shaven face, decent hairstyle, and short sideburns.
- Female students must always have their hair braided. Salwar Kameez and Sarees are the only type of dressing permitted for them.
- Students should exhibit this highest quality of simplicity through their communication, problem-solving, time management, and ethical conduct, which promotes clarity, efficiency, and ease of understanding in various aspects of academic and personal life.

Behaviour

- All are expected to speak in a soft and obliging manner. The use of abusive language or even harsh words are to be avoided.
- Students are expected to treat others with respect and dignity, and advised to refrain from
 engaging in behaviour that is discriminatory, harassing, or otherwise disrespectful.
- Silence must be maintained all around the campus. Loud talk, shouting or making disturbing noises are to be avoided.
- Student groups and group parties are not permitted whatever be the occasion
- There is zero tolerance to violence in any form within the Campus premises.
- A student will be expelled from the SMSIMSR if found having a relationship or affair with anyone, even if it is at a communication level over the Internet. In this regard, the use of social networking sites such as Facebook, WhatsApp, Twitter, Instagram, etc., are not permitted for the students.

Academic Integrity

Students are expected to maintain the highest standards of academic integrity, which
includes honesty in all academic work, respecting intellectual property rights, and avoiding
falsification and other forms of academic dishonesty.

Vegetarian food

- Eating non-vegetarian food including eggs is strictly prohibited. Not following this would attract disciplinary action.
- Students are to follow this discipline even during vacations. Parents are expected to remind
 and encourage them about this discipline by following it themselves.

Participation in activities

- Satsang and social service activities are part of the institution's culture, and students are
 expected to participate in them with full enthusiasm.
- Students must follow compulsorily all the activities of the daily schedule provided below with a positive mindset.

Discipline

- The timings of all the activities must be strictly adhered to. Beyond 10 pm no activities will be permitted
- Students are expected to be honest and truthful in all their dealings with others, including faculty, staff & fellow students.
- Smoking, Alcohol & Narcotic Consumption, and chewing of tobacco and its related products are strictly prohibited in and around the College and Hostel Premises.
- Students are expected to behave in a professional manner, which includes dressing appropriately, communicating effectively, and demonstrating a commitment to patient care and safety.
- Students found possessing or watching obscene material either in print or multimedia form will be immediately expelled from the University.
- Birthday/other celebrations are strictly prohibited in Hostel Rooms.
- Students found having sexual connections with anyone will be expelled from the college and Hostel immediately.
- Theft or use of somebody else's property without explicit permission from the owner will attract disciplinary action.
- Students are expected to take personal responsibility for their own actions and decisions and to accept the consequences of those actions.
- Accessing prohibited areas of offices and other important spaces, confidential or
 official documents and data without permission, and disseminating or distributing of
 such information, would be considered as a serious offence to be dealt with strictly. All
 instructions/ notices displayed on notice boards will be deemed to have been read by all
 residents and excuses for non-compliance with such instructions and notices will not be
 accepted. Students are advised to look at the notice board every day to acquaint themselves
 with the latest information/orders.

Cleanliness

- Students must keep their Dwelling rooms and surroundings clean by themselves
- Cleanliness arises from maintaining personal hygiene. Washing clothes regularly keeps germs at bay and keeps your body healthy and fresh.
- Bed and Linen care- keep your bed clean by regularly changing and washing your bedsheets, pillow covers, blankets, etc. Avoid eating or drinking in bed to prevent spills and stains.
- Storage spaces- keep your personal belongings organised and avoid cluttering storage spaces. This makes it easier to clean and maintain cleanliness within the hostel rooms.
- Sweeping and Mopping- take turns with other residents to sweep and mop your rooms.
 Regularly clean the floor to remove dirt, dust, and spills.
- Students shouldn't dry their innerwear and wet clothing inside their rooms.
- Shared bathrooms- After using the bathroom, make sure it's clean and neat for the other person to use.
- Respectful Behaviour- Treat the hostel environment and facilities with respect. Avoid vandalism, graffiti, or any activities that may lead to uncleanliness or damage to the premises.
- Remember, cleanliness is a collective responsibility, so it's important to communicate and cooperate with other residents to maintain clean and hygienic living spaces.

Judicious resource usage

- All the necessary things would be provided in the hostel and shouldn't be brought from home. Gifts and other articles such as expensive watch, clothing, jewellery, gadgets, or books must not be accepted, even from the parents or relatives, without Warden's permission.
- Students cannot order items online either by themselves or through anybody else without permission from the Warden.
- While leaving any room, students must take care to see that the fans and lights are switched off. Every effort must be made to economise the use of electricity.
- Water taps must be turned off after use and water resources must be used conservatively.
- Report any maintenance issues or damages to the hostel management promptly. This
 includes malfunctioning equipment, plumbing problems, or any safety concerns. Do not
 attempt to fix or modify hostel facilities without proper authorisation.

Housing Guidelines

- Combined with academic excellence, SMSIMSR provides a holistic framework of interpersonal development for its students. Its compulsory residential character trains the mind, body, and spirit of the student in an environment like the ancient Indian 'Gurukula' system of education, in the most modern context.
- No student should stay away from his or her room during the night times without the prior permission of the Warden.
- Any student who wishes to leave the campus temporarily or otherwise, must obtain permission from the Warden.
- Students are not permitted to allow their rooms to be used by others.
- Visitors and non-residents, including parents, are permitted to enter only up to the hostel visitor's lounge. They must leave the hostel premises after the specified visiting hours.
- Pets of any kind are not permitted inside the hostel.
- Students are advised not to keep cash or valuables with them in the room. If in possession, they must be deposited to the Warden. The student will be responsible for the safety of his/ her belongings inside the room.
- Cooking is not permitted in the hostel rooms.
- Silence must be maintained during 'Study Hours', which are meant only for study activity.
 Study hours will be observed on all days.
- Authorities can remove a resident from the hostel at any time on disciplinary grounds in
 which case the student may be required to vacate his/her room at short notice. Similarly,
 students may be required to shift to alternate accommodations at short notice on account
 of administrative reasons.
- The electric points provided in the hostel rooms are to be used for connecting table lamps.
 Use of any other domestic electric appliance is not permitted.

Use of Electronic Gadgets

- No televisions are permitted in the hostel rooms. Students are to watch TV provided in the common room only at specified times after due permission from the Warden.
- Students are not permitted to keep personal mobile phones. When in the hostel they
 must deposit their personal phones to the Warden and collect them back before going on
 vacation. Non-compliance to this will attract strict disciplinary action.
- Common phones are available with the Warden and are only to be used for communicating with parents once a week for a specific duration.
- Electronic items such as MP3 players, MP4 players, iPods, pen drives, hard disks, etc., are
 to be used and kept in one's possession only with the permission of the Warden. If not
 permitted, the items must be deposited to the Warden.
- Laptops provided by the institution alone, and no other, are permitted to be used by the students
- "Wi-Fi' provided in classrooms and hostels is solely for academic purposes. Any form of its inappropriate use is not allowed.

Fire Hazards and Safety

- Combustible materials such as gasoline, paint thinner and oil lamps are not permitted in the hostels.
- Burning/bursting of crackers, carrying of crackers to the rooms and lighting of lamps/candles
 are banned strictly in and around the Hostel premises throughout the year.
- Residents must switch off all lights and fans, and electrical appliances including mosquitorepellent machines if any before leaving their rooms. This is necessary to avoid an inadvertent fire.

Involvement in Strikes and Criminal Acts

- It is illegal to be involved in strikes within the Organization. Students should refrain from
 disfiguring walls and furniture and from other objectionable practices. Students involved
 in such activities may be liable for expulsion from the Institution and must also pay for the
 damages.
- Any other activities which are likely to affect the peace and tranquility of the institution, involvement in any sort of violence or disturbance both within and outside the institution/ any criminal acts/offences as defined in the Indian Penal Code will result in expulsion from the College.
- Immoral activity including the use of foul language, gestures or any form of abuse would be liable for severe disciplinary action.

15. Student Responsibilities

- Academic Responsibilities students' primary responsibility is to focus on their studies and
 excel in their coursework. Attend classes regularly, complete assignments on time, and
 prepare for exams effectively.
- Professionalism students should maintain a professional attitude and behaviour towards
 peers, faculty, and staff. Respect the hierarchy and follow the code of conduct established
 by the college.
- Time Management Manage your time wisely to balance your academic commitments, para vidya, extracurricular activities, and personal life. Prioritise tasks and allocate sufficient time for studying, attending classes, and engaging in other activities.
- Health and Hygiene Take care of your personal hygiene to maintain a clean and healthy
 environment in the hostel. Follow proper sanitation practices, keep your living space clean,
 and maintain good personal grooming habits.
- Respect and Consideration Show respect and consideration towards your fellow students, roommates, and College/hostel staff.
- Compliance with Rules and Regulations Adhere to the rules and regulations set by the college and hostel administration. This includes following Hostel timings, maintaining discipline, and adhering to the college's academic policies.
- Safety and Security Be aware of your surroundings and take necessary precautions to
 ensure your personal safety. Report any safety concerns or suspicious activities to the
 appropriate authorities.
- Being a responsible student contributes to a positive and conducive learning environment, fostering personal growth and success in medical education.



16. Course Outline

- The current curriculum for MBBS applicable from the Academic year 2023-24 is competencybased and focuses on the Medical Graduate being competent to perform tasks of a "primary care physician of first contact", after completion of training. The learner has to take responsibility for their own learning. The MBBS course is of four and a half years duration and is followed by one year of Compulsory Rotating Residential Internship.
- The broad guidelines of the course are given below. The course begins with a Foundation
 Course sensitizing the students to the health situation in India, the role of doctors in the
 community and basic principles of Communication& Ethics.
- The undergraduate course in medicine comprises of three Phases.

First Professional MBBS- The first stage of 12 months duration consists of the basic sciences - Anatomy, Physiology and Biochemistry. This will be followed by the 1st Professional Examination. Passing the First Professional Examination is compulsory before proceeding to Phase II training. A supplementary examination will be conducted shortly after so that the students who pass can join the main batch. Those students who fail in the supplementary examination will have to appear in the subsequent year. Family Adoption Program (FAP) through village outreach will start in First Professional MBBS. Foundation course and Early clinical exposure also starts in 1st MBBS.

Second Professional MBBS - The next stage is of 12 months duration and comprises of clinical and para-clinical subjects - Pharmacology, Pathology, Microbiology and this will be followed by the $2^{\rm nd}$ Professional Examination. A student, who fails in the 2nd Professional examination, can proceed with the training but shall not be allowed to appear in the 3rd Professional Part I examination unless he passes all subjects of $2^{\rm nd}$ Professional examination.

Final MBBS Part 1 - The penultimate stage is of 12 months duration and covers Community Medicine and Forensic Medicine and Toxicology. This will be followed by the 3rd Professional Part 1 Examination. A student, who fails in the 3rd Professional examination, can proceed with the training but shall not be allowed to appear in 3rd Professional Part 2 examination unless he passes all subjects of the 3rd Professional Part 1 examination. Electives – 1 month, 2 blocks, 15 days each at end of 3rd professional part 1.

Final MBBS Part II - The last stage is of 18 months duration, covers General Medicine, Pediatrics, Surgery, ENT, Ophthalmology, Orthopedic Surgery and Obstetrics & Gynecology. It is to be noted that the students will be attending Clinical postings and lectures in these subjects from 2nd Professional MBBS itself. A Student, who fails in the 3rd Professional Part 2 examination (NEXT EXAM) cannot proceed to Internship unless he passes all subjects of 3rd Professional Part 2

- The clinical subjects to be taught during Phase II and III (Part I and Part II) are Medicine
 and its allied specialties, Surgery and its allied specialties, Obstetrics and Gynecology and
 Community Medicine.
- Besides clinical posting as per schedule mentioned herewith, rest of the teaching hours will
 consist of didactic lectures, demonstrations, seminars, group discussions, etc. in various
 subjects.
- Clinical skills will be taught not only at the bedside of the patients, but also in the wellequipped skills lab, use of simulated patients and paper-based cases.
- In addition to teaching of the medical subjects mentioned above Medical Ethics, Professionalism and Communication Skills will also be taught.
- Research methodology will be taught and students will have ample opportunities to do
 research under the guidance of one faculty, which is entirely voluntary and student driven.
- The internship lasting 12 months comprises of rotations in Community Health, Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics & Gynecology, Pediatrics, Orthopedics, Emergency medicine and short electives in various specialties. All these are as per the guidelines of the NMC.





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