

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH
(HEALTH-III BRANCH)**

NOTIFICATION

No. 12/1/2008-5HB-III/ 3947.

dated : 13/10/2016.

**SUBJECT : ADMISSION TO DIPLOMA IN PHARMACY-UPVAID (AYURVEDIC)
SESSION 2016-17 AND ONWARDS.**

1. GENERAL

- 1.1 The Governor of Punjab is pleased to notify the procedure for admission to Diploma in Pharmacy (Ayurvedic) course for the year 2016-17 and onwards in the institutions affiliated to the Punjab State Faculty of Ayurvedic & Unani System of Medicine, Punjab.
- 1.2 All institutions whether Government/ Private/ Aided/ Unaided affiliated with the Punjab State Faculty of Ayurvedic & Unani System of Medicine, Punjab shall be covered by this notification.
- 1.3 The admission to the all institutions in the State of Punjab shall be done as per the notification/ instructions guidelines/ rules/ executive orders passed by the Government of Punjab as per provision of the Punjab Private Health Sciences Educational Institutions (Regulations of Admission, Fixation of Fee and Making of Reservation) Act, 2006 as amended from time to time.
- 1.4 The Governor of Punjab is further pleased to notify that no institution shall select candidates out of any other source in any other manner than inter-se merit of the candidate on the basis of merit in the qualifying examination. Seats shall be filled through a centralized admission committee. For admissions the candidate shall have to apply to the Principal, Government Ayurvedic College, Patiala.

2. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & EXEMPTIONS

- 2.1 Qualifying Examination: Candidate must have passed 10+2 examination or its equivalent examination as regular or open school candidate from a recognised institution situated in Punjab. Preference will be given to candidates who have passed 10+2 examination or its equivalent examination in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry & Biology/ Mathematics. If candidate(s) from Punjab are not available then candidates from other States shall also be considered.
- 2.2 Age: The Candidate must have completed 17 years of age as on 31st December of the corresponding year of admission.
- 2.3 The candidate should be bonafide resident of Punjab. The resident status of the Punjab State shall be taken in terms of Punjab Government. Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (PPII Branch) letter No. 1/3/95-3PPII/ 96/ 19 dated 6th June, 1996. ID No. 1/2/963PP-2/8976. Dated 7th July, 1998. ID No. letter No. 1/3/95-3pp11/ 81. Dated 1st January 1999 and any further instructions issued by the Government of Punjab in this regard.
- 2.4 The condition of having passed 10+1 and 10+2 or other equivalent qualifying examination from a recognised institution situated in Punjab given in para 2.1 above shall not be applicable to the following categories of candidates :-
 - i) Children/ wards/ dependents (whose parents are not alive) of regular Punjab Government employees, members of All India Services borne on Punjab cadre; Serving Judges and the employees of the Punjab and Haryana High Court; Employees of Boards/ Corporations/ Statutory Bodies established by an Act of the State of Punjab who have been holding post outside Punjab on or before 1st January of the

	year of admission and their children/ wards/ dependants who were compelled to do 10+1 and / or 10+2 outside Punjab.
ii)	Children/ wards/ dependents (whose parents are not alive) of all those regular Central Government employees; Employees of Boards/ Corporations/ Statutory Bodies of the Central Government who have remained posted inside Punjab for at least two years out of the three years preceding the year of qualifying Examination but were posted outside Punjab for some time during these three years due to which their children/ wards/ dependents were compelled to do 10+1 and or 10+2 outside Punjab. However, those remained posted in Punjab continuously for these three years shall be not entitled to be exempted as they are equally placed with other Punjab Government employees posted in Punjab.
iii)	Children/ wards/ dependents (whose parents are not alive) of all those Punjab Government pensioners who have retired before 1st January of the corresponding year and have settled outside Punjab or before 1st January of the year of admission and their children/ wards/ dependents were compelled to do 10+2 outside Punjab.
iv)	Children/ wards/ dependents (whose parents are not alive) of those military/ para military forces personnel who were born in the territory of Punjab as per their service record at the time of entry into service.
v)	Children/ wards/ dependents (whose parents are not alive) of those military/ para military forces who were born in the territory of Punjab as per their service record at the time of entry into the service and have retired on or after 1st January of the year preceding two years of the years of application.
vi)	Candidate seeking admission under foreign Indian students (NRI) categories.
vii)	Candidate seeking admission under out of State Category who have passed qualifying examination from the recognized institutions situated in the State of Punjab.
viii)	Candidate under J & K migrant category.
Note :	The dependency certificate in case of those whose parents are not alive shall have to be taken from the Deputy Commissioner of the District where the candidate resides.
3. INSTITUTION AND SEATS	
3.1	In Government Institutions 100% seats are Govt. Quota seats.
3.2	In Private Institutions 50% seats are Govt. Quota seats and 50% seats are Management Quota seats including 15% NRI Quota seats.
3.3	The admission shall be allowed in institutions which are affiliated to the Punjab State Faculty of Ayurvedic & Unani System of Medicine, Punjab.
3.4	Details of the institutions and category wise seats available in each institution shall be given in the Brochure to be issued by the Principal Govt. Ayurvedic College, Patiala. The same shall be put up on the website (www.gacpatiala.com) and on the notice board at the venue of the counselling.
4. RESERVATION	
4.1 For Government College:	
The reservation in the Government College in various categories for admission to Diploma in Pharmacy shall be as under :	
(i)	Scheduled Castes 25%
(ii)	Backward Classes 5%
	Note : The Backward Class certificate must be as per the latest instructions of the Government of Punjab.
(iii)	Backward Area/ Border Area (1% Each) 2%
(iv)	Physically Handicapped (disability 50% to 70%) to be determined at the time of counselling by a duly constituted 3%

	board. The reservation for physically Handicapped shall be 3% out of which 1% each shall be given to the 3 categories of Handicapped failing under visual impairment, hearing impairment and the orthopedically handicapped.	
(v)	Sports person (Credit will be given for the sports achievements made during 10+1 and 10+2 classed only and shall be graded by the Director Sports, Punjab)	1%
(vi)	Wards of terrorist affected persons (in order of preference to the exclusion of next category) (a) Persons Killed in terrorist action in Punjab. (b) Riot affected displaced person.	1%
(vii)	Wards of Defence Personnel (in order of preference to the exclusion of next category) a. Killed in action. b. Disabled in action to the extent of 50% or above & boarded out of service. c. Died while in service & Death attributed to military service. d. Disabled in service & boarded out with disability attributed to Military service. e. Gallantry award other a ward both serving, retired.	1%
(viii)	Wards of Punjab Police Personnel, Punjab Armed Police, Punjab Home Guard and Para Military forces (in order of preference to the exclusion of next category) a. Killed in action. b. Disable in action to the extent of 50% c. Winner of President's Police Medal for Gallantry.	1%
(ix)	Children grandchildren of freedom fighters.	1%
(x)	Tsunami victims Note : The reservation under Tsunami victim category shall be available only to the wards/ children of all ex-servicemen settlers of Campbell Bay Island in Andaman & Nicobar.	1%

4.2 For Private Institutes:

The reservation in private institutes in (Government & Management Quota Seats) will be as under :

(i)	Scheduled Castes	25%
(ii)	Backward Class Note : The Backward Class certificate must be as per the latest instructions of Government of Punjab.	5%
(iii)	Physically Handicapped (disability 50% to 70%) to be determined at the time of counselling by a duly constituted board. The reservation for physically Handicapped shall be 3% out of which 1% each shall be given to the 3 categories of Handicapped failing under visual impairment, hearing impairment and the orthopedically handicapped.	3%
(iv)	Migrants from Jammu & Kashmir due to terrorist violence	1%

C Explanation:	
The following points shall be observed while granting above reservation both in the Government and in Private colleges.	
(i)	The candidate under category A (iv) and B (iii) under handicapped category shall be admitted if / she has locomotory disability or lower limbs between 50% to 70% and with this disability he/ she is otherwise found fit medically to pursue the concerned course by the Medical Board duly constituted by the Principal, Medical College, Patiala
(ii)	For the claim of reservation on category (viii) above a certificate to this effect issued by inspector General Police (HQ), Punjab shall have to be produced while submitting other documents. In case of Paramilitary Forces, this certificate shall be countersigned by I.G. Police (HQ) Punjab.
(iii)	The above reservation shall be made in each college separately subject to the availability of seats as per instructions issued by the Government of Punjab from time to time. The reservation in each institution shall not exceed 25% in case of SC and 30% in case of SC and BC combined together.
(iv)	Candidate belonging to reserve category will be eligible for admission as per their combined merit in general category also, if they opt for the same. The reserved category candidate selected under general category shall not be counted towards reserve category.
(v)	Seats remaining vacant under any of the reserve category shall be merged with the General category seats.
5. Foreign Indian Students (NRI) seats	
5.1	15% of seats in all Private institutes shall be earmarked for the Foreign Indian Students (NRI). The Foreign Indian Students (NRI) quota in private institution shall be part of the management quota
5.2	The candidate for foreign Indian Students (NRI candidates) in these institutions shall be admitted on merit determined on the basis of marks obtained in the qualifying examination.
5.3	<p>The criteria laid down for admission against seats reserved for NRI candidates will be as under :-</p> <p>a. First preference shall be given to those Foreign Indian Students (NRI candidates) who are having ancestral Punjab Resident background.</p> <p>b. Second preference shall be given to those Foreign Indian Students (NRI candidates) who are having ancestral background of other States of India other than Punjab.</p> <p>Any seat remaining vacant under Foreign Indian Students (NRI Quota), till last date of admission shall go to the Management Quota.</p>
6. PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION.	
6.1	The selection shall be strictly as per merit based on the qualifying examination.
6.2	Counselling shall be compulsory. However, the candidates may opt to change choice of station at the time of counselling.
6.3	The counselling schedule shall be notified by the Principal, Government Ayurvedic College, Patiala.
6.4	<p>EQUAL MARKS :</p> <p>In case of candidates securing equal marks in the qualifying examination then inter se merit will be determined as under :</p> <p>(i) Firstly, the candidate having higher percentage of aggregate marks calculated</p>

	upto 3 decimal point in 10+2 Medical i.e. in Biology.
(ii)	Higher percentage in 10+2 non-medical calculated upto 3 decimal points i.e. in Mathematics.
(iii)	The candidate getting higher marks in the subject of English in +2 Arts.
(iv)	The candidate older in age.
6.5	Declaration by Students and their parents Candidate and their parents will have to give a declaration that if the candidate has already got admission in other State, then he/she will leave that seat before opting for admission in Punjab and will send a copy of Declaration to the concerned Institute where has already taken admission outside the State.

7. SELECTION COMMITTEE

The following committee is constituted for holding interview for admission.

i)	Principal Government Ayurvedic College, Patiala	Chairman
ii)	Representative of Welfare Department	Member
iii)	Representative of Sports Department	Member
iv)	Representative of Social Security Department	Member
v)	Principal of the concerned Institution	Member
vi)	Joint Director, Medical Education and Research, Punjab	Observer

8. FEE for admission

The cost of brochure and application fee for admission shall be notified by the Principal Government Ayurvedic College, Patiala.

For Government Ayurvedic College, Patiala :

D. Pharmacy (Ayurveda) 1st year	In Rs.
Tuition fee	3000.00
Admission fee	500.00
Fund (With included security Rs. 100/-)	1000.00
College security	1000.00
Total	5500.00
D. Pharmacy (Ayurveda) 2nd year	In Rs.
Tuition fee	3500.00
Student fund	2000.00
Total	5500
Security (Hostel)	1000.00 (refundable)
Hostel fee	(in Rs.)
Room rent	4,800.00
Electricity & water charges	2,000.00

Mess servant charge	3,000.00
Utensils	500.00
Common room fund	750.00
Dilapidation fund	500.00
Total	12,550.00

8.2 Private institution

The candidate will have to pay Rs. 25000 as College fee.

Note 1. These includes all kinds of charges and nothing extra will be charged from the students under any head of guise.

Note 2. The fee will be payable on annual basis and the college will not insist on deposit of fee the entire course in advance. At the most students can be asked to given a bond that they will be liable to pay the balance fee for the whole course even of they left in midstream.

Hostel fee and security advance (annual and provisional)

(i)	General independent room Rs. 15,000/- per year (maximum for single bed)
(ii)	Special room (attached bathroom and AC) Rs. 24,000/- per year maximum.
(iii)	Security advance Rs. 25,000/- or its equivalent to the refundable at the completion of course.
(iv)	Mess charges actual and to be managed by the students.

(these charges are exclusive of electricity/water but inclusive of everything else)

9. GENERAL CONDITION

(a)	The students shall pay the fee and other charges for all types of seats as per the rates of fees and other charges fixed by the Government of Punjab.
(b)	The seats available for admission will be displayed on the website and notice board.
(e)	Waiting list of all successful candidates will be prepared by the Chairman Selection Committee and the details of vacant seats shall be displayed on the website and notice board. The waiting list shall be operated by the chairman calling the candidate for counselling.
(d)	If a candidate who has deposited/ his her fee for one year, opts to surrender his/ her selection seat, ten days before the last day fixed for the admission in the given course, the institute shall not be entitled to enforce bank guarantee/ surety bond against that student for the recovery of the balance fee. However, the fee deposited for the first year shall not be refunded.
(e)	In order to ensure completion of the prescribed course (s) and period of study as well as commencement of examination(s) in time, no admission(s) adjustment(s) shall be made after 31st October of each year regardless of any vacancy(ies) that might exist or might arise there after for any reason what so ever. However, for the session 2016-17, the deadline shall be 15.11.2016 as a one time measure.
(g)	No admission shall be made after 31st October of each year including the left over

	seats. However, for the session 2016-17, the deadline shall be 15.11.2016 as mentioned in clause (e) above.
(h)	This Notification supersedes all the prior Notification issued for this course.
(i)	For any dispute arising out of this notification or of the admission under this notification the jurisdiction shall be Punjab and Chandigarh only.

Dated, Chandigarh
the :

Vikas Pratap, I.A.S.
Secretary to Government of Punjab
Department of Medical Education & Research

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Mohu Singh
Superintendent, Medical Education & Research

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A copy is forwarded to following for information and necessary action:-

1. Vice Chancellor, Guru Ravidas Ayurved University, Hoshiarpur.
2. Vice Chancellor, Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot.

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Superintendent, Medical Education & Research

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A copy is forwarded to following for information and necessary action:-

1. Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Secretary, Central Council of Indian Medicine, New Delhi.
3. Registrar, Guru Ravidas Ayurved University, Hoshiarpur.
4. Registrar, Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot.
5. Secretary, The Punjab State Faculty of Ayurvedic & Unani System of Medicine, Punjab.
6. Secretary, Medical Council of India, Temple Lane, Kotla Road, New Delhi.
7. Secretary, Dental Council of India, Temple Lane Kotla Road, New Delhi.
8. Secretary, Central Council of Indian Medicine, New Delhi.
9. Secretary, Central Council of Homeopathy, New Delhi.
10. Secretary, Indian Nursing Council, Temple Lane, Kotla Road, New Delhi.
11. Director, Research and Medical Education, Punjab.
12. Director, Health & Family Welfare, Punjab, Chandigarh.
13. Director, Ayurvedic, Punjab, Chandigarh.
14. Director, Homeopathic, Punjab, Chandigarh.
15. Director, Sports, Punjab, Chandigarh.
16. Director, Welfare of SC's and BC's Chandigarh.
17. Registrar, Punjab Ayurvedic Board, Punjab Sector 22, Chandigarh.
18. To all institutions concerned.
19. PS/MERM.
20. PS/SMER.
21. Recorder, Health-III Branch.

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Superintendent, Medical Education & Research