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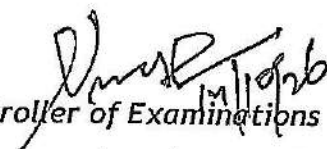
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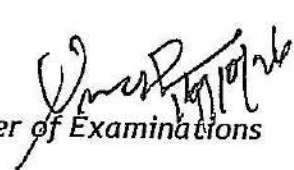
It is for information of all concerned that the Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to approve in exercise of his power vested under Sub-Section 15 of Section 6 of Odisha Universities Act. 1989, the recommendation of the Board of Studies in Ayurveda to implement the Regulation for Post Graduate Programme Vide-Gazette Notification No. 4-90/2016 of NCISM, Ministry of AYUSH with effective from the session 2016-17 onwards.

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(ख) अनुभव

- (i) प्राध्यापक के पद हेतु: सम्बन्धित विषय में कुल दस वर्षों का शिक्षण अनुभव अथवा सम्बन्धित विषय में सह-आचार्य (प्रवाचक) के रूप में पांच वर्षों का शिक्षण अनुभव अथवा मान्यता प्राप्त जर्नल में प्रकाशित न्यूनतम पांच शोध पत्रों सहित केन्द्रीय सरकार अथवा राज्य सरकार अथवा संघ शासित क्षेत्रों की अनुसंधान परिषदों अथवा विश्वविद्यालय अथवा राष्ट्रीय संस्थाओं में नियमित सेवा के कुल दस वर्षों का अनुसंधान अनुभव।
- (ii) प्रवाचक अथवा सह-आचार्य के पद हेतु: सम्बन्धित विषय में पांच वर्षों का शिक्षण अनुभव अथवा मान्यता प्राप्त जर्नल में प्रकाशित न्यूनतम तीन शोध पत्रों सहित केन्द्रीय सरकार अथवा राज्य सरकार अथवा संघ शासित क्षेत्रों की अनुसंधान परिषदों अथवा विश्वविद्यालय अथवा राष्ट्रीय संस्थाओं में नियमित सेवा के कुल पांच वर्षों का अनुसंधान अनुभव।
- (iii) सहायक-आचार्य अथवा व्याख्याता के पद हेतु: प्रथम नियुक्ति के समय पैंतालीस वर्ष से अनाधिक आयु हो तथा शिक्षण अथवा अनुसंधान का कोई अनुभव अपेक्षित नहीं है।
- (ग) संस्था के प्रमुख के पद हेतु अर्हता एवं अनुभव: संस्था के प्रमुख (प्रधानाचार्य अथवा अधिष्ठाता अथवा निदेशक) के पद हेतु अर्हता एवं अनुभव प्राध्यापक के पद हेतु निर्धारित अर्हता एवं अनुभव होगा।
- (घ) समवर्गी विषयों का प्रावधान: तालिका के कॉलम (2) में यथा उल्लिखित सम्बन्धित विषय में स्नातकोत्तर अर्हता धारक अभ्यर्थी के अभाव में तालिका के कॉलम (3) में यथा उल्लिखित समवर्गी विषयों में स्नातकोत्तर अर्हता धारक अभ्यर्थी व्याख्याता अथवा सहायक-आचार्य, प्रवाचक अथवा सह-आचार्य तथा प्राध्यापक के पद हेतु पात्र होंगे:-

तालिका

क्रम संख्या	आवश्यक विनिष्टता	समवर्गी विषय का नाम
(1)	(2)	(3)
1.	स्वास्थ्यवृत्त	कायचिकित्सा
2.	अगद तंत्र	द्रव्यगुण या रसशास्त्र
3.	रोग विज्ञान	कायचिकित्सा
4.	रचना शारीर	शल्य
5.	क्रिया शारीर	आयुर्वेद संहिता एवं सिद्धान्त अथवा कायचिकित्सा
6.	शालाक्य	शल्य
7.	पंचकर्म	कायचिकित्सा
8.	बालरोग	प्रसूति एवं स्त्रीरोग अथवा कायचिकित्सा
9.	कायचिकित्सा	मानसरोग
10.	शल्य	निश्चेतन एवं क्ष-किरण
11.	प्रसूति एवं स्त्री रोग	शल्य तंत्र

टिप्पणी 1: समवर्गी विषयों के प्रावधान की अनुमति इन विनियमों के प्रकाशन की तिथि से पांच वर्ष के लिए होगी।

टिप्पणी 2: नियमित डॉक्टर ऑफ फिलॉसफी (पी.एच.डी.) धारक का शोध कार्य अनुभव एक वर्ष के शिक्षण अनुभव के समतुल्य माना जाएगा।

20. आयुर्वेद महाविद्यालयों में अनुमति प्रक्रिया के पूर्ण होने की तिथि तथा प्रवेश हेतु कट ऑफ तिथि:-

(1) स्नातकोत्तर पाठ्यक्रम में प्रवेश लेने हेतु आयुर्वेद महाविद्यालयों को अनुमति प्रदान करने अथवा प्रदान न करने की प्रक्रिया प्रत्येक शैक्षणिक सत्र की 31 जुलाई तक पूर्ण कर ली जाएगी।

(2) स्नातकोत्तर पाठ्यक्रम में प्रवेश हेतु कट ऑफ तिथि प्रत्येक शैक्षणिक सत्र की 30 सितम्बर होगी।

क. नटराजन, निबंधक-सह-सचिव

[विज्ञापन III/4/असा./290 (124)]

टिप्पणी : अंग्रेजी एवं हिन्दी विनियम में कोई विसंगति पायी जाती है, तो अंग्रेजी विनियम नामतः भारतीय चिकित्सा केन्द्रीय परिषद (स्नातकोत्तर आयुर्वेद शिक्षा) विनियम, 2016 को अन्तिम माना जायेगा।

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 7th November, 2016.

No. 4-90/2016-P.G. Regulation.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (i), (j) and (k) of sub-section (1) of section 36 of the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 (48 of 1970), and in supersession of the Indian

Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Education) Regulations, 1979 and the Indian Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Ayurveda Education) Regulations, 2012, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Council of Indian Medicine, with the previous sanction of the Central Government, hereby makes the following regulations to regulate the education of post-graduate course in Ayurveda system of medicine, namely:—

1. Short title and commencement.- (1) These regulations may be called the Indian Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Ayurveda Education) Regulations, 2016.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions.- (1) In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) “Act” means the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 (48 of 1970);

(b) “Council” means the Central Council of Indian Medicine;

(c) “recognised institution” means an approved institution as defined under clauses (a) and (ea) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Act.

(2) The words and expressions used herein and not defined but defined in the Act shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in the Act

3. Aims and objects- The aims of the post-graduate degree courses shall be to provide orientation of specialties and super-specialties of Ayurveda, and to produce experts and specialists who can be competent and efficient teachers, physicians, surgeons, gynaecologists and obstetricians (Stri Roga and Prasuti Tantragra), pharmaceutical experts, researchers and profound scholars in various fields of specialisation of Ayurveda.

4. Specialties in which post-graduate degree shall be conducted.- The post-graduate degrees shall be allowed in the following specialties as under:—

Sl.No.	Name of speciality	Nearest terminology of modern subject	Department in which post-graduate degree can be conducted
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Pre-clinical speciality			
1	Ayurveda Samhita evam Siddhant	Ayurveda Samhita and basic principles of Ayurveda	Samhita and basic principles of Ayurveda
2	Rachana Sharira	Anatomy	Rachana Sharira
3	Kriya Sharira	Physiology	Kriya Sharira
Para-clinical speciality			
4	Dravyaguna Vigyana	Materia Medica and Pharmacology	Dravyaguna
5	Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana	Ayurveda Pharmaceuticals	Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana
6	Roga Nidana evam Vikriti Vigyana	Diagnostic Procedure and Pathology	Roga Nidana evam Vikriti Vigyana
Clinical specialty			
7	Prasuti evam Stri Roga	Obstetrics and Gynecology	Prasuti evam Stri Roga
8	Kaumarabhritya –Bala Roga	Pediatrics	Kaumarabhritya– Bala Roga
9	Swasthavritta	Preventive Social Medicine	Swasthavritta and Yoga
10	Kayachikitsa	Medicine	Kayachikitsa
11	Rasayana evam Vajikarana	Rejuvenation and Aphrodisiacs	Kayachikitsa
12	Mano Vigyana evam Manasa Roga	Psychiatry	Kayachikitsa
13	Shalya	Surgery	Shalya Tantra
14	Shalakya	Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Head, Neck, Oral and Dentistry	Shalakya Tantra
15	Panchakarma	Panchakarma	Panchakarma
16	Agada Tantra	Toxicology and Forensic Medicine	Agada Tantra.

17	Yoga	Yoga	Swasthavritta and Yoga
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5. Nomenclature of post-graduate degree.- The nomenclature of post-graduate degree in respective specialties shall be as under:-

Sl.No.	Nomenclature of specialty or degree	Abbreviation
(1)	(2)	(3)
Pre-clinical specialty		
1	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Ayurveda Samhita evum Siddhant	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Compendium and Basic Principles
2	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Rachana Sharira	M.D. (Ayurveda) - Anatomy
3	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Kriya Sharira	M.D. (Ayurveda) - Physiology
Para-clinical specialty		
4	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Dravyaguna Vigyana	M.D. (Ayurveda) - Materia Medica and Pharmacology
5	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana	M.D. (Ayurveda) - Pharmaceuticals
6	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Roga Nidana evam Vikriti Vigyana	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Diagnostic procedure and Pathology
Clinical specialty		
7	Ayurveda Dhanvantari – Prasuti evam Stri Roga	M.S. (Ayurveda)- Obstetrics and Gynecology
8	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Kaumarabhritya –Bala Roga	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Paediatrics
9	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Swasthavritta	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Social and Preventive Medicine
10	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Kayachikitsa	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Medicine
11	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Rasayana evam Vajikarana	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Rejuvenation and aphrodisiacs
12	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Mano vigyana evam Manasa Roga	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Psychiatry
13	Ayurveda Dhanvantari – Shalya	M.S. (Ayurveda)- Surgery
14	Ayurveda Dhanvantari – Shalakyā	M.S. (Ayurveda)- Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Head, Neck, Oral and Dentistry
15	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Panchakarma	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Panchakarma
16	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Agada Tantra	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Toxicology and Forensic Medicine
17	Ayurveda Vachaspati – Yoga	M.D. (Ayurveda)- Yoga

Note 1: The post-graduate degree holder in the old nomenclature, namely, Ayurveda Vachaspati-Ayurveda Sidhant, Ayurveda Vachaspati- Ayurved Samhita, Ayurveda Vachaspati- Kriya Sharir (Dosha-Dhatu-Mala Vigyana) and Ayurveda Vachaspati-Bhaishajya Kalpana as mentioned in Post-graduate Education Regulations, 2005, may be appointed in the concerned department like, holder of Dosha Dhatu Malavigyana in the department of Kriya Sharira, holder of Samhita or Siddhant in the department of Samhita and Basic Principles of Ayurveda, holder of Bhaishajya Kalpana in the department of Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana. Similarly, The post-graduate degree holder in the old nomenclature, namely, Ayurveda Dhanvantri - Shalya - Samanya, Ayurveda Dhanvantri – Kshar Karma evam Anushastra Karma, Ayurveda Dhanvantri – Shalakyā – Netra Roga, Ayurveda Dhanvantri – Shalakyā – Shiro- Nasa Karna evam Kantha Roga, Ayurveda Dhanvantri – Shalakyā – Danta evam Mukha Roga, Ayurveda Vachaspati-Sangyahan, Ayurveda Vachaspati-Chhaya evam Vikiran Vigyan, Ayurveda Dhanvantri – Asthi Sandhi and Marmagat Roga and Ayurveda Vachaspati- Swastha Vritta and Yoga as mentioned in Post-graduate Education Regulations, 2012, may be appointed in the concerned department like, holder of Shalya - Samanya in the department of Shalya, holder of Kshar Karma evam Anushastra Karma in the department of Shalya, holder of Shalakyā – Netra Roga in the department of Shalakyā, holder of Shalakyā – Shiro- Nasa Karna evam Kantha Roga in the department of Shalakyā, holder of Shalakyā – Danta evam Mukha Roga in the department of Shalakyā, holder of Sangyahan in the department of Shalya, holder of Chhaya evam Vikiran Vigyan in the department of Rog Nidan, holder of Asthi Sandhi and Marmagat Roga in the department of Shalya and holder of Swasthavritta and Yoga in the department of Swasthavritta.

Note 2: The post-graduate degree holder of newly developed speciality, namely, Ayurveda Vachaspati- Yoga as mentioned in these regulations, may be considered for appointment in their corresponding department mentioned under regulations 4 like holder of Yoga in department of Swasthavritta and Yoga.

6. **Minimum requirement for post-graduate institution where under-graduate course is in existence.** -The post-graduate institute where under-graduate course is in existence shall fulfill following requirements, namely:-

- (1) The under-graduate institution which has completed minimum four and half years of under-graduate teaching shall be eligible for applying to start post-graduate courses.
- (2) The institute shall satisfy all the minimum requirements of under-graduate training as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time.
- (3) The institute shall have all the equipment and research facilities required for training in the related speciality and subject as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time.
- (4) The institute shall have Central Research Laboratory and Animal House for starting post-graduate Course, Animal House shall be either owned or in collaboration.
- (5) The existing post-graduate Institutions shall fulfill the requirement as specified in sub-regulation (4) before the 31st December, 2016.
- (6) The Additional Ancillary staff like Biochemist, Pharmacologist, Bio Statistician, Microbiologist to be appointed and the Qualification shall be Post Graduate degree in the subject concerned or equivalent qualification from a recognised University.
- (7) The minimum additional teaching staff required for starting post-graduate course shall be one Professor or Reader and one Lecturer of the concerned subject, in addition to the teachers stipulated for under-graduate teaching, and the specialty which does not exist as independent department at under-graduate level shall have minimum one Professor or Reader and one Lecturer for starting post-graduate course.
- (8) The post-graduate department or specialty shall have minimum one Professor in concerned subject or specialty from the academic session 2017-18.
- (9) In each of the department of Rachana Sharira, Kriya Sharira, Dravyaguna, Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana, Roga Nidana evam Vikriti Vigyana and ShalyaTantra, the following non-teaching staff shall be required in addition to the under-graduate staff requirement:

(i) Laboratory technician	-	1 (one)
(ii) Laboratory assistant	-	1 (one)
(iii) Attendant or Peon or Multipurpose worker	-	1 (one).
- (10) The institute shall have a fully equipped hospital consisting of minimum one hundred beds with specialty-wise adequate facilities in all departments as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time.
- (11) In the post-graduate institute having under-graduate course with upto sixty seats, ten post-graduate seats in clinical subjects shall be admissible within the bed strength as specified in sub-regulation (10) and for more than ten post-graduate seats in clinical subjects, additional beds in the student: bed ratio of 1:4 shall be provided over the bed strength as specified in the sub-regulation (10).
- (12) The post-graduate in pre-clinical or para-clinical subject as specified in regulation 4 at serial number 1 to 6 shall be admissible on the basis of bed strength as specified in sub-regulation (10).
- (13) The post-graduate institute having under-graduate course with sixty-one to hundred seats shall require additional beds for post-graduate seats in clinical subjects in the student: bed ratio of 1:4 over the bed strength as specified in sub-regulation (10).
- (14) The minimum annual average bed-occupancy in In-Patient Department of the hospital during last one calendar year (i.e. 365 days and 366 days in case of a leap year) shall be more than fifty per cent. and minimum daily average attendance of patients in Out-Patient Department of the hospital during last one calendar year (300 days) shall be minimum one hundred and twenty patients per day for the colleges having post-graduate course(s) with upto sixty under-graduate seats and minimum two hundred patients per day for the colleges having post-graduate course(s) with sixty-one to hundred under-graduate seats.

- (15) In clinical departments, for additional beds increased for clinical post-graduate seats, one Clinical Registrar or Senior Resident or Resident Doctor shall be provided for every twenty beds.

7. Post-graduate Institute where under-graduate course is not in existence.-The post-graduate institute where under-graduate course is not in existence shall fulfill following requirements, namely:-

- (1) The institute shall have fully developed Departments with infrastructure as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time, in which post-graduate course is being conducted.
- (2) The institute shall have all the equipment and research facilities required for training in the related speciality and subject as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time.
- (3) The institute shall have Central Research Laboratory and Animal House for starting post-graduate Course. Animal House shall be either owned or in collaboration.
- (4) The existing post-graduate Institutions shall fulfill the requirement as specified in sub-regulation (3) before the 31st December, 2016.
- (5) The Additional Ancillary staff like Biochemist, Pharmacologist, Bio Statistician, Microbiologist to be appointed and the Qualification shall be Post Graduate degree in the subject concerned or equivalent qualification from a recognized University.
- (6) The department, in which post-graduate course is being conducted shall have minimum three faculties; one Professor, one Reader or Associate Professor and one Lecturer or Assistant Professor; or one Professor or Reader or Associate Professor and two Lecturers or Assistant Professors in each concerned subject or speciality.
- (7) Consultants or part time teachers in concerned speciality as specified in the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time shall be engaged for teaching on part time basis.
- (8) The post-graduate department or speciality shall have minimum one Professor in concerned subject or speciality from the academic session 2017-18.
- (9) In each of the department of Rachana Sharira, Kriya Sharira, Dravyaguna, Rasa Shastra evam Bhaishajya Kalpana, Roga Nidana evam Vikriti Vigyana and Shalya Tantra, the following non-teaching staff shall be required:

(i) Laboratory technician	-	1 (one)
(ii) Laboratory assistant	-	1 (one)
(iii) Attendant or Peon or Multipurpose worker	-	1 (one).
- (10) In each of the department other than the departments specified in sub-regulation (9), the following non-teaching staff shall be required:

(i) Office Assistant or Data entry operator	-	1 (one)
(ii) Attendant or Peon or Multipurpose worker	-	1 (one).
- (11) Minimum one hundred beds in the hospital and minimum annual average bed-occupancy in In-Patient Department of the hospital during last one calendar year (365 days and 366 days in case of a leap year) shall be more than fifty per cent.
- (12) Minimum daily average attendance of patients in Out-Patient Department of the hospital during last one calendar year (300 days) shall be minimum one hundred and twenty patients per day.
- (13) Twenty-five post-graduate seats in clinical subjects shall be admissible within the bed strength as specified in sub-regulation (11) and for more than twenty-five post-graduate seats in clinical subjects, additional beds in the student: bed ratio of 1:4 shall be provided over the bed strength as specified in the sub-regulation (11).
- (14) The institute conducting post-graduate course in clinical speciality shall have related Out-Patient Departments and In-patient departments and laboratory in the hospital as per the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time and the total attendance of patients in those Out-Patient Departments and In-patient departments shall be taken in to account for the purpose of determining minimum daily average attendance of patients as mentioned in sub-regulations (11) and (12).
- (15) The institute conducting post-graduate course in pre-clinical or para-clinical speciality shall have any of Out-Patient Departments and In-patient departments and related laboratory in the hospital as per the Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016 as amended from time to time and the total attendance of patients in those Out-

Patient Departments and In-patient departments shall be taken in to account for the purpose of determining minimum daily average attendance of patients as mentioned in sub-regulations (11) and (12).

- (16) In clinical departments, the beds for clinical post-graduate seats, one Clinical Registrar or Senior Resident or Resident Doctor shall be provided for every twenty beds.

Note:- The vacant post may be filled up on contractual basis with retired Professors or Readers or Associate Professors or Lecturers or Assistant Professors below the age of sixty-five years in any department, till the regular appointment is made.

8. Mode of admission-

- (1) A person possessing the degree of Ayurvedacharya (Bachelor of Ayurveda Medicine and Surgery) from a recognised University or Board or medical institution specified in the Second Schedule to the Act and enrolled in Central or State register of Indian Systems of Medicine shall be eligible for admission in the post-graduate degree course.
- (2) The State Government or University concerned shall conduct the admission process.
- (3) The Selection of candidates shall be made on the basis of final merit index calculated out of total of hundred marks based on eighty per cent. weightage to the Post-graduate entrance test (PGET) and twenty per cent. weightage to the marks obtained in under-graduate course.
- (4) The Post-graduate entrance test (PGET) of hundred marks shall consist of one common written test of multiple choice questions covering all the subjects of Ayurvedacharya (Bachelor of Ayurveda Medicine and Surgery) course.
- (5) The minimum eligibility marks of the entrance test for admission in the case of general candidates shall be fifty per cent of the total marks, in the case of candidates belonging to the Schedule Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and regular Central or State Government service candidate shall be forty per cent. and in the case of candidates belonging to the Other Backward classes shall be forty-five per cent.
- (6) The sponsored candidates shall also be required to possess the percentage of marks specified in sub-regulations (5).
- (7) The sponsored foreign national's candidates shall not be required to possess the percentage of marks specified in sub-regulations (5).
- (8) Reservation for all categories shall be applicable as per the policy of the Central Government or the concerned State Government.
- (9) Change of subject shall be permissible within a period of two months from the date of admission, subject to availability of vacancy and guide in the concerned department.

9. Duration of course and attendance-

- (1) The student shall have to undergo study for a period of three years after the admission.
- (2) The student shall have to attend minimum seventy-five per cent. of total lectures, practicals and clinical tutorials or classes to become eligible for appearing in the examination.
- (3) The student shall have to attend the hospital and other duties as may be assigned to him during the course of study.
- (4) The student of clinical subject shall have to do resident duties in their respective departments and student of non-clinical subject shall have duties in their respective departments like Pharmacy or Herbal Garden or Laboratory during the course of study.
- (5) The student shall attend special lectures, demonstrations, seminars, study tours and such other activities as may be arranged by the teaching departments.
- (6) The maximum duration for completion of the course shall not exceed beyond the period of six years from the date of admission to the course.
- (7) Web based centralized biometric attendance system shall be required for the attendance of post-graduate students and manual attendance at department level in which student is pursuing the post-graduate course.

10. Method of training.-

- (1) In the first year of the course, the students shall have to acquire knowledge in the applied aspects of the fundamentals of Ayurveda
- (2) Intensive training shall be provided in classical knowledge along with comparative and critical study in the respective specialty.

- (3) The emphasis shall be given on intensive applied and hands on training.
- (4) The student shall have to acquire the knowledge about the methods and techniques of research in the respective fields making use of information technology.
- (5) In clinical subjects, students shall undertake responsibility in management and treatment of patients independently and deal with emergencies.
- (6) The student shall undertake training in teaching technology and research methods and shall participate in the teaching and training programs of under-graduate students or interns in the respective subjects during the course of studies.
- (7) In the clinical training, the student shall have to acquire knowledge of independent work as a specialist.
- (8) In the specialties of Shalya, Shalakya and Prasuti - Stri Roga, the student shall undergo training of investigative procedures, techniques and surgical performance of procedures and management in the respective specialty.

11. Dissertation.-

- (1) Central Scientific Advisory Post Graduate Committee appointed by Central Council of Indian Medicine shall suggest the areas of Research and topics to be focused every academic year to make campaigning of evidence based Ayurveda to the need of global standards and achieve publications and the same shall be followed by University Committee while approving the Dissertation title.
- (2) The title of the dissertation along with the synopsis, with approval of the Ethics Committee constituted by the institute as per regulations of concerned recognised University, shall be submitted to the University within a period of six months from the date of admission to the post-graduate course.
- (3) If the student fails to submit the title of dissertation and synopsis within the period specified under sub-regulation (2), his terms for final post-graduate course shall be extended for six months or more in accordance with the time of submission of the synopsis to the University.
- (4) The synopsis of the proposed scheme of work shall indicate the expertise and action plan of work of the student relating to the proposed theme of work, the name of the department and the name and designation of the guide or supervisor and co-guide (if any).
 - a. The University shall approve the synopsis not later than three months after submission of the synopsis.
- (5) A Board of Research Studies shall be constituted by the University for approving the title.
- (6) The University shall display the approved synopsis of dissertation on their website.
- (7) The subject of every dissertation shall be research oriented, practical oriented, innovative and helpful in the development of Ayurveda system and the subject of the dissertation shall have relation with the subject matter of the specialty.
- (8) Once the title for dissertation is approved by the Board of Research Studies of the University, the student shall not be allowed to change the title of the proposed theme of work without permission of the University.
- (9) No student shall be allowed to submit the dissertation before six months of completion of course and the student shall continue his regular study in the institution after submission of dissertation to complete three years.
- (10) The dissertation shall contain the methods and data of the research carried out by the student on the problem selected by him and completed under the guidance of the guide or supervisor approved by the University.
- (11) The dissertation shall consist of critical review of literature, methodology, results of the research, discussion on the basis of research findings of the study, summary, conclusion, and references cited in the dissertation shall be suitable for publication.
- (12) The dissertation shall consist of not less than forty thousand words.
- (13) The dissertation shall contain, at the end, a summary of not more than one thousand and five hundred words and the conclusion not exceeding one thousand words.
- (14) The guide or supervisor shall be a person of status of a Professor or Reader or Associate Professor.
- (15) Lecturer or Assistant Professor having five years University approved teaching experience in the subject concerned shall eligible for guide or supervisor.
- (16) Five copies of the bound dissertation along with a certificate from the supervisor or guide shall reach the office of the Registrar of the University four months before the final examination.
- (17) The dissertation shall be assessed by two external examiners and two internal examiners appointed by the University.

- (18) The dissertation shall be accepted only after the approval of examiners appointed under sub-regulation (17) and in case of disapproval by one external examiner, the dissertation shall be referred to third external examiner approved by the University concerned.
- (19) If the dissertation is not accepted by two external examiners, the same shall be returned to the student with the remarks of the examiners and the student shall resubmit the dissertation after making necessary improvement in the light of examiners' report to the University within a further period of six months.
- (20) The student shall be permitted to appear in the final examination of post-graduate degree course only after approval of the dissertation by the examiners.
- (21) Inter-disciplinary research may be done by co-opting the guide or supervisor from the concerned specialty.
- (22) If a para-clinical or pre-clinical subject student takes a thesis topic involving clinical trials then he/she shall work under co-guide of a clinical teacher of the speciality concerned for preparing the thesis

12. Examination and assessment.-

- (1) The post-graduate degree course shall have two examinations in the following manner, namely:-
 - (a) the preliminary examination shall be conducted at the end of one academic year after admission;
 - (b) the final examination shall be conducted on completion of three academic years after the admission to post-graduate course;
 - (c) examination shall ordinarily be held in the month of June or July and November or December every year;
 - (d) for being declared successful in the examination, student shall have to pass all the subjects separately in preliminary examination;
 - (e) the student shall be required to obtain minimum fifty per cent. marks in practical and theory subjects separately to be announced as pass;
 - (f) if a student fails in preliminary examination, he shall have to pass before appearing in the final examination;
 - (g) if the student fails in theory or practical in the final examination, he can appear in the subsequent examination without requiring to submit a fresh dissertation;
 - (h) the subsequent examination for failed candidates shall be conducted at every six months interval; and
 - (i) the post-graduate degree shall be conferred after the dissertation is accepted and the student passes the final examination.
- (2) The examination shall be aimed to test the clinical acumen, ability and working knowledge of the student in the practical aspect of the specialty and his fitness to work independently as a specialist.
- (3) The clinical examination shall be judge the competence of the student in Ayurveda and scientific literature of the specialty.
- (4) The *viva-voce* part of the practical examination shall involve extensive discussion on any aspect of subject or specialty.

13. Subjects of examination.-

- (1) The preliminary examination at the end of one academic year after admission shall be conducted in the following subjects, namely:-

Paper I- Research Methodology and Bio or Medical Statistics;

Paper II-Applied aspects regarding concerned subjects.
- (2) The student shall have to undergo training in the department concerned and shall maintain month-wise record of the work done during the last two years of study in the specialty opted by him as under:-
 - (a) study of literature related to specialty;
 - (b) regular clinical training in the hospital for student of clinical subject;
 - (c) practical training of research work carried out in the department, for student of pre-clinical and para-clinical subject;
 - (d) participation in various seminars, symposia and discussions; and
 - (e) progress of the work done on the topic of dissertation.
- (3) The assessment of the work done by the students of first year post-graduate course during the first year as specified in sub-regulation (2) shall be done before the preliminary examination.

- (4) The final examination shall include dissertation, written papers and clinical or practical and oral examination.
- (5) There shall be four theory papers in each specialty and one practical or clinical and viva-voce examination in the concerned specialty or group of sub-specialties selected by the student for special study.
- (6) The student shall publish or get accepted minimum one research paper on his research work in one journal and one paper presentation in regional level seminar.

14. Mode of examination and appointment of examiner(s)-

- (1) The preliminary examination and final examination shall be held in written, practical or clinical and oral examination.
- (2) The preliminary examination shall be conducted by a team of two examiners, out of which one examiner shall be external from any other institution and the final examination shall be conducted by a team of four examiners, out of which two examiners shall be external from any other institution.
- (3) A teacher with five years teaching or research experience in concerned subject or speciality shall be considered eligible for being appointed as an examiner.

15. Facilities for post-graduate students.- The stipend and contingency shall be provided at the rates decided by the Central Government for institutes of its control or respective State Government for institutes of its control or University, as the case may be.

16. Teacher- student ratio.-

- (1) The teacher-student ratio shall be such that the number of post-graduate teachers to the number of post-graduate students admitted per year is maintained as 1:3 in case of Professor and 1:2 in case of Reader or Associate Professor.
- (2) The teacher student ratio shall be 1:1 in case of Lecturer or Assistant Professor having minimum of five years teaching experience.

17. The maximum number of students in post-graduate course.- The maximum number of students per year per specialty shall not exceed twelve.

18. Medium of instruction.- The medium of instruction shall be Sanskrit or Hindi or any recognised regional language or English.

19. Qualifications and Experience for teaching staff- The qualifications and experience for teaching staff shall be as follows:-

(a) Essential qualification-

- (i) A Bachelor degree in Ayurveda from a University as recognised under the Act;
- (ii) a Post-graduate degree in the subject or specialty concerned included in the Schedules to the Act.

(b) Experience-

(i) **For the post of Professor:** Total teaching experience of ten years in concerned subject or five years teaching experience as Associate Professor (Reader) in concerned subject or total ten years research experience in regular service in Research Councils of Central Government or State Government or Union territory or University or National Institutions with not less than five papers published in a recognised journal.

(ii) **For the post of Reader or Associate Professor:** Teaching experience of five years in concerned subject or total five years research experience in regular service in Research Councils of Central Government or State Government or Union territory or University or National Institutions with not less than three papers published in a recognised journal.

(iii) **For the post of Assistant Professor or Lecturer** at the time of first appointment, the age shall not exceed forty-five years and no teaching or research experience is required.

(c) **Qualification and experience for the post of Head of the Institution** -The qualification and experience for the post of Head of the Institution (Principal or Dean or Director) shall be the qualification and experience prescribed for the post of Professor.

(d) **Provision of allied subject:** In absence of the candidate of post-graduate qualification in the subject concerned as mentioned in column (2) of the table, the candidate of post-graduate qualification in the allied subjects as mentioned in column (3) of the table, shall be considered eligible for the post of Lecturer or Assistant Professor, Reader or Associate Professor and Professor:-

Table

Sl. No. (1)	Specialty required (2)	Name of the allied subjects (3)
1.	Swasthavritta	Kayachikitsa
2.	Agada Tantra	Dravyaguna or Rasashastra
3.	Roga Vigyana	Kayachikitsa
4.	Rachana Sharira	Shalya
5.	Kriya Sharira	Ayurveda Samhita evam Siddhant or Kayachikitsa
6.	Shalakya	Shalya
7.	Panchakarma	Kayachikitsa
8.	Balaroga	Prasuti evam Stiroga or Kayachikitsa
9.	Kayachikitsa	Manasaroga
10.	Shalya	Nischetana evam Ksha- kirana
11.	Prasuti evam Stirog	Shalya Tantra

Note 1: The provision of allied subjects may be allowed for five years from the date of publication of these regulations.

Note 2: The research experience of regular Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) holder may be considered equivalent to one year teaching experience.

20. Date of completion of permission process and cut-off-date for admission in Ayurveda Colleges.- (1) The process of grant or denial of permission to the Ayurveda colleges for taking admissions in post-graduate course shall be completed by the 31st July of each academic session.

(2) The cut-off-date for admissions in post-graduate course shall be the 30th September of each academic session.

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Note : If any discrepancy is found between Hindi and English version of "Indian Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Ayurveda Education) Regulations, 2016". The English version will be treated as final.