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COLLEGE
OF
NURSING

The Pushpagiri College of Nursing is a Christian minority educational institution established, maintained and administered by the Pushpagiri Medical Society. The College of Nursing with an annual in-take of 50 students for B.Sc. Nursing was started in the year 2002. MSc Nursing programme at Pushpagiri College of Nursing started in the year 2011 with 13 seats under 3 specialities as Medical Surgical Nursing, Child Health Nursing and Mental Health Nursing. The college is recognised by the Indian Nursing Council (I.N.C.) as well as the Kerala Nursing and Midwifery Council and is affiliated to the Kerala University of Health Sciences (KUHS).

ADMISSION TO M.Sc. NURSING COURSE on N.R.I. CATEGORY SEATS

Academic Year 2018-19 - Prospectus & Instructions to the Applicants

1. Applications for admission to first year MSc Nursing (Academic year 2018-19) in the 2 (Two) (1(One) for Medical Surgical Nursing and 1(One) for Child Health Nursing Nursing) NRI category seats at this college is being invited on the basis of this prospectus.
2. **Academic Eligibility** Candidates should have passed the regular Degree course in Nursing (B.Sc. Nursing/Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing) with 55% aggregate marks from an institution recognized by the Indian Nursing Council (INC).

Candidates who have passed their qualifying examination from Universities other than from the Government Universities in the State of Kerala should produce Eligibility/Equivalence Certificate for the qualifying examination from Kerala University of Health Sciences.

3. **Professional Registration:** Candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife (R.N.R.M) with the Kerala Nurses & Midwives Council.
4. **Employment Experience**
 - 4.1 As on the date of joining for the course, the candidates should have minimum one year of experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing OR minimum one year of experience prior or after regular Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing, in any hospital having minimum bed strength of 100 or in a School/College of Nursing with Community Health Program.
 - 4.2 One year compulsory nursing service/ internship after successful completion of four year B.Sc. Nursing can be considered as experience.

- 4.3 Experience acquired after registration with the nursing council only will be counted.
5. **Duration** of the programme shall be two years.
6. Copy of the following documents duly attested by a Gazetted Officer to prove the NRI status shall be submitted:
- i. Copy of the Overseas Employment Certificate issued by the employer, attested by the Embassy OR if self-employed, a statement in this regard that is duly attested by the Embassy.
 - ii. Copy of the relevant pages of the passport containing visa details that is attested by the Embassy.
 - iii. The NRI relative who is sponsoring the candidate should be an Indian Citizen/Overseas citizen of India/Person of Indian Origin and relevant document to prove the same.
 - iv. A self affidavit/declaration (*find specimen format Annexure-1*) by the NRI relative (Sponsorship Certificate).
 - v. Relationship Certificate to be issued by the Revenue Authorities to prove the relationship between the candidate & the NRI relative as per GO (MS) No.243/2014/H&FWD dated 06.08.2014.

7. **FEE STRUCTURE:** A selected applicant in NRI category is liable to pay the following fees:

	Item	1 st Yr	2 nd Yr
a	The Annual Tuition Fee (NRI Category)	1,00,000	1,00,000
b	Admission Fee	1,000	0
c	College Caution Deposit (Refundable)	10,000	0
d	Special Fees	50,000	50,000

Note: Apart from the schedule of fees given above, the students will be required to pay the proportionate administration/affiliation/examination fee, etc. payable to the University from time to time. Hostel & Mess fee will be charged separately.

8. Scheme of Admission:

- i. Application Form can be bought from the college office / downloaded from the college website from 05th June 2018 onwards.
- ii. The duly filled application form should be submitted together with self-attested copies of necessary certificates and an application fee of **Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand only)** to be paid at Pushpagiri College of Nursing office.
- iii. The filled in applications should reach Pushpagiri College of Nursing, Tiruvalla-689101 not later than **3:00 pm, on 20th June 2018**. The applicants, at their own interest, are advised to send the applications by Registered Post. *The college cannot be held responsible for non-receipt or late receipt of*

applications, under any circumstances. The application form should be completed carefully; furnishing the entire information called for. Late and incomplete applications and applications not in the prescribed format will be summarily rejected.

- iv. Applicants shall obtain acknowledgement with an application number assigned from the college office for the applications submitted in person.
 - v. Application should be handwritten by the candidate and use only BLOCK LETTERS to fill in the application.
 - vi. Self-attested Photocopies of the following documents (a to k) shall be attached with the Application (The original documents (a to s) will have to be submitted at the time of admission).
 - a) Proof of age and date of birth, if applicable.
 - b) Certificate and Mark list of SSLC/10th Std.
 - c) Certificate and Mark list of Plus Two/12th Std.
 - d) Certificate and Mark list of qualifying examination (B.Sc./Post B.Sc. Nursing)
 - e) Proof for NRI status (**Refr. no. 6 above**)
 - f) Certificate of good conduct from the institution last attended (preferably issued within six months)
 - g) Course completion certificate of the qualifying examination
 - h) Transfer Certificate (T.C.)
 - i) Eligibility / Equivalency Certificate from Kerala University of Health Sciences & Indian Nursing Council (INC), wherever applicable.
 - j) Certificate of registration from the Kerala Nurses & Midwives Council
 - k) Proof of employment experience certificate acquired after registration with Nursing council
 - l) Migration Certificate, if applicable.
 - m) Nativity Certificate, if applicable.
 - n) Conduct certificate from the Head of Institution last studied in proof of clause (Prohibition of Ragging).
 - o) Copy of Photo ID Proof (Aadhaar/ Voters ID/ Passport)
 - p) Copy of PAN Card of Candidate/Guardian.
 - q) Passport size photographs (8 Nos.).
 - r) Certificate of Medical fitness from an authorized medical officer certifying that the candidate is fit to undergo the course
 - s) Two sets of photocopies of all the certificates/ documents attested by a Gazetted officer have to be submitted at the time of admission.
9. As per the regulations of the University and the Regulatory Council, admissions will have to be closed by 30th October of the year of admission. After closure of admissions, the seat, if vacated, cannot be filled up. Such seats will go vacant for the entire duration of the course. Therefore, those who leave the course after the

closure of admissions will have to pay liquidated damages equivalent to the tuition fees for the remaining period of the course. Any complaints in this regard shall be subject to the legal and factual scrutiny and the decision of the ASC/FRC. The colleges shall return the Certificate and TC of these students, on execution of a bond by the student along with any of his/her Parents, undertaking to pay the amount that may be ordered by the ASC/FRC or the Court of Law.

10. Every student is required to adhere strictly to the Code of Conduct of the college.
11. **Ragging is strictly prohibited.** If it is found during the admission or any time thereafter that the applicant has indulged in ragging in the past, admission may be refused or the student shall be expelled from the institution. Whoever commits, participates in, abets or propagates ragging within or outside the institution shall be suspended from the institution with immediate effect and the Principal shall report the matter to the civil/police authorities.
12. Without prejudice to the directions of the Nursing Councils/Government/University, the decision of **Pushpagiri Medical Society** shall be final on all matters with regard to admission.

05.06.2018

Academic Director