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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from eligible candidates of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh States for admission into Master of Physiotherapy-15 seats and Post Graduate Para-Medical Diploma Courses-108 seats for the year 2017. The candidates are requested to visit website: www.nims.edu.in for application form, prospectus and also for any updates. The filled in application forms shall be submitted along with Demand Draft in favour of Director, NIMS or NIMS cash receipt and supporting documents as detailed in prospectus (Annexure I) in person or by post (preferably by India Post services) so as to reach the Associate Dean, Academic-2, 2nd floor, Old OPD Block, NIMS, Punjagutta, Hyderabad-500 082, Telangana before 5.00 PM of 25-10-2017.



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Prospectus for admission into
Master of Physiotherapy course for the year 2017



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At A Glance

IMPORTANT DATES	
Availability of application on website	10-10-2017
Last date for submission of application (hard copy)	25-10-2017
Issue of Hall Tickets for eligible candidates through e-mail	31-10-2017
Date of entrance examination (Venue as indicated in the Hall Ticket)	03-11-2017
Display of provisional results	04-11-2017
Deadline for manual re-evaluation of OMR answer sheet	06-11-2017
Display of Merit list	08-11-2017
Date of counselling	11-11-2017
Date of admission, payment of fee and submission of original certificates and bond	14-11-2017
Commencement of classes	17-11-2017
Closure of admissions	31-12-2017

PLEASE NOTE:

Display of above list, where applicable, shall be made available on NIMS website: www.nims.edu.in

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• NO INDIVIDUAL CORRESPONDENCE WILL BE MADE FOR SELECTION/ADMISSION. CANDIDATES ARE REQUESTED TO FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS/INFORMATION DISPLAYED AT NIMS NOTICE BOARD/WEBSITE www.nims.edu.in AS PER THE ABOVE SCHEDULED PROGRAMME.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• IN CASE OF INSUFFICIENT NUMBER OF CANDIDATES, NIMS RESERVES RIGHT TO CANCEL THE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION/ADMISSIONS

I. Notification

Applications are invited from eligible candidates of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh States for admission into Master of Physiotherapy course for the year 2017.

II. Specialty, Number of Seats and Duration of Course

SI	Specialty	Number of Seats	Duration
1	MPT – Musculoskeletal Sciences	5	2 years
2	MPT – Cardiovascular & Pulmonary Sciences	5	2 years
3	MPT - Neurosciences	5	2 years

NOTE: One seat is reserved for in-service candidate of NIMS who satisfies the requisite qualifications and qualifies himself/herself in entrance examination. This reservation shall be on horizontal basis.

III. Prior Qualification required

- a) Candidate holding a Bachelor degree in Physiotherapy from a recognized University and completed/shall be completing 6 months internship by 30-09-2017 in India or a Foreign University with at least 10+2+4 years of educational pattern and a minimum of 6 months internship. Deadline for completion of internship is 30th September, 2017.
- b) The candidates who have already registered for any degree or studying regular course and applying for admission to another course in NIMS, shall resign such training course in the Institute duly fulfilling the conditions of the bond and failure to do so, their applications for admission to the other course will be rejected.

IV. Age

The minimum age for admission shall be 22 years completed as on 31-12-2017 and should not be more than 35 years as on 31-12-2017. Upper age limit is relaxable by 3 years in the case of SC and ST candidates. For in-service (NIMS) candidates, the age limit is not applicable.

V. Statutory Reservations

- a) Rule of reservation for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes (A, B, C, D and E) shall be applied as per 100 points roster (Rule 22 of A.P. State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996). The Roster points from 76 to 90 shall be filled for this year (2017).

- b) BC-E reservation: There shall be 4% reservation under BC-E as per memo No.19392/A2/2007-1 dated 29-11-2007. The BC-E certificate based on G.O.Ms.No.23, Backward classes welfare (C2), dated 7th July 2007 should be obtained from Mandal Revenue Officer/Tahsildar on or after 7th July 2007. Admission under BC-E category is subject to condition of further orders issued either by the Government of Telangana/ Andhra Pradesh or Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad for the States of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh or Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
- c) The statutory reservations shall be followed by taking the total number of seats in all specialties.

Note:

- i. The seats reserved for Scheduled Tribes shall be made available to Scheduled Castes and Vice-versa, if qualified candidates are not available in the category.

If qualified candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Communities are not available the left over seats reserved for them shall be treated as unreserved seats and shall be filled by the qualified candidates of General Pool.

- ii. If qualified candidates belonging to backward class of a particular group are not available, the leftover seats shall be adjusted for the candidates of next group. If qualified candidates belonging to backward classes are not available to fill up the seats reserved for them, the left over seats shall be treated as unreserved and shall be filled up with qualified candidates of General pool.

VI. Local Area Reservations

- 1. The local area reservations are made as per the procedure described in the Annexure IV of GOP No.646 dated 10th July, 1979 and may be seen at www.nims.edu.in. The following allocations are accordingly made for the three regions of the State of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh.

- a) Andhra University (AU) : 42%
- b) Osmania University (OU) : 36% and
- c) Sri Venkateswara University (SVU) : 22%

- 2. The definition of local and non-local status and a detailed description of local/non-local candidates in relation to a university area may be seen in Annexure IV of the prospectus.

VII. Application Procedure

1. Application form is available at www.nims.edu.in
2. A candidate must submit hard copy of the application form.
3. The application form may be downloaded and filled appropriately. Please note that all the columns in the application form require to be filled in. Incomplete and hand written application forms are liable to be rejected.
4. The filled in application form will have to be printed, signed and sent to Associate Dean, Academic-2, 2nd floor, Old OPD Block, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Punjagutta, Hyderabad 500 082 on or before 5.00 PM of 25/10/2017 along with a) all the documents mentioned in the annexure I and b) a demand draft (see Para 5 below).
5. A demand draft for Rs.1,100/- (Rupees one thousand and one hundred only) drawn in favour of the Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences or NIMS Cash Receipt dated between 10/10/2017 to 25/10/2017 will have to be submitted simultaneously along with the filled-in application. The candidate must write his/her name and the course applied for on the back side of Bank Draft/NIMS Cash Receipt. Application fee is non-refundable even if the application is summarily rejected.
6. The filled in applications received after the prescribed date and time shall not be considered. The institute will not be responsible for non-receipt of applications or delay in postal transit.
7. An acknowledgement along with registration number will be sent to the respective candidate by e-mail after the application is processed.
8. The in-service (NIMS) candidates should have a minimum of five years regular service. Applications should be forwarded by the appointing authority.
9. The candidates who are in-service seeking admission into MPT course shall submit service certificate and No Objection Certificate in original issued only by the appointing authority along with the application.
10. Any candidate of reserved category, if at all, failed to submit the certificate of social status along with application, his/her candidature will be assumed as 'Open Category (OC)'.

VIII. Entrance Test

1. There shall be a common entrance test consisting of multiple choice (objective) questions (MCQs) as described below:
 - a) Specialty MCQs in musculoskeletal, cardiovascular & Pulmonary and Neurosciences (approximately 50%) related to basic and clinical sciences, biomechanics, physiotherapy techniques, critical care and rehabilitation.
 - b) General MCQs (approximately 50%) in general clinical sciences (general medicine, general surgery, paediatric, obstetrics and gynaecology, electrotherapy, exercise therapy, first-aid, resuscitations, social & preventive medicine, radiology, sociology and psychology).
2. The selection shall be by an entrance test for 60 marks consisting 60 multiple-choice questions covering the Bachelor of Physiotherapy course to be answered in 60 minutes.
3. The syllabus for entrance test shall be that of BPT standard of the Universities of Telangana/Andhra Pradesh States.
4. The entrance test shall be conducted at the venue and date and time specified by the institute.
5. Hall Tickets will be sent to the candidates through e-mail or will be issued in person.
6. Candidates appearing for entrance test/counselling will not be paid any travelling allowance.
7. Candidates indulging in malpractice during the entrance examination will be disqualified and their hall tickets shall be confiscated. The marks of such candidates will not be displayed.
8. The qualifying marks to be eligible for admission are 50%. In the case of SC, ST candidates the minimum qualifying marks at the entrance test shall be 40%.
9. All requests for re-evaluation have to be made within the stipulated time along with the copy of the hall-ticket and payment of Rs.1, 500/- (Rupees one thousand and five hundred only) by paying cash in the NIMS Cash Counter in person. Request for re-evaluation of the OMR answer sheet of the entrance

examination shall not be entertained beyond the time and date as stipulated by the institute. Request for re-evaluation must be submitted to the Associate Dean, Academic-2, 2nd floor, Old OPD Block, NIMS, Hyderabad 500 082.

IX. Method of Selection

1. Selection will be made based on the performance of the candidates at the entrance test.
2. In case of equality of marks in the entrance examination, the following criteria will be adopted to resolve the ties:
 - a) Candidate obtaining higher total percentage of marks in B.P.T. examination followed by
 - b) Candidate elder in age will be placed higher in the merit list in that order
3. The marks obtained by the candidates in the entrance examination and the names of candidates qualified for counselling will be displayed on the notice board of the institute/website on the date notified. In case the candidate fails to report for counselling he/she forfeits the right to admission.
4. The selection shall be based on the merit in the entrance examination. The statutory reservation rules and GOP No. 646 dated 10th July, 1979 for local area reservations will be followed during counselling. Candidates have to report for counselling in person along with all original certificates as mentioned at Annexure V and they should sign in the attendance register within the stipulated time failing which he/she shall not be permitted to attend counselling and forfeits the right to admission and the seat shall be offered to the next candidate in the merit list. No request for postponing the date of counselling or request to appear at an earlier date shall be entertained. In case, a candidate fails to report for counselling at the date and time specified, he/she forfeits the right to admission and the seat shall be offered to the next candidate in the merit list. The candidates recommended for provisional admission are required to pay an amount of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) towards counselling fee immediately. This amount will be adjusted against the fee to be paid along with the balance of the annual fee to be collected at the time of admission. In case the candidate does not, for any reason, report for admission before the specified date he/she will forfeit the seat and counselling fee. The counselling procedure is described at annexure III.

X. Admission

1. All those candidates who are selected for admission have to pay Rs.1000/- (Rupees One thousand only) non-refundable medical examination fee along with Original Certificates (candidates are advised to keep sufficient xerox copies). After medical fitness is cleared, the remaining annual fee has to be paid by the candidate as prescribed below on the date and time specified. Failure to submit the required certificates or pay the fee shall render the candidate forfeit the seat and such seat shall be allotted to the next candidate in the merit list.
2. Fee Structure:
 - a) Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees one lakh only) as department development fund
 - b) Examination fee of Rs.1500/- per annum.
 - c) For in-service (NIMS) candidate Rs.25,000/- department development fund provided they should serve NIMS for 4 years – bond has to be executed – failing which, they have to pay balance of Rs.75,000/- + 18% interest from the date of commencement of course to the day of leaving the institute.
 - d) Annual fee Rs.60,000/- (Rupees sixty thousand only) is payable by all.
 - e) Second year fee shall be paid at the commencement of the 2nd year classes
3. Candidates sponsored by Government of Telangana/Andhra Pradesh States are also required to pay the above fee. Non-payment of fee will entail discontinuation of the course.
4. The annual fee and department development fund once paid by the candidate is not refundable under any circumstances.
5. All the candidates joining the course shall execute a bond for an amount of Rs.25, 000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) at the time of admission on a non-judicial stamped paper of Rs.100/- value along with two sureties not below the rank of gazetted Officer to ensure completion of the prescribed period of course or in default to pay the bond amount and shall also have to refund the amount if any received as stipend up to that date to NIMS. The signature of the surety should be supported by seal/rubber stamp. The format of the bond to be executed may be seen at Annexure II.

6. The original certificates submitted by the candidates shall not be returned to the candidates till they complete their course of study and appear for the final examination or on fulfilling above condition.
7. For in-service candidates who are pursuing studies and who cannot deposit the original certificates at the time of admission have to bring Xerox copies of the original certificates duly attested by the controlling authorities of the institutions where they are working or studying. They shall also produce a certificate from the institution that they have no objection to the candidate's admission to the Master of Physiotherapy course and in the event of selection of the candidate to the course he/she shall be relieved immediately. Failure to submit the above certificates shall render the candidate ineligible for admission.
8. In all matters relating to selections and admission, the decision of the institute shall be final and binding on the candidates and selection cannot be questioned after admissions are closed.
9. No individual correspondence regarding entrance examination/counselling/selection/admission for the course will be made to the candidates. Candidates are requested to follow the information displayed at NIMS notice board/website: www.nims.edu.in.
10. A candidate once chosen a subject at the time of counselling, change of subject is not permitted even with mutual exchange also.
11. The candidates are required to submit all original certificates as prescribed at the time of counselling failing which he/she shall not be permitted to attend counselling/admission.
12. Institute is not responsible for any unforeseen events preventing the candidate from reaching for entrance examination/counselling and the candidate will be considered absent under such circumstances.
13. Any attempt on the part of the candidate to influence directly or indirectly by any means will be treated as disqualification.

XI. After admission

1. The students shall maintain strict discipline during the period of study/training programme in terms of conduct rules of the NIMS. Violation of the conduct rules will result in the cancellation of the admission of the candidate apart from invoking the terms and conditions of the bond. The candidate shall not resort to any strikes during the period of their study in

dereliction of their duties or air their views criticizing the policies of the Institute either before the print or Electronic Media or anywhere.

2. The candidate shall not register for any other Degree/Diploma and continue the studies concurrently while during the present course.
3. The selected candidates shall join the course by the date notified. In case the selected candidate does not report by the date, the next candidate in the order of merit will be selected in his/her place. No extension of time will be entertained.
4. The admission stands closed by the date announced and course shall commence from the notified date. Due to unforeseen reason if a seat falls vacant within the period of closure of admissions, the candidate next in order of merit as per rules will be considered for admission.
5. The Institute reserves the right to change the schedule after due notification.
6. Duties and responsibilities of students joining MPT course shall be fixed by the Institute from time to time. They will be required to pursue such works as may be needed in the legitimate interest of patient care in the hospital.
7. All selected candidates must maintain a logbook recording their day-to-day academic activities, which are to be submitted to the Dean through Proper Channel once in six months.
8. The selection of each student will be subject to medical fitness. The Medical Board appointed by the Institute will decide the medical fitness. The decision of the Medical Board shall be final.
9. All students shall adhere to the institutional rules and violation of rules will be viewed seriously.
10. Candidates found to be ineligible at any stage of examination will not be permitted to appear in the examination. In an unlikely event of any ineligible candidate appearing and/or being successful in the examination, the results of such a candidate shall be cancelled and/or are deemed to be cancelled.
11. Resultant vacancies shall be filled by the candidates belonging to the same category as those who vacated the corresponding seat.
12. The candidate shall be a full time student. No student is allowed to do any private practice or consultation. "all the candidates joining the course shall work as 'full time students' during the period of training and shall attend not

less than 85% (eighty five per cent) of the imparted training during each academic year including assignments, assessed full time responsibilities and participation in all facets of the educational process”.

13. The candidates must complete the final examination within a period of 8 (eight) years from the date of admission to the course. Failing which the candidate will be required to re-register for the course after getting himself/herself selected for the course.

XII. Leave

1. All candidates are eligible for 30 days of vacation including preparatory holidays and they are also eligible for public holidays declared by the institute. The candidates are eligible for medical leave for 14 days as recommended by the Medical Officer of the institute.
2. If a candidate is absent for more than 30 days without sanction of leave, he/she shall be deemed to have discontinued the course and the bond amount shall be recovered as per the rules. However, a candidate will be eligible for medical leave as recommended by the Medical Board constituted by the Institute. Minimum of 85% attendance is compulsory to become eligible to appear for examinations.
3. The candidate shall undergo extra training for the period covered by the absence and continue the training until the next examination.
4. In the case of candidates availing maternity leave, they shall undergo extra training to the extent of period covered by the absence before they are permitted to appear the examination.

XIII. Examination

1. The candidates will have to appear for such examinations as prescribed by the institute from time to time.
2. No student shall be allowed to appear for examinations unless he/she has paid the examination fee and other fee due payable to the Institute.

XIV. Discontinuation of the course

Candidates are permitted to discontinue the course under the following conditions. Bond conditions shall not apply in this case.

- a) Illness certified by the Medical Board of the Institute.
- b) Failing in three attempts in any subject of any examination conducted by the Institute.

XV. Closure of admission

The admissions stand closed within 2 (two) months from the date of commencement of the course. The duration of the course shall be calculated from the date of commencement of the course without any reference to the date of joining of any individual.

XVI. Termination of training and dismissal

A candidate admitted to the course shall be liable for dismissal at any time before the completion of the course on account of negligence, failure to attempt the prescribed studies, insubordination, misconduct or any other offences amounting to moral turpitude on the part of the candidate which in the opinion of the Head of the Institute makes it undesirable to continue the candidate in the institute.

XVII. Anti- Ragging Act

Ragging is prohibited in the Educational Institutions as per the Andhra Pradesh Prohibition of Ragging Act.No.26 of 1997, dated 21-08-1997 or any guidelines issued by either of Government of Telangana State or Government of India and any amendments made from time to time.

If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given liberty to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/her from the institution.

XVIII. Powers of Dean

Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules, the Dean, NIMS may at any time before completion of the course either on his/her own motion or on the application of any person after due and proper enquiry and after giving the person two weeks' time from the date of receipt of the show cause notice to submit the written explanation and on personal hearing, order the cancellation of a admission to the course. If in his opinion such candidate had furnished incorrect particulars/false information in the application or in the documents attached thereto or in the statement made either before the authority in charge of admission or the Dean or any other manner. Against any such order of the Dean, the appeal shall lie with the Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences.

XIX. This prospectus is subject to change in accordance with the decisions of the institute taken from time to time.

Sd/-
Director

Annexure I

List of documents to be submitted in person or by post along with hardcopy of application, duly signed.

1. Original bank demand draft/NIMS cash receipt (please write the name of the candidate and course applied for on the back side of draft/receipt)
2. Attested copy of marks memo of Bachelor of Physiotherapy
3. Attested copy of Internship Certificate of BPT course
4. Attested copy of Provisional/Final degree certificate of BPT
5. Attested copy of Study & Conduct Certificates for 7 years i.e. from 9th class to BPT course issued by the Principal of the college.
6. Attested true copy of *any one of the following documentary evidence* those who are claiming **non-local** candidature as defined in the Presidential Order (GOP No.646, dated 10th July, 1979, A.P. Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions), Order 1974, shall be submitted along with application *failing which their application shall be summarily rejected without any intimation.* Please refer Annexure IV for local/non-local definition.
 - i. Residence certificate of candidate for a total period of 10 years either in the States of Telangana or Andhra Pradesh excluding the periods of study outside these States issued by MRO/Tahsildar (applicable to those who have not studied in any institution during the whole or any part of seven consecutive academic years in these States immediately preceding the qualifying examination)

(OR)
 - ii. Residence Certificate either of the parent's for a total period of 10 years who have resided in the States of Telangana or Andhra Pradesh excluding periods of employment outside of these States issued by MRO/Tahsildar

(OR)
 - iii. Study certificates for ten years issued by Principal/Head of the institution, if studied in the States of Telangana or AP

(OR)
 - iv. Service certificate either of the parents who are in the employment of these States or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar quasi-Public institutions within these States at the time of submitting the application issued by the appointing authority.

(OR)
 - v. Service Certificate of the Spouse of those who are in the employment of these States or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies,

Universities and educational institutions recognized by the Government a University or other competent authority and similar other quasi-Government institutions within these States at the time of submitting the application issued by the appointing authority.

NOTE: The residence certificate of the candidate issued by MRO/Tahsildar, where applicable, must be in the format prescribed in the GOP No.646 dated 10th July, 1979.

7. Attested copy of Social Status certificate in the prescribed format in the case of BC, SC and ST candidates (Candidates belongs to BC-E category and claiming against reservation seat, please note that the certificate issued by the MRO/Tahsildar should be dated on or after 7th July, 2007). Any candidate of reserved category, if at all, failed to submit the certificate of social status along with application, his/her candidature will be assumed as OC category.
8. Attested copy of X Class marks memo/proof of date of birth
9. Attested copy of Transfer/Migration certificate of Bachelor of Physiotherapy
10. Service Certificate and No Objection Certificate from the appointing authority in original (in the case of in-service candidates)

Note: The candidates are required to submit clearly visible Xerox copies of all certificates attested by Gazetted Officer.

Please note the following:

- Application will be summarily rejected if any of the above documents are not enclosed
- Any candidate found submitting false certificate will be prosecuted as per the law
- If the memorandums of marks are not submitted along with the application form or where evaluation is done by grading, 50% will be assumed as default should there be need for tie breaking
- Do not fold the application
- Do not staple or tag application with other documents

ANNEXURE-II

Form of bond to be executed by a candidate joining into Master of Physiotherapy Course-2017

(On Non-Judicial Stamped paper Rs.100/-)

This Bond is executed on this ___ day of _____ 2017 by Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____ S/o, D/o, W/o _____ R/o _____ hereinafter called as "STUDENT" in favour of the Executive Registrar, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, (NIMS), Punjagutta, Hyderabad hereafter called as the "NIMS". WHEREAS the said student selected for the course of Master of Physiotherapy in the specialty of _____ at NIMS for the year 2017

WHEREAS the NIMS Institute has prescribed/stipulated the condition in admission prospectus that the student selected for course have to execute bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) in favour of the Executive Registrar, NIMS promising that he/she will complete the course. In case of cancellation/discontinuance of the said course by the student will be liable to pay the said bond amount and the amounts if any received from the NIMS by way of stipend etc.

Whereas the student selected has agreed to the said conditions and executing this bond. The bond will come into force from date of selection/admission.

This Bond is executed in the presence of the following witnesses.

Witness:1)

Full name with address

2)

Full name with address

signature of the student

We, the gazetted officers/faculty

1) _____ S/o _____ R/o _____

working as _____

2) _____ S/o _____ R/o _____

working as _____

hereby stand as sureties to the Bond executed by Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____ in favour of Executive Registrar, NIMS, Punjagutta, Hyderabad. We undertake the liability of the above bond amount to an extent of bond amount as well as the stipend if any received by the student/executor of the Bond. If the student/executor of the said bond fails to discharge his/her obligations under the said bond, we will pay the said amount as and when the NIMS demand.

The Sureties are signed this bond in the presence of the following witnesses on this day ____ of _____ 2017

Witness:1

2.

Sureties: 1

Sureties: 2

Note:

1. Sureties should be not below the rank of two permanent Gazetted Officers. The signature of the surety should be supported by seal/rubber stamp.
2. The following documents of the sureties are required to submit along with Bond:
 - a) Copy of Pan Card
 - b) Copy of Photo Identity

ANNEXURE-III

Counselling procedure:

1. The candidates qualified for counselling will be called on the specified date for counselling.
2. The parameters considered during the counselling are:
 - i. the roster point (see table below)
 - ii. social category allotted for that roster point
 - iii. merit order of the candidate belonging to the category and
 - iv. Availability of subject of the candidate's choice within the university area he/she belongs to (see table below) if applicable.
3. The candidates will be called in the order of roster point and asked to choose the subject of their choice. The first roster point for this year (2017) happens to be 76 and is allotted to Open Category (OC). Therefore, the top ranker among Merit List (irrespective of social status) will be called first and will be asked to choose the subject of his/her choice and will be allotted the subject, provided a seat is available within the university area (if applicable) he/she belongs to. Similarly, the second candidate to be called will be the top ranker among SC category. Further, the third candidate to be called will be the top ranker among OC-candidate (Open category: irrespective of social status) and so on. As the counselling proceeds, if a subject selected by a candidate is not available by virtue of getting filled up before, he/she will be allotted a subject of his/her second choice. The other restriction the candidate will have while selecting a particular subject is the availability of seat within the local university area he/she belongs to. In case it is not available the candidate will be asked his/her next choice where a seat is available within the university area he/she belongs to.

Roster Point	Category	Roster Point	Category
76	OC	84	OC
77	SC	85	BC-B
78	OC	86	OC
79	BC-A	87	SC
80	OC	88	OC
81	BC-B	89	BC-D
82	OC	90	OC
83	ST		

4. The University Area Reservation as per the provisions of Annexure IV of GOP 646 dated 10th July, 1979 applicable for state-wide universities is as follows:

Subject	No. of seats	Local Area Reservation			
		AU	OU	SVU	NL (Un-Reserved)
MPT - Musculoskeletal Sciences	5	2	1	1	1
MPT - Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Sciences	5	2	1	1	1
MPT - Neurosciences	5	2	1	1	1

AU -Andhra University

OU -Osmania University

SVU-Sri Venkateswara University

PROCESS OF COUNSELLING:

- Hall Ticket issued to the candidate for entrance examination must be produced for entry to counselling hall.
- Qualified candidates have to report for counselling in person with hall-ticket, counselling fee and other required documents as detailed in Annexure-V.
- Provisional certificate of BPT degree is permissible for those candidates who had passed the BPT course in the year 2017 only
- No TA/DA will be paid to any category of candidate called for counselling. All candidates should attend counselling at their own expenses. They should make their own arrangements for stay at Hyderabad.
- Option once exercised during counselling is final. A candidate who has opted for and allotted a particular seat in the first counselling will not be permitted for second/further counselling.
- The candidate has to attend in person for counselling. No proxy/ representative is permitted under any circumstances into the counselling hall.
- Second counselling will be held, if seats are vacant, on the date specified. The date shall be notified in NIMS website and no personal intimation will be sent.
- A candidate who is present for the first counselling but does not opt at his category rank will be eligible to attend second counselling.
- Any seat remaining vacant after the second counselling due to candidate's resigning (or) not opting for the discipline, will be available for the final open selection counselling.

10. Institute is not responsible for any unforeseen events preventing the candidate from reaching for counselling and the candidate will be considered absent under such circumstances

IMPORTANT NOTE:

1. No individual correspondence will be made for counselling/ selection/admission. Candidates are requested to follow the instructions/information displayed at NIMS notice board/website: <http://www.nims.edu.in> as per the scheduled programme.
2. NIMS is not responsible for any postal delay for the receipt of the completed application after the prescribed closing date.
3. For enquiries contact:
Office of Academic 2
2nd floor, Old OPD Block, NIMS
Phone No:040-23489189
Mobile No:09490295019
4. For clarifications mail to: nimsadat@gmail.com
5. Candidates are requested to visit the website regularly for any updates.

Annexure – IV

DEFINITION OF LOCAL / NON-LOCAL STATUS

1. A Candidate shall be regarded as a local candidate in relation to a local area (AU/OU/SVU)
 - 1.1. If he/she has studied in an Educational Institution or Educational Institutions in such local area for a period of not less than four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or first appeared in the relevant qualifying examination as the case may be.
 - 1.2. Where, during the whole or any part of the four consecutive academic years in which he/she appeared, or first appeared in the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in any educational institutions, if he/she resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date of commencement of the relevant qualifying examination in which he/she appeared, or first appeared, as the case may be.

A candidate who is not regarded as local candidate under clause (1.1) above in relation to any local are shall

- 2.1. If he/she studied in the educational institutions in the state for a period of not less than seven academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination as the case may be, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to.
 - i.. Such local area where he/she studied for the maximum period out of period of seven years.
 - OR
 - ii. Where the period of his/her study in two or more local areas is equal, such local area where he/she studied last in such equal periods.
- 2.2. If during the whole or any part of the seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in the educational institutions, in any local area, but has resided in the state during the whole of the said period of seven years, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to.
 - i. Such local area where he/she has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years.
 - OR
 - iii. Where the period of his/her residence in two or more local areas is equal such local area where he/she had resided last in such periods.

Note: Local area in respect of Andhra Pradesh (A.U area) includes Nagarjuna University area In respect of Sri Venkateswara University (SVU area), it includes Sri Krishnadevaraya University area, in respect of Osmania University (OU area), it includes Kakatiya University area.

3. Candidates coming under any of the categories given below and not satisfying the conditions mentioned in 1 or 2 above are treated as Non-Local to all the three University areas specified above.

a. Candidates who have resided in the State* for a total period of 10 years excluding the periods of study outside the State; or either of whose parents have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding periods of employment outside the State;

OR

b. Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of these States or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar quasi-Public Institutions within the State**;

OR

c. Candidates who are spouses of those employment of this State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and educational institutions recognized by the Government a University or other competent authority and similar other quasi-Government institutions within the State**;

*State = Telangana/Andhra Pradesh

**Parents/Spouse shall be working in Telangana/A.P. on regular basis as on date of submitting the application

For full details refer G.O. No. 646, dated 10.07.1979

Note: Any period of study in State-wide University or a State-wide educational Institution/State-wide course as defined in the schedule to the Presidential Order, 1974 shall be disregarded for determining the University area.

Annexure – V

List of certificates (ALL ORIGINALS) to be submitted at the time of counselling/ admission:

1. Marks memo of Bachelor of Physiotherapy
2. Internship certificate of BPT
3. Provisional/Final certificate of BPT Degree
4. Study & Conduct Certificates for 7 years i.e. from 9th class to BPT course issued by the Principal of the college.
5. Social Status certificate (if applicable)
6. 10th class marks memo/proof of birth certificate
7. Transfer/Migration certificate of Bachelor of Physiotherapy
8. Relieving order from the appointing authority (in case of in-service candidates)
9. Registration of Indian Association of Physiotherapists (Optional)
10. Any one of the following documentary evidence those who have applied under **non-local** category as defined in the Presidential Order (GOP No.646, dated 10th July, 1979, A.P. Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions), Order 1974, shall be submitted:
 - i. Residence certificate of candidate for a total period of 10 years either in the States of Telangana or Andhra Pradesh excluding the periods of study outside these States issued by MRO/Tahsildar (applicable to those who have not studied in any institution during the whole or any part of seven consecutive academic years in these States immediately preceding the qualifying examination)
(OR)
 - ii. Residence Certificate either of the parent's for a total period of 10 years who have resided in the States of Telangana or Andhra Pradesh excluding periods of employment outside of these States issued by MRO/Tahsildar
(OR)
 - iii. Study certificates for ten years issued by Principal/Head of the institution, if studied in the States of Telangana or AP
(OR)
 - iv. Service certificate either of the parents who are in the employment of these States or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar quasi-Public institutions

within these States at the time of submitting the application issued by the appointing authority.

(OR)

- v. Service Certificate of the Spouse of those who are in the employment of these States or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and educational institutions recognized by the Government a University or other competent authority and similar other quasi-Government institutions within these States at the time of submitting the application issued by the appointing authority.

11. Fees to be paid as per Clause X under the heading of "Admissions".

12. Bond as per annexure II

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