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NOTIFICATION

It is for the information all concerned that the Vice Chancellor in exercise of powers vested under Section 10 (d) of OUHS Act-2023 has been pleased to approve the **Regulations & Courses of Studies for 3 Years M.D. (Hom.) (Doctor of Medicine) Homoeopathy Degree Course-2023** vide F No. OUHS/CD-327/2023 on 30.11.2023.

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REGULATION & COURSES OF STUDIES FOR
3 YEARS
MD (HOM.) (DOCTOR OF MEDICINE) HOMOEOPATHY DEGREE COURSES – 2023

(Approved by the Vice Chancellor under Section 10 (8) of Odisha University of Health Sciences, Act 2021
vide F. No. OUHS/CD-327/2023 on 30.11.2023)




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**REGULATIONS & COURSES OF STUDIES FOR
MD (HOM.) (DOCTOR OF MEDICINE) HOMOEOPATHY DEGREE COURSES -2023**

1. **Title and commencement of the Program:** (Doctor of Medicine (MD in Homoeopathy Education).
 - (a) These regulations may be called "The MD (Hom.) [Doctor of Medicine (MD) in Homoeopathy] Regulations - 2023".
 - (b) These regulations are in conformity with the Homoeopathy (Postgraduate Degree Course) M.D. (Hom.) regulations prescribed by National Commission for Homoeopathy (Formerly Central Council of Homoeopathy) and in force.
 - (c) They shall come into force from the current academic year 2023-24.
 - (d) The Regulations framed are subject to modification by the Academic Council and Executive Board of the Odisha University of Health Sciences, Bhubaneswar from time to time.
2. **Introduction:** Homoeopathy is a holistic, logical and philosophical system of individualistic drug therapeutics, based on well proved scientific principles, especially the Law of Similars. It has the potentiality to cure all those cases that have not amassed irreversible patho-physiological changes; in the latter condition, it induces a long lasting relief.

Health is the balanced state of body & mind of an individual maintaining equilibrium within himself / herself and his / her environment. During health, one has normal sensations & functions because both body & mind work in a harmonious way (homeostasis). Human being comprises multidimensional levels - physical, mental, emotional, spiritual & social, and even a slight disturbance at any of these levels cause ripples of effect, to flow in any direction.

Homoeopathic medicines offer support to the body's natural defense mechanism & cure the disease permanently. The entire body must be treated so that it can do its own correction of metabolism & re-establish natural functions. Homoeopathy has its limitations, like other Systems of Medicine; the response in Homoeopathy depends upon remedy image clarity, defensive mechanism of the body, type and extent of disease & prior treatments patient has taken. The effectiveness of homoeopathic treatment is a highly individualized matter & multiple factors are contributing.

Especially, in the times where physicians are moving towards specialisation and super-specialisation (seeing more and more of less and less). Homoeopathy pride itself with being the flag bearer of holistic approach. The famous philosopher Aristotle carefully said 'The whole is more than the sum of the parts.' With the emergence of systems thinking and philosophy, our holistic view of life (and disease) has just got another boost.

Homoeopathy is capable of meeting most future requirements in the field of medicine — be the disease a novel entity, or is rapidly progressing as an epidemic. It, when practiced appropriately, is inexpensive, safe and effective. It is high time; the postgraduate students concentrate more and integrate technology with all systems of medicine including Homoeopathy. The disciplines of medicine should rise to the occasion and work in the right direction — with their best interests for humanity.
3. **Goal:** The goal is to train the basic Homoeopathic graduate, to ensure a better healer and to produce excellent thinkers, research scholars and teachers in Homoeopathy as well as to achieve highest standards in the system of Homoeopathy.
4. **Objectives:** The objective are to promote, develop, conduct research on various aspects of Homoeopathy; and provide medical care through Homoeopathy to the suffering humanity.

5. **Eligibility for admission to the Course:** The eligibility criteria prescribed by the National Commission for Homoeopathy from time to time for admission to the course (s) through All India AYUSH Postgraduate Entrance Test (AIA-PGET) or as to be amended, from time to time, shall be applicable to the affiliated colleges / institutions under the University mutatis mutandis. In addition, the candidate (s) allotted a seat on the basis of qualifying examination and merit, shall be required to submit College Leaving Certificate, Migration Certificate (if applicable) in original, Physical Fitness Certificate and a declaration before the Principal / Director of the Institution that;

- (i) I have obtained permanent registration with the National Commission for Homoeopathy, or any of the State Medical Council (s) or shall obtain the same within a period of one month from the date of my admission, failing which my admission shall stand cancelled.
- (ii) I am not continuing in any Degree Course under any State, Deemed, Central University and Autonomous Body,
- (iii) I have not been involved in any kind of criminal and unlawful activities in the past.

Provided further, after fulfilment of all conditions, the University on receipt of student's detail with prescribed fees, shall issue University Registration Number as per OUHS First Statute- 2023, which shall be used as Roll Number for End Term University Main Examination (s).

6. **Duration:** The duration of training for Postgraduate M.D (Hom.) course shall be of three years including one year of house job.

7. **Medium of instructions:** English shall be the medium of instruction for all the subjects of study and for examinations of the course.

8. **Commencement of the Course:** The course will commence from September 1st. of every year or as to be prescribed by the National Commission for Homoeopathy (formerly Central Council of Homoeopathy), India from academic year to year.

9. **Academic year:** The academic year shall be twelve months commencing on the first day of enrolment into the course.

10. **Attendance:** Every candidate as a full-time student, during the period of house job and training, shall attend not less than 80% of the imparted training in each part of the MD (Hom.) Degree Course.

11. **Course Cycle and Structure:** The whole duration of three years is divided into two cycles or terms which consists of 18 months each.

11.1. **Cycle:** Every student shall undertake theoretical, practical / clinical (wherever applicable), teaching one year house job, attend symposia, seminars, conferences, journal review meetings, case presentations, lectures and obtain approval of Title of the Synopsis of the Dissertation to be submitted in partial fulfilment of the requirements of the M.D. (Homoeopathy) Degree. The Guide (Supervisor), and Departmental Research Committee to be constituted by the College / Institution shall review the performance of the P.G. scholar during house job, training, synopsis, and dissertation writing and other assignments. Each Cycle or Part of the course shall consist of not less than 360 working days. The MD (Hom.) Part- I University Examination shall be conducted at the end of 18 months from the date of admission to the MD (Hom.) Part I Degree Course, and MD (Hom.) Part- II University Examination shall be conducted at the end of subsequent 18 months from the date of completion of 18 months MD (Hom.) Part I Degree Course.

11.2. **Structure:** The structure of the MD (Hom.) Course comprises of Theory, Practical or Clinical, Synopsis, Dissertation writing, and Oral Viva Voce. The University shall adopt the courses and plan of studies in respect of the following specialties as prescribed by the National Commission for Homoeopathy (formerly Central Council of Homoeopathy), from time to time, and in force.

11.2.1. MD (Hom.) Course (s):

| SI No. | MD (Hom.) Specialty |
|--------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Homoeopathic Philosophy |
| 2 | Materia Medica |
| 3 | Repertory |
| 4 | Homoeopathic Pharmacy |
| 5 | Practice of Medicine |
| 6 | Paediatrics |
| 7 | Psychiatry |

11.2.2. MD (Hom.) Course – Codes: The following codes shall be adhered to specialty wise in respect of the Theory and Practical / Clinical components of the Courses (s);

- i. The total number of digits used in the course is 8 and 9 in case of Practical subjects of Part- I & II.
- ii. The 1st two digits (Numerical) indicates the Year of Courses of Studies.
- iii. The 3rd digit (Letter) indicates the “Faculty” Homoeopathy Medicine.
- iv. The 4th & 5th digits (Letters) indicate the Course Code “MD”.
- v. The 6th & 7th digits (Letters) indicate the Subject Code.
- vi. The 8th & 9th digits (Numerical) indicate the year and sequence of the Theory Subject (s) of the year.
- vii. The 9th digit (Letter) indicates the type of the subject i.e. “P” Practical of the Theory Subject.

| SI | Course | Specialty | Code | Theory Part-I & II | Practical - Clinical - Oral (Viva Voce) Part I & II |
|----|-----------|-------------------------|------|----------------------------------|--|
| 1 | MD (Hom.) | Homoeopathic Philosophy | PH | 23HMDPH11, 2, 3, 23HMDPH21, 2 | 23HMDPH1P, 23HMDPH3P & 23HMDPH2P |
| 2 | MD (Hom.) | Materia Medica | MM | 23HMDMM11, 2, 3 23HMDMM21, 2 | 23HMDMM1P, 23HMDMM3P & 23HMDMM2P |
| 3 | MD (Hom.) | Repertory | RP | 23HMDRP11, 2, 3 23HMDRP21, 2 | 23HMDRP1P, 23HMDRP3P & 23HMDRP2P |
| 4 | MD (Hom.) | Homoeopathic Pharmacy | HP | 23HMDHP11, 2, 3 23HMDHP21, 2 | 23HMDHP1P, 23HMDHP3P & 23HMDHP2P |
| 5 | MD (Hom.) | Practice of Medicine | PM | 23HMDPM11, 2, 3 23HMDPM21, 2 | 23HMDPM1P, 23HMDPM3P & 23HMDPM2P |
| 6 | MD (Hom.) | Paediatrics | PE | 23HMDPE11, 2, 3 23HMDPE21, 2 | 23HMDPE1P, 23HMDPE3P & 23HMDPE2P |
| 7 | MD (Hom.) | Psychiatry | PS | 23HMDPS11, 2, 3 23HMDPS21, 2 | 23HMDPS1P, 23HMDPS3P & 23HMDPS2P |

NB: Faculty – Homoeopathy Medicine – “H”, Degree: MD (Hom.).

Illustration- Structure of MD (Hom.) – Homeopathy Philosophy

| Sub Code | Title | University Examination | | Total |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---|-------|
| | | Theory | Practical - Clinical - Oral (Viva Voce) | |
| MD (Hom.) Part I | | | | |
| 23HMDPH11 | Homeopathy Philosophy | 100 | | 150 |
| 23HMDPH1P | | | 50 | |
| 23HMDPH12 | Common | 100 | -- | 100 |
| 23HMDPH13 | Common | 100 | | 150 |
| 23HMDPH3P | | | 50 | |
| Total | | | | 400 |
| MD (Hom.) Part II | | | | |
| 23HMDPH21 | Homeopathy Philosophy- I | 100 | -- | 400 |
| 23HMDPH22 | Homeopathy Philosophy- II | 100 | | |
| 23HMDPH2P | | | 200 | |
| Total | | | | 400 |

Note: The Theory and Practical / Clinical Paper including Oral (Viva Voce) components shall be in conformity with the Homoeopathy (Postgraduate Degree Course) M.D. (Hom.) regulations prescribed by National Commission for Homoeopathy (formerly Central Council of Homoeopathy) from time to time, and in force.

12. Plan of Studies (Teaching, Training & Practice): The major components of the Postgraduate (Specialty) curriculum shall be:

- (i) Theoretical knowledge
- (ii) House job - Practical and clinical skills (in clinical specialties) after joining the MD (Hom.) programme,
- (iii) Finalization of Title of the Synopsis, Writing Dissertation & Research articles.
- (iv) Attitudes including communication skills.
- (v) Training in Research Methodology, Medical Ethics and Medicolegal aspects.

12.1. Course Cycle of MD (Hom.) Part I & II.-

(i) **MD (Hom.) Part- I-** During the first cycle / term, upon enrolment, the P.G. students shall be assigned with the house job for a period of 12 months.

Every student shall be taught one main subject of the Specialty subjects, and two common subsidiary subjects such as Research Methodology and Biostatistics, and History of Medicine, Advanced teaching of Fundamentals of Homoeopathy. In addition, each candidate shall submit a synopsis with title for his / her dissertation within the 1st Term of 6 months of his / her admission to the MD (Hom.) course, through his / her Guide (Supervisor) with the approval of Departmental Research Committee and Ethics Committee to the University for approval. In case of its rejection, the candidate has to resubmit the synopsis to the University with necessary additions / deletions or modifications through the Guide (Supervisor) for approval.

The MD (Hom.) Part- I University Examination shall be conducted at the end of 18 months from the date of admission to the MD (Hom.) Degree Course.

(ii) **MD (Hom.) Part- II -** During the period of the second cycle / term, there shall be two main papers of the specialty.

The candidate shall be given graded responsibility in the management and treatment of patients. He shall participate in teaching and training of undergraduate students or interns. Each Postgraduate trainee has to attend the Out Patient Department in the morning session regularly. In the second half of the day, he/she shall be available in the concerned department for pursuing academic activities as directed by the competent authorities including Principal / Director and Guide (Supervisor).

The candidate shall attend seminars, case presentations and journal club meetings, maintain log books, do the laboratory works, visit homoeopathic industries; etc (wherever required), keeping in view the needs of each specialty subject. The Departmental Research Committee shall be constituted by the Head of the College / Institution.

In addition, the candidate shall be required to write a dissertation with detailed commentary which shall provide the candidate with necessary background of training in research methods and techniques along with the art of writing research papers and learning and making use of library.

12.1. A regular student shall fulfill the following components as per the time line.

| Sl | Pre-qualification / Requirements for appearing at University main examinations | Time line / Term |
|-------------------------|--|---|
| MD PART-I (Hom.) | | |
| 1 | Minimum 80% attendance in Theory and Practicals / Clinicals of the subjects separately and the certificate to be jointly certified by the Guide (Supervisor) and Head of the College / Institution. | |
| 2 | Satisfactory completion of 12 months House Job | 1 st and 2 nd Term (1-12 Months) |
| 3 | Allotment of Guide* and approval of the Title & Synopsis of Dissertation work recommended by the Guide (Supervisor) through the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) and Ethics Committee of the College to the University. Note: The DRC shall be constituted by the Head of the College / Institution. Once the title of the Synopsis of the proposed Dissertation is approved by the University, any change would be considered only in extraordinary circumstances with justifiable reasons. | 1 st Term (1-6 months) |
| 4 | Participated in the half-yearly review of the training programme by the Guide (Supervisor), and DRC of the College / Institution with satisfactory progress report. | 2 nd & 3 rd Term (7-12 & 13-17 months) |
| 5 | Mandatory attendance and participation in the College Journal Review meetings, Symposia, Seminars, Conferences, Clinical Case presentations, Lectures etc. as prescribed by the Guide (Supervisor). | 1-13 months |
| 6 | Appearance in 1 st Term Internal Assessments | 3 rd Term 13-15 months |
| 7 | Participation in minimum two State or National level specialty specific / relevant Seminars and / or Conferences. | 1 st - 3 rd Term and before the registration for MD Part I Examination |
| 8 | Joint certificate by the Guide (Supervisor) and Principal of the College / Institution certifying satisfactory completion of house job commenced after enrolment in the Collegiate Hospital or a similar one satisfying the requirement in the Department concerned in cases of clinical and non-clinical subjects, as the case may be. | 1 st and 2 nd Term (1-12 months) |
| | University MD (Hom.) Part I examinations | At the end of 3 rd term i.e during 18 th month from the month of enrolment. |

| SI | Pre-qualification / Requirements for appearing at University main examinations | Time line / Term |
|--------------------------|---|---|
| MD (Hom.) PART II | | |
| 1 | Minimum 80% attendance of the course of studies separately in Theory and Practicals / Clinicals of the subjects with joint certification by the Guide (Supervisor) and Head of the College / Institution. | |
| 2 | Participated in the half-yearly review of the training programme by the Guide (Supervisor), and DRC of the College / Institution. | 2 nd & 3 rd Term (7-12 & 13-17 Months) |
| 3 | Mandatory participation and attendance in the College / Institution Journal Review meetings, Symposia, Seminars, Conferences, Clinical Case presentations and Lectures etc. as prescribed by the Guide (Supervisor) and Department. | |
| 4 | Participated in the Half-yearly review and evaluation of Dissertation Work by the Guide / Supervisor, and DRC. | 4 th Term – 5 th Term |
| 5 | Appearance in 2 nd Term Internal Assessments (Pre-requisite for submission of Final Dissertation) | At the end of 5 th Term i.e. 25-28 months |
| 6 | Pass in MD (Hom.) Part I Examination (Pre-requisite for submission of final dissertation) | Before end of 5 th Term i.e. 25-28 months |
| 7 | Participation in minimum two number of State or National level specialty specific / relevant Seminar (s) and or Conference (s) with the prior approval of the Guide (Supervisor) and the Head of the college / institution. | 4 th -5 th Term and before the submission of final Dissertation work Report at the end of 5 th Term i.e. 27-30 months. |
| 8 | Submission of the Dissertation on his /her Specialty of not less than 10000 words (6 copies) to the University with the recommendation of the Guide (Supervisor) with plagiarism report not exceeding 20%. | At the end of 5 th Term |
| 9 | Acceptance of the Dissertation by the examiners appointed by the University | 6 th Term, and before the notification for MD (Hom.) Part II examination |
| | University MD (Hom.) Part II examinations | At the end month of 6th Term i.e. 36th Month. |

*The Guide / Supervisor has to be a registered teacher, and recognized Guide of the University.

*Internal Assessments (Theory, Practical / Clinical / Log book etc) are pre-requisite to appear at the MD (Hom.) Part I and Part II examinations.

12.2. Teaching & Training:

- A candidate upon his / her enrolment to MD (Hom.) Course shall work as 'Full Time Student' and undertake House Job for a period of 12 months during which he / she has to impart teaching, training as to be determined by the Guide (Supervisor) and DRC of the College / Institution.
- S/he shall identify the title of the Synopsis for Dissertation work under an approved Guide (Supervisor) and will submit to the University for final approval. Post approval, s/he shall undertake her / his dissertation project observing the highest standards of intellectual honesty and probity.
- S/he shall be required to participate in the teaching and training programmes of undergraduate students and interns.

(iv) During the course of dissertation work, his/her progress will be duly monitored and evaluated quarterly by the Guide (Supervisor) and Head of the Department. The Guide (Supervisor) shall guide with an aim at contributing to the development of a spirit of enquiry, besides exposing the candidate to the techniques of research, critical analysis, acquaintance with the latest advances in homoeopathic science and the manner of identifying and consulting available literature. Once the dissertation work is complete, the student shall analyse the results and write a report in keeping with the standard guidelines to submit to the University at least six months before the scheduled month of the MD (Hom.) Part II University examinations.

(v) S/he shall maintain a record (Log book) of the work carried out by him / her and the training programme undergone during the period of training including details of journal review meetings, case presentations, seminars, conferences attended which shall be checked and assessed periodically by the Guide (Supervisor).

(vi) There shall be proper training in basic medical sciences related to the disciplines concerned; so also, in the applied aspects of the subject; and allied subjects related to the disciplines concerned.

- a) Basic medical sciences – The teaching and training of the students shall be through lectures, seminars, journal clubs, meetings, group discussions, participation in laboratory and experimental work, and involvement in research studies in the concerned specialty and exposure to the 'applied aspects' of the subject relevant to clinical specialties.
- b) The teaching and training of the students shall include graded responsibility in the management and treatment of patients entrusted to their care; participation in seminars, conferences, journal clubs, group discussions, clinical meetings, grand rounds, and practical training in diagnosis and medical; training in the basic medical sciences, as well as in allied clinical specialties.

Provided further, under no circumstances, migration / transfer of a student undergoing any postgraduate degree course shall be entertained.

(vii) The dissertation shall be examined by a minimum of four examiners appointed by the University; one internal and three external examiners, who shall not be the examiners for Theory and Clinical examination. The Dissertation shall be evaluated by the External Examiners appointed by the University.

13. Scheme of Internal Assessments and passing criteria

13.1. Internal Assessments for MD (Hom.) course: Periodic evaluation is a distinctive policy of the Postgraduate training program at College / Institution. Internal assessments of the P.G. students will be carried in the manner given in the following Table.

IAT- Internal Assessment Test.

| Domain (Assigned Marks) | 1 st Term (1-18 months) | | 2 nd Term (19-36 months) | | Total Score (Aggregate 50%) | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|--------------------------------|----|--|--|
| | IAT | | IAT | | | | | |
| | Max. marks | Mark scored | Max marks | Mark Scored | | | | |
| 1. Theory (50/ Term x 2= 100) | 50 | 25 | 50 | 25 | (Out of 100) | 50 | | |
| 2. Oral / Practical / Clinical (50/ Term x 2= 100) | 50 | 25 | 50 | 25 | (Out of 100) | 50 | | |

| Domain (Assigned Marks) | 1 st Term (1-18 months) | | 2 nd Term (19-36 months) | | Total Score (Aggregate 50%) | | | |
|--|---|-------------|---|-------------|--------------------------------|-----|--|--|
| | IAT | | IAT | | | | | |
| | Max. marks | Mark scored | Max marks | Mark Scored | | | | |
| 3. Journal Review Meeting (JR), Seminar (S), Case Presentations (CP) and Log Book (LB) evaluation (100 / Terms x 2= 200) | 100 [20 (JR) + 20 (S) + 20 (CP) + 40 (LB)] | 50 | 100 [20 (JR) + 20 (S) + 20 (CP) + 40 (LB)] | 50 | (Out of 200) | 100 | | |

14. Eligibility criteria for appearing at University examinations: A candidate shall be eligible to appear at the theory and practical / clinical examinations if s/he has fulfilled the following:

- i. Minimum 80% attendance in each academic cycle (of 18 months).
- ii. Completed 1 month House Job in the 1st Cycle after enrolment to the programme,
- iii. Completed minimum 18 / 36 month of tenure from the date of enrolment to the MD (Hom.) course.
- iv. Participation in at least two number of State and / National level Seminars and / conferences (s).
- v. Submission and approval of Synopsis for dissertation work at least 6 months prior to MD (Hom.) Part I Examinations.
- vi. Appeared at the College Internal Assessments,
- vii. Approval of dissertation by the University on the recommendations of the External & Internal examiners.

The pre-requisites for being eligible to appear at the MD (Hom.) Part I & II University examinations have been prescribed under Regulation No 12.1.

15. Examinations: The examinations shall be organised on the basis of 'Marking system' to evaluate and certify candidate's level of knowledge, skill and competence at the end of MD (Hom.) Part- I 1st Cycle of the House Job and training i.e. at the end month of 18 months and at the end of 2nd Term i.e. at the end 36th Months.

M.D. (Hom.) examinations, in any subject, shall consist of Theory Papers, and Clinical / Practical and Oral examinations.

- a) There shall be four theory papers.
 - (i) Out of these four theory papers, one shall be of basic medical sciences and one shall be of recent advances.
 - (ii) The theory examinations shall be held well in advance before the Clinical and Practical examination, so that the answer books can be assessed and evaluated before the commencement of the Clinical / Practical and Oral examinations.
- b) Clinical examination for the subjects in Clinical subjects shall be conducted to test the knowledge and competence of the candidates for undertaking independent work as a specialist / Teacher, for which candidate shall examine a minimum one long case and two short cases.
 - (i) The Clinical / Practical and Oral examination shall consist of carrying out special investigative techniques for diagnosis and therapy and reasoning skills.
 - (ii) Practical examinations for the subjects in basic medical sciences shall be conducted to test the knowledge and competence of the candidates for making valid and relevant observations based on the experimental / laboratory studies and his / her ability to perform such studies as are relevant to his subject.

- (iii) The oral examination shall be thorough and shall aim at assessing the candidate knowledge and competence about the subject, investigative procedures, therapeutic technique and other aspects of the specialty, which form a part of the examination.
- (iv) The University shall conduct not more than two examinations in a year, for any subject, with an interval of not less than 4 and not more than 6 months between the two examinations.

15.1. Formative and Internal Assessment / Examinations (College / Institution): There shall be one college / institution level internal assessment of both theory and clinical / practical in each term i.e. 1st, and 2nd Term.

15.2. Theory - Internal Assessment (IA) will include:

- a) Written tests, should have essay type questions, short notes and creative writing experiences.
- b) Practical / Clinical IA shall include: practical / clinical tests, Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) / Objective Structured Practical Examination (OSPE), Directly Observed Procedural Skills (DOPS), Mini Clinical Evaluation Exercise (Mini-CEX), records maintenance and attitudinal assessment.
- c) Assessment of Log-book. Log book should record all activities like seminars, symposia, journal review meetings, quiz competitions and other academic activities. Achievement of certifiable competencies should also be recorded in logbooks. It should be assessed regularly and submitted to the Head of the department.

15.3. Scheme of Theory Examinations (Summative):

- i. The Nature of questions will include long answer questions, short answers questions (focused, analytical and applied).
- ii. The practical / clinical examinations will be conducted in the laboratories and / or hospital wards and / or skills labs as relevant.
- iii. The Viva / oral examination should assess approach to patient management, emergencies, attitudinal, ethical and professional values.

15.4. Uniform Formats / Templates: The University, therefore, has prescribed following uniform format (s) to be followed at the college / institution level, and university end for all purposes which is under Annexure A.

15.5. Preservation of Evidences: All evidences (Questions, Answer Booklets, and other records) maintained at College / Institution and University level shall be preserved at respective end as a part of record (Electronic / Hard Copy) for the whole tenure of 6 years of the Course (4 Years in case of P.G. Diploma holders) and shall be subject to scrutiny at the time of verification.

16. Registration:

(i) Each student, within 12 months from the date of his / her admission into the 1st Term, shall be required to register with the University through the College / Institution for acceptance of Synopsis for the Dissertation work in the prescribed Proforma on payment of a fee as to be notified by the University.

Provided further; in case of non-acceptance of Synopsis of the proposed Dissertation work by the end of 1st Term, s/he shall have to re-register on payment of additional fee as to be prescribed by the University afresh.

(ii) Each student shall register in the 2nd Term for submission of final Dissertation through the College / Institution in the prescribed Proforma on payment of a fee as to be notified by the University.

(iii) The College / Institution shall register the subjects of eligible students at the end of 2nd Term with the University on payment of a fee as to be notified by the University towards conduct of University examinations. The College / Institution shall retain 15% of the University fees towards Examination Centres expenditure. However, such retention of fees @ 15% shall not be applicable in case of Supplementary / Attempt / Detained examinations.

17. **Passing marks:** Obtaining a minimum of 50% marks in 'Theory' as well as 'Practical' separately shall be mandatory for passing examination as a whole.
18. **Promotion, Carry over benefit and Re-admission:** (i) In case of a student failing to secure approval of the synopsis of the Dissertation within the stipulated period of 1st term, s/he shall have to re-register, with a repetition of an additional term.
(ii) In case of the final Dissertation fails to get recommended by the evaluators appointed by the University, prior to the final date of registration to the Part I University examinations, s/he will register for next examination to be conducted by the University within a period of not exceeding more than 6 (six) months from the month of preceding examination.
(iii) There is no scope and provision of carry over benefit into MD (Hom.) (Specialty) Course.
(iv) Re-admission in a case where a candidate ceased / absconded / discontinued for more than two year (s) in one phase, would be allowed provided s/he has not pursued or undergone any other recognised course or training during the period, and not involved in any objectionable act.
19. **Supplementary Examination:** There shall be no supplementary examination for MD (Hom.) Course. However, the University will conduct an additional examination within next six months after the regular examination for the relevant Course.
20. **Classification of successful candidates and award of Degree:** The University shall follow the Marking with Class pattern to evaluate and to certify candidate's level of knowledge, skill and competence at the end of the training till the adoption of Grading System by the Academic Council and Executive Board.
 - 20.1. **Declaration of Class:** If a candidate having appeared in all the subjects and has passed that examination, shall be placed in Pass class irrespective of the percentage of marks secured by him/her in the whole examinations.
Provided further, the guidelines of National Commission of Homoeopathy if any in the matter shall be adhered to by the University.
 - 20.2. **Award of Degree:** A candidate having appeared at all the subjects in M.D. (Hom.) Part II examination and passed in all the subjects. S/he shall be eligible for award of M.D. (Hom.) **Doctorate of Medicine (Specialty)** within the laid down period of six years.
21. **Log Book, Record and Evaluation Guidelines:** Every Postgraduate trainee shall maintain a work diary / log book and record their daily academic and clinical activities. Log-book or E-Log-book facility shall be provided / created by the college / institution as prescribed by the University. The logbook shall be certified by the Head of the Department / Guide concerned under whom he / she has undergone training. The Head of the Department / Guide shall scrutinise the work diary / log book once in a week. On successful completion of the training, the candidate should summarise the contents and get the work diary / log book certified by the Head of the Department / Guide. The work

diary / log book should be submitted for further scrutiny and evaluation to the academic section three months before the notification of University examinations.

22. Withdrawal from Course, Struck off from the rolls of the College / Institution Admitted and withdrawal of Degree:

- 22.1. The University upon application, shall cancel the registration number issued to the candidate, and issue migration certificate on payment of fee to be prescribed by the University.
- 22.2. A student's name will be struck off from the rolls of the College / Institution in any of the following cases if he/ she does not qualify / pass within the permitted tenure of the Course:
 - 22.2.1 A student without intimation remained absent for more than one year.
 - 22.2.2 Any student found to have obtained admission in fraudulent manner; if the documents furnished for gaining admission by any student are found to be forged/ false/ doctored at any stage of study.
 - 22.2.3 If any student is found to be involved in serious breach of discipline of the institutions.
 - 22.2.4 A degree awarded by the University may be withdrawn if it is found at the later stage that the candidate has submitted any forged document or ineligible at the time of admission to the course.

23. Medal (s), Award (s) & Prize (s): The University shall notify as and when decided by the Executive Board from time to time.

24. Discretionary Power: Notwithstanding anything contained in the above, in case of any doubt or difficulty as to the interpretation of these Regulation (s), the matter shall be referred to the Vice Chancellor and his / her decision in this behalf, subject to the provisions of the OUHS Act - 2021, and 1st Statute – 2023, shall be final.



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