



Bharati Vidyapeeth

(Deemed to be University)
Pune, India.



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MEDICAL COLLEGE, PUNE

- ★ Accredited with 'A+' Grade (2017) by NAAC ★
- ★ Category-I University Status by UGC ★
- ★ NIRF Ranking - 62 ★

"Social Transformation Through Dynamic Education"

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Ref. No. : BVDU / MC / 3120 / 20-21

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JOINING INSTRUCTIONS: MBBS COURSE 2020

Dear Parents and Students

Warm Greetings and Hearty Congratulations to you/ your ward on securing admission to Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College, Pune in the MBBS course.

On behalf of all faculty and staff of Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College, Pune, I, Dr N S Mani, Principal, welcome you to this prestigious University and Medical College. Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) and the Medical College, Pune have the unique distinction of having been awarded "A" Grade status by MHRD, Government of India. It is reaccredited with "A+" grade by NAAC. The medical college is listed with the World Federation of Medical Colleges. Most recently it has been ranked 40th in the India Today survey and 30th in The Week surveys of top medical colleges of our country.

Our Medical College is located in the Dhankawadi Campus of Bharati Vidyapeeth, which is a sprawling lush green beautiful campus with excellent educational ambience, dedicated, experienced and caring faculty and a state of art multispecialty NABH accredited tertiary care hospital, Bharati Hospital and Research Centre. The college has spacious class rooms with modern A V aids and practical halls. It has an excellent library with more than 15000 text and reference books & national, international journals, digital library with online learning resources and all other facilities to enable quality higher medical education. The hospital is equipped with state of the art equipment with NABL accredited laboratories, NABH accredited blood bank and other accreditations to its credit. I am sure you will make most out of this opportunity.

The Medical College conducts recognized Post graduate (MD/MS), Super Specialty (DM/MCh), Post-doctoral fellowship and many Skill Development Courses for the benefit of our students. The college follows strictly the NMC/ MCI regulations for under graduate medical education in terms of faculty requirements, curricula, teaching programmes and assessment procedures. A new MBBS Competency Based Curriculum has been implemented for batches joining from 2019 onwards which is available on the website of the NMC at nmc.org.in, which you should get familiar with.

Please note that the academic session for your batch for the year 2020-21 will commence on the 02 Jan 2021. The recognition status and other information regarding the college is displayed on the college website at mcpune.bharativedyapeeth.edu and all students and parents/ guardians are advised to keep abreast of the college information which will be displayed from time to time on the website. You are expected to display a high standard of personal integrity and character at all times during your course in this institution. This

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Undergraduate programme is a full time course and it entails often working beyond college and hospital working hours.

The MBBS course will be conducted as per the curriculum specified by the National Medical Commission (NMC). You are also expected to undertake a certain degree of self-directed, experiential and collaborative learning. Logbooks are required to be maintained at all Phases of the course in addition to Practical/Clinical journals. Your teachers are extremely student friendly and will guide you at all times. We also have a student teacher mentor system for the benefit of our students.

The Session will commence on **02 Jan 2021** with a Foundation Course in which we will make you conversant with various aspects of the medical profession and orient you towards the college and the course. This will be conducted from **02 till 23 January 2021** online which you have to attend from home and will comprise daily sessions except on Sundays. For purposes of logging into the sessions Dr Neela Vaidya, Assoc. Professor Biochemistry will be emailing you, your new email IDs under the Bharati Vidyapeeth domain which will only be used for logging on to the sessions. A WhatsApp group has been formed for this purpose to coordinate matters with you. If you do not have a WhatsApp number, I suggest you get such a number and use it while in college, as many instructions are passed through this medium. Please note that it is compulsory for you to attend this programme and attendance will be recorded.

You are required to report to college physically on or before **01 Feb 2021**, when the training programme and classes of 1st Phase subjects will commence. Please ensure that you possess all necessary personal equipment as required for your training. During your course you will be required to participate in presentations besides didactic teaching. Possession of a laptop is desirable though not essential.

Please pay heed to the following points of general nature when you join.

1. In this COVID19 affected times, personal masking, hand disinfection and social distancing are the norm and are strictly followed at college. The college and hospital has made adequate arrangements to cater to any staff or students falling ill with COVID19. All precautions are being observed while conducting teaching sessions and in the hostels. The present batches have already joined their classes and are busy preparing for their respective university examinations. Hence, in the interest of your safety please observe all basic precautions when you join college.
2. All students and parents are requested to be aware of current government guidelines as regards movement and quarantine, if any, in respective states and plan their travel accordingly.
3. You will be provided hostel accommodation in the campus if you so desire. Dr Anita Patil (Mob 9657729907) is the in charge of the New Girls' hostel and Dr Abhijit Mane (Mob 7875939702) of the Boys' hostel. Please strictly adhere to the regulations of the hostel at all times. Violation of regulations may lead to disciplinary action/ expulsion from the hostel.
4. Please maintain cordial relations with all concerned at your place of study and pay adequate compliments to all faculty and seniors as required from time to time.
5. The MBBS course is a stressful period and it is understandable that some of you may face adjustment issues related to study, stay away from home and other such issues. A counselling cell is established in the college under the supervision of HOD Psychiatry for this purpose whom you are free to approach at any time.
6. This institution observes zero tolerance for issues pertaining to ragging and gender discrimination for which appropriate cells are functioning.
7. Working hours in the college and hospital are from 8.30 am to 4.30 pm.

8. The college has a well-endowed library containing hard copies of reference books and books for issue and a good stock of national and international journals which you should utilize for your advancement. A reading room is functional round the clock for your study purposes. Please do not buy books in a hurry before you are briefed in your departments about this.
9. In addition, the college has a valuable digital library for your use. Free Wi Fi is provided in the college for which you should register yourself when you join.
10. Students are provided limited vacation periods which you may avail. Please do not absent yourself from classes without adequate reason as you have to fulfil the mandatory attendance requirements as specified by the NMC which is 75% for theory and 80% for practicals/clinical classes. The 25% provided is for eventualities related to sickness and other emergencies.
11. Please pay your fees on time and do not approach for concessions because, as a policy, concessions are not permitted.
12. All correspondence is to be routed to the undersigned through the Vice Principal in charge UG affairs, Dr MD Karmarkar (M 9822912023), Professor, Forensic Medicine and Toxicology and Professor in charge Under Graduate Training Dr Meghna Padwal, Prof and HOD Biochemistry (M 9822601149)
13. Please organize your personal affairs before coming as you will get busy once you join. All students are advised to open a bank account in Bharati Sahakari Bank in the campus to facilitate payments from time to time.
14. Pune weather is temperate in nature and dry. Winters requires at most light woollens. Vehicles in the early years of study are not advised.

These instructions are general in nature. More specific instructions will be issued by your respective Departments.

Enjoy your stay with us! Work hard and wish you all the best in the days ahead.

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