

**H.P. PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS
REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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No.HP-PERC/825/MMU/ CA-2025-26/ - 2192 - 95

Dated: 03/01/25

To

✓ **The Registrar,**
Maharishi Markandeshwar University,
Kumarhatti, Solan (HP)-173229

Subject: Course Approval for the Academic Session 2025-26.

Sir,

Please refer to your Course Approval proposal vide letter No.MMU/Solan/2024/488 dated 09.11.2024 and submissions made before this Commission on 31.12.2024 in course approval meeting and subsequent correspondence, if any. In this regard, I am directed to convey that the following courses have been approved for the academic session 2025-26 as per section 31(5) of the Act of Maharishi Markandeshwar University:-

Existing Courses

Sr. No.	Name of course	Approved intake for 2025-26	Remarks
1	MBBS	150	
2	MS in Anatomy	03	
3	MD in Pathology	05	
4	MD in Bio-Chemistry	03	
5	MD in Physiology	03	
6	MD in Pharmacology	03	
7	MD in Microbiology	03	
8	MD in Forensic Medicine	03	
9	MD in Community Medicine	03	
10	MS (Otorhinolaryngology)	02	
11	MS (Ophthalmology)	02	
12	MS(OBG)	06	
13	MS (General Surgery)	10	
14	MD(Respiratory Medicine)	02	
15	MD (Pediatrics)	06	
16	MD(Anesthesiology)	10	
17	MD (Psychiatry)	02	
18	MD (General Medicine)	10	
19	MD (Radio-Diagnosis)	07	

20	MD (Dermatology)	03		
21	MS (Orthopedics)	06		
22	M.Sc. Medical Pharmacology	05		
23	M.Sc. Medical Anatomy	05		
24	M.Sc. Medical Physiology	05		
25	M.Sc. Medical Bio-Chemistry	05	Subject to final outcome of CWP No. 5132/2023 and approval from H.P. State Allied and Healthcare Council for the Academic Session 2025-26.	
26	M.Sc. Medical Microbiology	05		
27	M. Sc Medical Radiology and Imaging Technology	10		
28	M.Sc. MLT	10		
29	M. Sc Optometry	10		
30	M. Sc OTT	10		
31	MPT	10		
32	B.Sc. in Medical Radiology & Imaging Technology	30		
33	B.Sc. Optometry	20		
34	B.Sc. Medical Laboratory Technology	30		
35	B.Sc. Medical (Bio-Chemistry)	10		
36	B.Sc. Medical Micro Biology	10		
37	B.Sc in OTT	20		
38	BPT	30		
39	B.Sc (Dialysis Technology)	10		
40	B.Sc. Nursing	100		Subject to approval from INC for the Academic Session 2025-26.
41	GNM	40		
42	Pharmaco Vigilance (value added course)	05		
43	Professional Ethics(value added course)	05		
44	Research Methodology(value added course)	05		

New Courses

Sr. No.	Name of Course	Approved Intake for 2025-26	Remarks
1	M.Sc. Nursing	30	Subject to approval from INC for the Academic Session 2025-26.
2	Post Basic Nursing	25	
3	B.Sc. Multi Purpose Health Worker (MPHW)	30	Subject to final outcome of CWP No. 5132/2023 and approval from H.P. State Allied and Healthcare Council for the Academic Session 2025-26.

Ph.D. Programs

Sr. No.	Name of Course	Approved Intake for 2025-26	Remarks
1	Ph.D. Medical Anatomy	02	Strictly follow UGC Ph.D. Regulation 2022.
2	Ph.D. Medical Biochemistry	02	
3	Ph.D. Medical Microbiology	04	
4	Ph.D. Medical Pharmacology	03	
5	Ph.D. Medical Physiology	02	
6	Ph.D. Medical Forensic Medicines	02	
7	Ph.D. Medical Community Medicines	02	
8	Ph.D. Medical Pathology	02	

Terms and conditions for running the courses:

Running of the existing as well as new courses are subject to the following terms and conditions:

- The approval for courses is on the specific condition that faculty and physical academic infrastructure must be in place by May 30, 2025 to be confirmed by the University to the Commission followed by verification by the HPPEREC failing which the approval of courses where faculty and infrastructure will be found deficient shall be deemed as withdrawn and no further correspondence in this regard will be entertained.**
- The University shall indicate the following in its prospectus for the information of the students, general public and State Govt.:**
 - Names and academic bio-data of faculty available for each course.
 - Physical academic infrastructure must find mention in the prospectus.
 - Course wise seats approved indicating the seats reserved for the scheduled caste/scheduled tribe/ physically handicapped and Himachali candidates.
 - Seats wherein available under lateral entry be mentioned specifically.
 - Approved fee structure for each course.
 - Scholarship scheme(s), if any.
 - Duration of each course and course structure.
 - Admission criteria for each course.
 - HP-PERC introductory notice.

The university shall be required to supply a copy of the Prospectus to the Commission/State Govt. before it starts issuing the same for the academic session 2025-26. The above information should also be up-loaded on the website of the University indicating the details of faculty along with their photos and bio-data. The information regarding admission disclosure, examinations schedule, students passed out, faculty and academic infrastructure etc must be furnished from time to time to the Regulatory Commission in the manner as required.

- Any approval, if required from any Central/ State Regulatory body/ Centre/ State Govt. as indicated in the remarks mentioned above or otherwise required, be**

provided to this Commission latest by May 30, 2025, failing which the courses and programmes requiring such permissions shall be deemed as withdrawn.

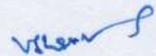
4. In case the University is of the opinion that it is unable to run any course due to deficient faculty or otherwise but not in violation of the rules and regulations pertaining to previous years granted courses, the same shall be intimated to the Commission by **May 30, 2025**. Course(s) once started **shall have to be run for at least three years continuously** and the university shall ensure the availability of full faculty strength and physical academic infrastructure **as per approved intake** as per norms for the course(s).
5. The eligibility and admission criteria for admission to the above courses shall be as prescribed by the concerned Regulatory Bodies and the State Government. Admission through migration mode in the first year not meeting the eligibility criteria shall be treated as invalid and subject to penal action as per HPPERC Rules, 2011.
6. Admission of foreign students be regulated as per AICTE Notification No.F.37-3/Legal/2004 dated 21.01.2004 circulated to All State Private Universities vide Commission letter No. HPPERC/55/General Complaints/2012-704 to 719 dated 07.08.2014 and subsequent orders issued in this regard.
7. **Admission on the basis of test conducted by H-PUMA shall not be allowed at all.**
8. AICTE guidelines regarding admission under lateral entry be followed in letter and spirit.
9. Where University has dropped / closed programme / proposed zero-intake / break in Extension of approval be obtained for closure of the programme from AICTE in terms of Section 1.6 of the Approval Process Hand Book 2018-19 or as directed in the latest edition of the Approval Process Hand Book.
10. UGC guidelines regarding providing 3 % reservation in all courses to the persons with disabilities circulated vide this office letter No. HPPERC/73/Notification/2012-952 to 967 dated 08.09.2014 be also followed meticulously.
11. **Any admissions, made in violation of the prescribed norms shall be invalid and will attract provisions contained in HP-PERC Act, 2010 and Rules framed thereunder. The inference of this may also be incorporated in the Prospectus of the University so as to avoid any complication at a later stage.**
12. The University to get fee approved from the State Government including hostel charges, convocation participation charges, and fee to be charged for in absentia degree etc. as per statutory requirements. A copy of such proposal should invariably be sent to the Commission.
13. The University shall comply with "Mandatory Assessment and Accreditation of Higher Education Institutions" Regulations, 2012.
14. In case of Research Degree (Masters and Doctoral) Programmes roster for allotment of students to supervisor must be followed and number be adhered to as per UGC guidelines.
15. The University shall strictly comply with the UGC (Establishment and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations, 2003 and engage faculty as per the norms fixed by the regulatory bodies viz. UGC, AICTE, BCI, NMC, PCI, INC, CCIM, AYUSH etc. The University shall observe all the standards of instructions and prescribed norms for the running of a course/ programme/ grant of degree which shall be imparted by a

duly qualified teaching staff and appropriate academic physical infrastructure facilities as prescribed.

16. The University shall ensure submission of requisite information to the UGC as required under Sections 3.7 & 3.8 of U.G.C. (Establishment and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations, 2003 which inter-alia requires sending of intimation to the U.G.C, six months prior to starting of a new course. Where the U.G.C. inspection is overdue, the University shall ensure submission of requisite information to the U.G.C. in the prescribed format at the earliest so that inspection could take place.
17. If, any course(s)/ degree(s)/ programme(s) is being run or is/ are to be run by the University which has/ have not been approved by the UGC/ other regulatory bodies, the same shall be liable for cancellation without any notice and no future correspondence in this regard will be entertained.
18. If any information provided is found incorrect at any stage or the assurances provided regarding meeting the norms of faculty and infrastructure in respect of all approved courses is not fulfilled or in the event of violation of standards of admission, charging of excess fees than approved or indulging in practices which are not in conformity with the prescribed regulations, the Regulatory Commission reserves the right to withdraw the approval and take such action, as it may deem fit.
19. **No student should be admitted on the condition that his/her fees will be deducted from scholarship amount granted under SC/ST category by govt. of HP. Any violation found in this regard will impose penal action on University.**
20. All the Government norms of UGC and other Central/State Regulatory Bodies in all respects be followed in letter and spirit.

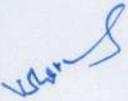
Further necessary action in the matter may be taken accordingly and Commission may be apprised of the same.

Yours faithfully,



Secretary

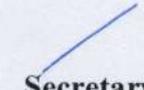
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 Endst. No. As above -

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Copy to:

1. The Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for information and further necessary action please.
2. The Director, Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh for information and further necessary action please.
3. The Programmer, HP-PERC to upload the approved programmes of aforesaid University on the website of Regulatory Commission with immediate effect.



Secretary

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