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<u>Lr. No. DME&CD II (3)/33083/2018</u> <u>Dated: 16.10.2018</u>

To

The Dean / Principal of affiliated institutions conducting P.G. Allied Health Science Courses (AHS)

Sir/Madam,

Sub:	DME & CD — The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai — Resolutions of 55 <sup>th</sup> Standing Academic Board Meeting held on 18.07.2018 – Communicated — Regarding.
Ref:	Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Studies in P.G. Allied Health Sciences Course held on 05.07.2018, approved in the 55 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Standing Academic Board Meeting held on 18.07.2018 and recorded in G C Resolution No. 5 passed at the 263 <sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Governing council held on 29.08.2018.

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I am to inform that the Meeting of the Board of Studies in P.G. Allied Health Science Courses was held on 05.07.2018, and discussed various academic matters and passed certain Resolutions which was approved in the 55<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Standing Academic Board held on 18.07.2018 and recorded in Resolution No. 5 passed at the 263<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Governing council held on 29.08.2018, which are detailed below:

# POINT NO. 1

Resolved to start the M.Sc. Respiratory Therapy Degree Course under Allied Health Sciences with the following modifications in the syllabus and Examination papers as follows:

Paper I - Principles of Research Methodology, Biostatistics & Medical Ethics

Paper II - Applied aspects of Anatomy, Physiology and Biochemistry

Paper III – Applied aspects of Pharmacology, Microbiology and Pathology

Paper IV – Equipments in Respiratory Medicine and Advanced Respiratory Therapy & Critical Care.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## POINT NO. 2

It was resolved to approve the revised syllabus of M.Optom Degree course under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## **POINT No. 3**

Resolved to approve the syllabus, Guidelines and Regulations for starting of P.G. Diploma in Clinical Research of one year duration under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## POINT NO. 4

It was resolved to approve the syllabus, Guidelines and Regulations for starting of P.G. Diploma in Bioinformatics of one year duration under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

# POINT NO. 5

It was resolved to constitute an Expert Committee to start the Degree course of M.Sc. Sports and Fitness Nutrition under Allied Health Sciences with the following recommendations

- 1. To Reframe the Syllabus with its concerned Examination papers for First and Second year.
- 2. To revise Eligibility Criteria for admission
- 3. To include the submission of Project in Second year on par with other M.Sc. Degree courses conducted under this University.

As per the recommendations of the SAB, an expert committee was constituted on 23.7.18 and reframed the Syllabus, revised the Guidelines and Regulations for Eligibility criteria and Project submission to start M.Sc. Sports and Fitness Nutrition under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

# POINT NO. 6

Resolved to start the Degree course of M.Sc. Sports and Fitness Psychology under Allied Health Sciences with the following recommendations

- 1. To Reframe the Syllabus with its concerned Examination papers for First and Second year.
- 2. To revise Eligibility Criteria for admission
- 3. To include the submission of Project in Second year on par with other M.Sc.

Degree courses conducted under this University.

As per the recommendations of the SAB, an expert committee was constituted on 23.7.18 and reframed the Syllabus, revised the Guidelines and Regulations for Eligibility criteria and Project submission to start M.Sc. Sports and Fitness Psychology under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## **POINT No.7**

It was resolved to approve the syllabus, Guidelines and Regulations for starting of P.G. Diploma in Public Health Journalism of one year duration under Allied Health Sciences.

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

# POINT NO. 8

Resolved to start the course of P.G. Diploma in Exercise Physiology in Sports and Fitness of One year duration under Allied Health Sciences with the following recommendations.

- 1. To Reframe the Syllabus as per the requirement for Diploma courses.
- 2. To revise Eligibility Criteria for admission
- 3 To convert the Internal Papers as University Examinations papers for
  - a) Exercise Physiology in Sports and b) Exercise Physiology in Health and Fitness

As per the recommendations of the SAB, an expert committee was constituted on 23.7.18 and reframed the Syllabus, revised the Guidelines and Regulations for Eligibility criteria and converted the Internal Papers as University Examination Papers for P.G. Diploma in Exercise Physiology in Sports and Fitness under Allied Health Sciences as follows:

- Paper I Exercise Physiology in Sports
- Paper II Exercise Physiology in health and fitness

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## POINT NO. 9

Resolved to start the course P.G. Diploma in Biomechanics and Kinesiology in Sports and Fitness of one year duration under Allied Health Sciences with the following recommendations.

- 1. To Reframe the Syllabus as per the requirement for Diploma courses.
- 2. To revise the Eligibility Criteria for admission
- 3 To convert the Internal Papers as University Examinations papers for
  - a) Sports & Fitness Biomechanics and b) Sports & Fitness Kinesiology

As per the recommendations of the SAB, an expert committee was constituted on 23.7.18 and reframed the Syllabus, revised the Guidelines and Regulations for Eligibility criteria and converted the Internal Papers as University Examination Papers for P.G. Diploma in Biomechanics and Kinesiology in Sports and Fitness under Allied Health Sciences as follows:

Paper I - Sports and fitness Biomechanics

Paper II - Sports and fitness kinesiology

This shall be implemented from the A.Y 2018-19 admission onwards.

## **POINT No.10**

Resolved to approve the following recommendations to be made in the Refresher Course in Diabetology on Distance Education Mode under Allied Health Sciences.

To conduct the OSCE/OSPE Examination at the University premises (Forenoon session on the day of Final Assessment Examination – 6<sup>th</sup> Module)

To Provide Honorarium for the clinical faculties and the Travelling Allowances for the outstation faculties involved in the RCD teaching programme.

To create a Question Bank and the same to be utilized for Assessment Tist.

To include Dr. Vasuki, Asst. Prof. of Diabetology, Madras Medical College, Chennai and Dr. Prakash, Prof. of Diabetology, Govt. Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College, Salem in the approved existing faculty list for the RCD Teaching Programme.

# POINT NO:11

The Existing Regulations of this University for Break of Studies states that the break for less than six months, the Principal / Dean of the college can permit to rejoin the course under intimation to the university. If the break up of study is more than six months, the candidate has to apply to the university through the Dean /Principal of the college. The University shall condone the break and the candidate be permitted to complete the course and appear for exams.

For condonation of break of study, the candidates who have completed the course of study (first, second and third) successfully with required attendance & I.A. but not appeared for two consecutive exams sessions due to family and finance problems, be permitted to attend the Examinations.

I am to request that the decision of the Standing Academic Board as mentioned above may be communicated to all the Heads of Departments, Professors and Students for information and for further follow up action in this regard. I also request that a copy of this letter may be displayed on the Notice Board of the College / Hostel for information of the students concerned.

I request that the receipt of this letter may be acknowledged.

Sd/-REGISTRAR