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To
The Principals of all Pharmacy Colleges
affiliated to this University.

Sir/Madam,

- Sub: Academic – The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University,
Chennai – Resolutions of Standing Academic Board
Meeting held on 27.04.2017 – Communicated – Regarding.
- Ref: 1. Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Studies in UG/PG Pharmacy
Courses held on 19-04-2017.
- 2. Extract of the Minutes of the Meeting of the 53rd Standing
Academic Board held on 27-04-2017.
- 3. Copy of Resolution No. 25 Passed at 253rd meeting of the
Governing Council, held on 29-06-2017.

I am to inform you that the Meeting of the Board of Studies in UG/PG Pharmacy Courses was held on 19.04.2017 and discussed various academic matters. The decisions of the Board of Studies in Pharmacy Courses was resolved by the 53rd meeting of the Standing Academic Board, held on 27.04.2017 and passed in the 253rd Meeting of the Governing Council held on 29.06.2017 which are detailed below:

POINT NO:1

B-PHARM AND M-PHARM REGULATION AND SYLLABUS PRESCRIBED BY THE PHARMACY COUNCIL OF INDIA, NEW DELHI TO BE IMPLEMENTED FROM 1ST AUGUST 2017 ONWARDS

It was resolved to approve -

1. the Regulations and Syllabus for B. Pharm and M. Pharm prescribed by the Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi and be implemented from the academic year 2017-2018 admission onwards.

2. First semester examination for M. Pharmacy will be held from November 15th onwards as the course of study starts from 1st June and 100 working days are essential for the completion of a semester. The 2nd semester Examinations will be held from May 15th onwards.

3. For B.Pharmacy course - Odd semester Examinations will be held from 1st February onwards and Even semester Examinations from 1st August onwards.

POINT NO:2

CERTAIN POINTS ON PHARM.D COURSE:

I. Confirmation regarding the First year Pharm. D University Examinations in the month of August, 2017 for the candidates admitted during the academic year 2016-17 as discussed in the previous BOS (Pharmacy) meeting.

It was **resolved**

1. From the Academic year 2017-18 onwards, First year Pharm.D University theory examinations shall be conducted in the month of August.
2. To conduct First Year Pharm.D University Practical Examinations after the completion of B.Pharm University Practical Examinations. The Pharm-D Second to Fifth year University theory Examinations shall be conducted as per the existing schedule.
3. Since, the new PCI Syllabus & Regulation has to be followed from 2017-18 batch onwards, a decision has to be taken whether to adopt the suggested change of syllabus in the subject Advance Pharmacognosy for the Final year B.Pharm.

It was **resolved** to adopt the change of syllabus recommended by the PCI in the subject Advance Pharmacognosy for the Final year B.Pharm. This will be implemented for the candidates admitted from the academic year 2014-15 admission onwards.

II. Modifications in the mark statement for the Pharm.D course:

In the marks statement, there must be an additional column showing the practical marks out of 70 including Orals.

It was **resolved** to follow the recommendations of the 52nd Standing Academic Board for the modifications in the mark statement for the course Pharm.D showing the Practical marks out of 70 including Orals. This has already been implemented from October 2016 Examination session onwards.

4. A Proposal to be sent to Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi to conduct a Seminar/Workshop at the Tamil Nadu Dr.M.G.R Medical University, Chennai, to update the Faculty Members of the affiliated colleges about .the PCI's new regulation & syllabus in both B.Pharm & M.Pharm courses.

It was also **resolved** to send a proposal to the PCI, to conduct the Seminar/Workshop at the University premises for the benefit of faculties of the affiliated Institutions preferably during 3rd week of July on 20 and 21st July 2017

POINT NO:3

It was resolved to modify the Distribution of Practical /Oral Marks for M.Pharmacy subjects which was a typographical error as approved in the 52nd Standing Academic Board as follows:-

M.Pharmacy - Modern Pharmaceutical Analytical Technology as approved in 52nd SAB

| Reg. No | App | Written | Practical | Oral | Total. IA | Practical I.A | G.Total | Results |
|----------|-----|---------|-----------|------|-----------|---------------|------------|---------|
| Max | | 100 | 80 | 20 | 50 | 50 | 300 | |
| Min.Pass | | 50 | 40 | 10 | NM | NM | 100 | |

Distribution of Practical/Oral marks for all the M.Pharmacy subjects of All Specialities as follows:-

| Reg. No | App | Written | Practical | Oral | Theory. IA | Practical I.A | G.Total | Results |
|----------|-----|---------|-----------|------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|
| Max | | 100 | 80 | 20 | 50 | 50 | 300 | |
| Min.Pass | | 50 | 40 | 10 | NM | NM | 150 | |

This will be implemented from May 2017 Examination session onwards.



I request that the decisions of the Standing Academic Board as mentioned above may be communicated to all the professors and Head of the Departments for information and further followup action in this regard.

I am also to request that a copy may be displayed on the Notice Board of the College and Hostel for information to the students concerned.

The above decisions are available in the University website - www.tnmgrmu.ac.in
→ academic decisions.

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

Yours faithfully,


for REGISTRAR


Copy to:

1. The Chairman and Members of the Board of Studies in Pharmacy
2. The Vice Chancellor's Office (Through the Personal Secretary)
3. The Controller of Examinations i/c
4. The Academic Officer
5. The Course i/c (Pharmacy)
6. The Assistant Registrar (Affiliation Pharmacy).
7. The Deputy Registrar (Academic)
8. The Assistant Registrar (Examinations Pharmacy)
9. Personal Secretary to Registrar
10. The Systems Analyst - With a request to publish in the University Website
11. The Section Officer (Pharmacy - Academic Wing)
12. The Section Officer (Pharmacy Section in Exam Wing) I II
13. The Section Officer (Pharmacy Section in Affiliation) I II
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