

## TELANGANA ADMISSION AND FEE REGULATORY COMMITTEE (TAFRC)

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### **GUIDELINES**

For Furnishing fee proposals by Private Un-aided Minority and Non-Minority Medical and Dental Colleges viz., SUPER SPECIALITY MEDICAL COURSES, UG AND PG MEDICAL COURSES, UG AND PG DENTAL COURSES, M.Sc(NURSING), BAMS, BHMS, Homeopathy(PG), BNYS, GNMC, MPH, DMLT and Other PARAMEDICAL COURSES, B.Sc (Nursing), P.B.B.Sc (Nursing-2Years), B.Sc (MLT), BPT, MPT COURSES / Allied Courses in the Private Unaided Professional Institutions in the State of Telangana for the Block Period 2026-2027 to 2028-2029.

- As per the provisions of Prohibition of Capitation Fee Act, the collection of capitation fee by Private Unaided Professional Institutions in any form is illegal and punishable.
- Accordingly any fee proposals in respect of Private Unaided Professional Institutions have to be evaluated keeping in view the above cardinal principles.
- It is therefore necessary that the fee proposals furnished by the Private Unaided Professional Institutions have to be evaluated based on the income and expenditure of the institution as well as the Societies/Trusts under which umbrella the said institutions are established.
- Further in order to evaluate the fee proposals the following principles will be considered for adoption keeping in view the interest of both the institution as well as the student community.
  - a) All the required financial information should be submitted as per Mercantile (Accrual) System of Accounting. Financial information submitted in any other system of accounting will not be treated as information provided by the institution and the same will not be considered for the purpose of evaluation in fixing the fees.
  - b) If an institution previously followed any other system of accounting and for the purpose of fee fixation has migrated to Mercantile (Accrual) System of Accounting, all the expenditure which pertains to previous financial years shall be excluded while preparing the financial statements/ information to be submitted to TAFRC.
  - c) The fee shall be fixed based on the revenue expenditure including depreciation allowed as per Income Tax Act, 1961.

- In order to evaluate the total income of the institution, the following heads are to be taken into consideration.
  - a) Fee Receipts from the Courses (Refer Schedule-1)
  - b) Fee receipts from other Courses run by the institution (Refer Schedule-1).
  - c) Collections/Fee from patients both in and out patients, investigation charges, Aarogyasri receipts etc., by the parent hospitals owned/administered by the society. (Refer Schedule -2)
  - d) Other receipts like interest on investments, rents received etc(Refer Schedule-3)
  - e) Grants received from Government and other sources if any (Refer Schedul-10)
- With regard to the expenditure, it is broadly categorized as follows:
  - A) Salary Expenditure: (Refer Schedules- 4, 5 & 6)
    - a) The retirement age for the employees shall be as per the norms specified by the State Government/UGC/MCI/DCI.P
    - b) Arrears of previous years salary should not be included in the gross salary and should be shown separately.
    - c) In order to consider the expenditure on teaching and non-teaching staff, the cadre strength fixed by NMC have to be adopted. Persons who are appointed over and above this strength shall be shown in the other related proformae.
    - d) Faculty norms for teaching faculty and for non-teaching staff are enclosed and in case of any ambiguity, notifications issued by respective competent authorities shall be followed.
    - e) In case services of any of the employee is utilized for more than one course, such names shall be shown, together with their salary/remuneration in one course only.
    - f) Salary Expenditure on Teaching /non-teaching Faculty should be given department wise/course wise separately in the respective schedules (Schedule 4,5 &6).
    - g) **PAN number for teaching faculty is a must**. In respect of non-teaching and other staff also, PAN data shall be furnished, where monthly salary/emoluments/honorarium/remuneration is Rs.25,000 or more. If no PAN/wrong PAN data of them is given, the **expenditure to that extent will be ignored for the purpose of calculation of fee.**Non Teaching Staff salaries in excess of 1/3 of Teaching Staff Salaries will be ignored.

- h) Aadhar Card Number **MUST** be indicated both for teaching faculty/non-teaching faculty. If wrong data is furnished, the expenditure of such persons will be ignored.
- i) Payment of salaries through cheque / bank will only be considered for expenditure purpose in respect of teaching faculty.
- j) In case of non-teaching staff, the monthly honorarium / salary / remuneration, as the case may be, is more than Rs.25,000/- shall be made through cheque / bank. Cash payments shall be subject to production of evidence and scrutiny.
- k) Audit report shall contain the signature of the Auditor, his name, ICAI membership number, UDIN along with the following information:
  - i) PAN Number of the Auditor.
  - ii) E-mail id of the Auditor.
  - iii) Cell No. of the Auditor.
- L) If the Auditor is a partner of the firm; following additional details shall be given;
  - a) Firm ICAI Registration Number
  - b) PAN Number of the Firm.
  - c) E-mail id of the Firm.

## **NOTE:**-

- (a) If the above said details are not furnished, auditor's reports will not be considered and the fee proposal will be summarily rejected.
- h) (b) The TAFRC has a right to direct the presence of Auditor or seek confirmation from him/her and the corresponding costs, if any, shall be met by the Institution concerned. It is the responsibility of the Institution to secure the presence of the auditor whenever required.
- B) Administrative and other expenditure (Refer Schedule-7)
- C) Finance Cost(Refer Schedule-8)
- D) Depreciation (Refer Schedule-9)
- E) Utilization of Revenue Grants. (Refer Schedule-10)
- F) Capital Expenditure incurred up to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025. (Refer Schedule-18, 19 & 20) along with details of land purchased and construction particulars, details of equipment purchased, Furniture acquired, Vehicles purchased should be given. The original cost to be given and date of acquisition/purchase/construction along with place of installation to be given separately along with

the book value as on 31-03-2025 which should be tallied with the Balance Sheet for the FY 2024-2025.

- G) Additions to Capital Expenditure incurred during the FY 2024-2025 (Refer Schedule-18,19 & 20) along with place of installation to be given.
- In case any institution runs more than one course and incurs common expenditure such items are to be reflected in Administrative expenses (Refer Schedule-7). In case the expenditure item can directly be identifiable to a particular course, entries are to be made in the schedule course-wise. In case such segregation of expenditure is not possible such items are to be reflected in the schedule against relevant head and a formula will be evolved to such expenditure course-wise.
- In case any institution runs more than one programme all the expenditure can be bifurcated and reflected in respective Schedules and the bifurcated expenditure shall be certified by Chartered Accountant. If clear bifurcation is not given the proposal shall be rejected.
- For the purpose of obtaining the relevant data, particulars are to be furnished institution-wise. If any institution runs more than one programme, the data relating to all the programmes is to be provided in one set of proformae. For this purpose the following sets of proformae are evolved.

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MBBS (UG and PG)
Super Speciality
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BDS & MDS
BHMS, BNYS and
BAMS
B.Sc, M.Sc, P.B.B.Sc&
GNMC
BPT & MPT
B.Sc MLT, DMLT and
MPHW

#### Note:

- a) If an institution runs only one programme for example B.Sc Nursing and does not run other programmes, the data has to be furnished in the Appendix-IV.
- The institute has to submit a <u>hardcopy</u> of the proposal along with a soft copy of the proposal in excel format after duly filed in all the particulars mentioned therein duly signed by the Secretary/ Correspondent/ Director/ Principal along with the processing charges to be deposited (on or before 30.11.2025 positively). The prescribed programme wise processing charges to be paid is as follows:

S. No	Name of the Course	Proposed Processing Fee
	Modern Medical Programmes	
1	UG	3,00,000/-
2	P G Courses	3,00,000/-
	(PG Degree & Diploma)	
3	Super Speciality Courses	3,00,000/-
	Dental Programmes	
4	BDS	2,00,000/-
5	P G Courses (MDS)	2,00,000/-
	AYUSH Programmes	
6	BAMS	50,000/-
7	BHMS	50,000/-
8	BNYS	50,000/-
9	Homoeopathy (PG)	1,50,000/-
10	MPH	65,000/-
	NURSING COURSES	
11	M.Sc (Nursing) -PG	65,000/-
12	B.SC (Nursing) – UG	65,000/-
13	B.SC Allied Health Sciences	65,000/-
14	P.B.B.Sc (Nursing-2 years)	65,000/-
15	B.Sc (MLT) - UG	65,000/-
16	NPCC (Nurse Practise in Critical	65,000/-
	Care)	
	Para Medical Programmes	
17	MPHW(F) & MPHW(M)	30,000/-
18	DMLT and other if any	30,000/-
19	BPT	65,000/-
20	MPT	65,000/-
21	GNMC	40,000/-

The prescribed Processing Charges for each programme should be paid through **Online Payment Gateway**: - Link available in <a href="http://tafrconline.telangana.gov.in">http://tafrconline.telangana.gov.in</a>. Please note your Reference number for further correspondence.

## **Other Directions:**

- i) Schedules for salary payment for staff will be included for,
  - (a) Teaching Staff Salaries.
  - (b) Non-Teaching Staff Salaries.
- ii) Interest on the loan given by the societies to the institutions in respect of internal funds will not be taken into consideration.
- iii) When an institution is running more than one course/programme, the income and expenditure statement and Balance sheet shall be bifurcated and bifurcated statement certified by the Auditor shall be furnished along with the fee proposals. If it is not done, the proposals will be summarily rejected.
- iv) Any expenditure with corresponding income shall be disallowed if corresponding income is not shown and any expenditure that does not directly relate to the student's education shall not be considered.
- v) Upload the proof and purpose of the borrowings from Financial Institutions/Banks duly specifying the source of borrowings.
- vi) All the Colleges should maintain Websites with up-to-date information. The data submitted to the TAFRC shall also be hosted on the College Website. Further the Colleges to host a link (URL) of the TAFRC on its website, by clicking which the data submitted to the TAFRC will be displayed on the TAFRC Website.
- vii) Annual TDS Returns filed in Form 24Q and 26Q under Income Tax Act,1961 shall be submitted along with the proposal.
- viii) Financial details shall be furnished in Rupees only.
- ix) If the institution furnishes incomplete data or fails to remit the processing charges as prescribed, such proposals will not be considered and ignored.

# The institute has to submit the following documents along with the fee proposals:

- Formats duly filled in and signed by the Secretary/ Correspondent/ Director/ Principal;
- 2. Proof of depositing the processing charges;
- 3. Audited Financial Statement of the Organization/Society/Trust for the FY 2024-2025including the Unique Document Identification Number (UDIN). Also, Audited Financial Statement of the College/Institution to be given separately for FY 2024-25.
- 4. Audited financial statement of the organization/society/ trust for the FY 2023-24& FY 2022-2023. Also, audited financial statement of the college/institution to be given separately for FY 2023-24 and FY 2022-2023.

- 5. Income Tax returns filed acknowledgement with computation of income and audit report in prescribed form10B/10BB (including Annexure& UDIN) as applicable for FY 2024-25, 2023-24 and 2022-23 and assessment orders if any.
- 6. Essentiality certificate given by State Government / NMC/DCI for proof of intake of students in each course for the academic year 2021-22, 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025 and 2025-2026;
- 7. Details of sanctioned intake by the Competent Authority and affiliating university for each course-wise is to be submitted for the academic year 2021-22, 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025 and 2025-2026.
- 8. Letter of confirmation of conducting audit and certified statements prepared based on the accrual system of accounting issued by the statutory auditor along with auditor details like name, mobile number, e-mail etc.
- 9. Form 24Q and 26Q including Form 16/16A of Income Tax Act, 1961 for both the Financial Years 2024-25 and 2023-24
- 10. Other information/documents, if any (specify).
- 11. The following directions of Hon'ble High court of A.P., in the D.B. Judgment dt.29.10.2011 in WP's No.16547/2010 and batch reported in 2012 (3) ALT 686 (D.B.) is brought to the notice of the Institutions: -
  - ".....an institution which is unresponsive or does not submit statements of income and expenditure, audited balance sheets, and requirements for developmental needs for the immediately preceding year; particulars of expenditure incurred on salaries and infrastructure and other particulars as may be specified (with supporting bills, vouchers or receipts, etc.,) shall not be permitted to collect any fee...."
- 12.Accordingly, in case of failure to furnish specified data as mentioned above or submission of proposal with incomplete data the institution/college will not be entitled for determination fee and will not be allowed to collect any fee from the students for the block period 2026-27 to 2028-29interms of the judgement of Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh reported in 2012 (3ALT686).

Note: MBBS fee will be evaluated for 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  years and to be collected in 5 equal instalments.

During the fee fixation, the Managements of the Institutions shall submit the "Notarized Affidavit" stating the amounts towards

the furtherance on the expenditure given by the TAFRC will be spent for the developmental activities of the infrastructure and betterment of the students facilities and shall undertake to upload / submit the details of expenditure of furtherance amount collected to the TAFRC every half yearly to enable TAFRC to take the same into consideration for the fixation of fee for the next block period. The Colleges shall also upload the details of stipend paid to the students half yearly along with the above expenditure statement. Further, the Colleges are not authorised to collect8 any other fee under different heads other than permitted apart from the fee recommended by the TAFRC and what was notified in the GO's by the Government.