

Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur

Ordinance for Bachelor of Pharmacy (4 Year Degree Course)

Ordinance 131 (New Semester)

1.0 The first degree in Pharmacy of four year (Eight semester) course hereinafter called four Year Degree course shall be designate as Bachelor in Pharmacy in short B. Pharm.

1.1 The duration of four year degree course of B. Pharm course shall extend over a period of four years consisting of eight semesters named below:

- (i) B. Pharm. I Semester.
- (ii) B. Pharm. II Semester.
- (iii) B. Pharm. III Semester.
- (iv) B. Pharm. IV Semester.
- (v) B. Pharm. V Semester.
- (vi) B. Pharm. VI Semester.
- (vii) B. Pharm. VII Semester.
- (viii) B. Pharm. VIII Semester.

1.2 Each semester shall be spread over for not less than sixteen weeks.

2.0 ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSIONS:

2.1 The minimum qualification for admission to first semester of Bachelor of Pharmacy four years (Eight semester) course shall be the passing of 10+2 examination or any other equivalent examination with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Biology conducted by the Chhattisgarh Board of Secondary Education or any other board or university examination recognized as equivalent by the State Government of Chhattisgarh.

2.2 Minimum qualification for direct admission to second year of B. Pharma shall be first division in Diploma in Pharmacy from any institution approved by the Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi (PCI) / All India Council for Technical Education, New Delhi (AICTE)

3.0 SESSIONALS:

3.1 Thirty percent of the marks for each theory and practical subject/paper shall be allotted for Sessionals.

3.1.1 Theory: Two Sessional examinations shall be held during the semester for each theory paper/ subject from which one best answered by the candidate shall be considered for the award of Sessional marks.

3.1.2 Practical: Marks shall be awarded on the basis of the experiments performed by the students, prior preparation for the experiment, conduct in the laboratory, result of the experiments, day-to-day completion of the records and viva-voce.

4.0 EXAMINATIONS:

4.1 There shall be one university examination at the end of each semester. These examinations will be designated as follows:

- (a) During first year:
B. Pharm. I semester, B. Pharm. II semester.
- (b) During second year:
B. Pharm. III semester, B. Pharm. IV semester.
- (c) During third year:
B. Pharm. V semester, B. Pharm. VI semester.
- (d) During fourth year:
B. Pharm. VII semester, B. Pharm. VIII semester.

4.2 There will be a full examination at the end of each semester consisting of the theory papers and the laboratory practicals.

4.3 A candidate who fails to secure the minimum pass marks in any subject may improve the same at the next semester.

4.4 There will be no supplementary examination.

5.0 STANDARD OF PASSING:

5.1 In each subject (theory and practical):

5.1.1 Minimum 40% in Sessional and Semester examination taken together.

5.1.2 Each theory paper and practical will be treated as separate subject for passing.

5.1.3 A candidate who has been admitted in B.Pharm. 1st semester will be promoted to the higher class in accordance with the following sub-rules:

5.1.3 (a) A candidate shall not be admitted in the fifth or higher semester classes unless he/she has fully passed/cleared the first and second semester examinations. Likewise candidates shall not be admitted in seventh or higher semester classes unless he/she has fully passed/cleared the first four semester examinations. For promotion to the higher semester the sequence shall be adhered to.

5.1.3 (b) No candidate will be awarded degree of Bachelor of Pharmacy unless he/she has passed all the eight semester examinations. If any previous semesters, paper/ practical remain as backlog to be cleared by him/her, the result will be withheld till he passes the backlog.

6.0 DIVISION AND MERIT LIST:

6.1 The division shall be awarded only after VIII semester examination and shall be based on the aggregate marks obtained by the candidate at his/her successful attempts at the I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII semesters examinations i.e. full examination of B.Pharm. However, the division of the students from direct entry to Second year shall based on the aggregate marks obtained by the candidates at his/ her successful attempt at III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII semesters examinations.

There shall be only four divisions as follows:

First Division with Honors	75% and above.
First Division	60% and above but below 75%.
Second Division	Not less then 50%.
Pass Division	Below 50%

2.1 The merit shall be declared by the University after the main examination of the eighth semester of B.Pharm. on the basis of the integrated performance of all the four years i.e., I, II, III IV, V, VI, VII and VIII Semester.

2.2 The merit of the students from direct entry to Second year B. Pharm. i.e., III Semester shall be determined after the eight Semester examined on the basis of the integrated performance of all the three years i.e., III, IV, V, VI, VII and VIII Semester.

3 The merit list shall include the first ten candidates securing at least first division and passing all semester examinations in single attempts.

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCITON AND EXAMINATION:

The medium of instruction and examination shall be English throughout the course of study.

The subjects to be studied in different semesters of B.Pharm shall be as per the schemes.

CONDONATION OF DEFICIENCY IN MARKS:

With a view to moderate hard line cases in the examination the following rules shall be observed:

Deficiency up to 5 marks be condoned to the best advantage of the candidate for passing the examination, provided the candidate fails in maximum of two theory or one theory and one practical or two practicals.

While declaring result of the candidate no marks shall be added to or subtracted from the aggregate for

the deficiency condoned as above. However, he/she will pass the subjects cleared through clause 6.1.

After condoning the deficiency the candidate's result shall be declared in the division, which the aggregate entitled him/her.

9.1.3 One grace mark will be given to the candidate who is failing/missing distinction/missing first division by one mark, on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor in the B. Pharm examination. This benefit will not, however, be available to a candidate getting advantage under clause 10.1.1.

10.0 If a candidate has passed a semester examination in full he/she shall not be permitted to reappear in that examination for improvement of division/marks or any other purpose.