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# FATHER MULLER NURSING COLLEGE THUMBAY

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(A unit of Father Muller Charitable Institutions) Thumbay, Bantwal-574143, D.K, Karnataka Affiliated to Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru Recognized by Karnataka Nursing Council

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## **HISTORICAL BACKGROUND OF THE INSTITUTION**

Father Muller Nursing College Thumbay (FMNCT) is a unit of the Father Muller Charitable Institutions (FMCI), a Registered Society sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Mangaluru. Established primarily for the benefit of the members of the Christian Community. It is affiliated to Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), Bengaluru and is recognized by Karnataka Nursing Council (KNC).

From its humble beginning from a mere dispensary of homoeopathic pills, FMCI grew into a Leprosy Hospital and later on expanded into an Allopathic Hospital, growing and expanding according to the times.

With the growth of the hospital need for increased nursing care was felt and thus was started the Father Muller School of Nursing (FMSON) in 1959 for GNM and in 1987 Father Muller College of Nursing (FMCON) for B.Sc. Nursing both being the first in the Private Sector in the State of Karnataka. The Post Certificate B.Sc. Nursing Degree Course (PB B.Sc.(N)) of two years duration for upgrading those with Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) was started in 1988. All these courses started under Mangalore University is now under RGUHS.

In response to the pressing need of the professional Nurse leaders and Nurse Educators, Post Graduate degree programme in Nursing was started in 1992 in 5 specialities. FMCON now stands as an "Edifice of Enlightenment and Empathy" has celebrated its glorious 25 years of its successful existence. The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has accredited FMCON with 'A' grade (in its first cycle) making it the first Nursing College under RGUHS to be accredited. Gradually the hospital becomes a vast health care complex consisting of 1250 beds multi speciality hospital with Graduate and Post Graduate Programmes in Medicine, Nursing and Allied Health Sciences.

The demand for professional medical care in the rural region, FMCI took over the 50 bed Thumbay Hospital in 2013. The hospital rechristened Father Muller Hospital Thumbay (FMHT) had an exponential growth, gaining the trust of the people in the region, becoming a 100 bed Hospital in 2019. In 2022 along with other specialities FMHT started Dialysis Unit. The Hospital has an entry level NABH certificate attained in 2021. As the Hospital grew, the need for trained nursing care was felt and thus the Institutions embarked on the FMNCT.

FMCI in 2021 obtained No Objection Certificate from the Government of Karnataka and in 2022 the FMNCT came into existence with an annual intake of 40 students, under the RGUHS and recognized by KNC.

### FATHER MULLER CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS

- 1959 Mangalore's first ever Nursing School offering Diploma courses
- 1985 Father Muller Homeopathic Medical College
- 1987 Father Muller College of Nursing offering 4 years B.Sc. Nursing Degree
- 1988 Father Muller College of Nursing offering 2 years P.B.B.Sc. Nursing Degree
- 1991 Father Muller Post Graduate Medical Education Programmes in MD., D.V.D & D.N.B
- 1992 Father Muller College of Nursing offering 2 years recognized M.Sc. Nursing Degree
- 1993 Father Muller Post Graduate Medical Education Programmes in General Medicine, General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Ophthalmology, Obstetrics & Gynaecology, ENT, Paediatrics, Psychiatry and Anaesthesiology.
- 1994 University Degree programmes in the paramedical field, namely, the Bachelor of Physiotherapy, B.Sc. Radio Therapy, Medical Imaging and Medical Laboratory Technology
- 1996 Masters in Hospital Administration (MHA)
- 1998 Father Muller Homeopathic Post Graduate Degree courses
- 1999 Father Muller Medical College offering M.B.B.S. and MD/MS courses.
- 2007 Father Muller College (Speech and Hearing) affiliated to Mangalore University
- 2008 Father Muller College of Allied Health Sciences Masters in Physiotherapy, Medical Laboratory Technology, Medical Imaging Technology, Radiation Physics, Clinical Psychology & Bachelor degrees in Renal Dialysis Technology, Optometry, Anaesthesia & Operation Theatre Technology, Post Graduate Programmes & Ph.D in Pharmacology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Anatomy and Onco Pathology
- 2020 Bachelor of Hospital Administration (BHA)
- 2022 Father Muller Nursing College Thumbay offering 4 years B.Sc. Nursing Degree

# THE **ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM**



## **VISION STATEMENT**

Our Vision is to heal and comfort the suffering humanity with compassion and respect; and to be recognized as a Global leader in Nursing education and research.

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

- To promote professionalism by quality and value driven education with a global outlook.
- To make learning an exciting experience that inspires learners to reach their full potential as lifelong learners.
- To train young professionals for leadership to respond to the health care needs of the public.
- To foster synergy and integration between research, education and practice by promoting interdisciplinary collaboration and partnership.

# OBJECTIVES

#### **B.Sc. NURSING DEGREE COURSE**

- 1. Acquire knowledge of theory and principles of nursing and allied subjects which are involved in the delivery of comprehensive nursing practice.
- 2. Develop skills in applying scientific principles and knowledge in rendering health services in the hospital and community.
- 3. Assess the client's needs, plan, implement and evaluate nursing care given.
- 4. Participate as members of the health team in the promotive, preventive, curative and rehabilitative health care delivery system of the society.
- 5. Demonstrate leadership qualities and acquire skills in problem solving and decision making at different levels of work and life.
- 6. Recognize the need for continued learning for their personal and professional development.
- 7. Practice ethical values in their personal and professional life rendering nursing service in a committed manner with the spirit of Jesus Christ and that of the Founder Fr Muller especially to the deprived of the society.

#### **MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION**

The medium of instruction and examination shall be in English.

#### **ALLOCATION OF SEATS**

**B.Sc.** Nursing

- 40 seats

#### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION**

- 1. Application forms are available in www.fathermuller.edu.in website
- 2. On payment of Rs 750/- for B.Sc.(N) by Bank Demand Draft drawn in favour of FATHER MULLER NURSING COLLEGE, made payable in Thumbay.
- 3. The application form should be completed by the applicant in her/his own handwriting.
- 4. Full name of the candidate as spelt in the SSLC Records should be given in the application form and in all other related forms and correspondence, except those with affidavit for change of name. The information given in the application should be correct. False information or suppression of any factual information in the application would lead to disqualification and/or Termination from the programme.
- 5. Application fee once paid WILL NOT BE REFUNDED.
- 6. The candidates should possess good health and character and free from physical and mental handicap.
- 7. The copies of the Certificates once submitted will not be returned. DO NOT SUBMIT ANY ORIGINAL CERTIFICATES with the application form.
- 8. If certificate is in a language other than English, it has to be translated into English and attested by the Principal of the School/ College, last attended.
- 9. For all communication please quote your correct full name given on the application form and if you need a reply enclose a self-addressed and stamped envelope.

#### **ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION :**

#### Candidate seeking admission should have :

- 1. Passed the two year Pre-University Examination/PDC/10+2 or equivalents as recognized by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Science, Karnataka with 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology and English (40% for SC/ST)
- 2. Students of vocational course with Physics, Chemistry and Biology as major subjects / students of vocational Higher Secondary Examination of Kerala Govt.
- 3. Completed 17 years of age at the time of admission or reach this age on or before 31st December of the year of admission.
- 4. Should be medically fit.
- 5. In case of illness or any handicap of which the candidate is suffering and which may be a hindrance in carrying out their nursing responsibilities they may be discharged from the course. In case a candidate was treated prior to admission for such a disease condition and it was not revealed at the time of admission, they also can be discharged from the course.

#### **SELECTION AND ADMISSION**

- 1. Father Muller Nursing College Thumbay is an Unaided Religious Minority Institution. Hence all admissions are as per as the Religious Minority Institution Status and are governed by the Government of Karnataka / KNC norms.
- 2. Admission of students to any course will be strictly on the basis of merit. Any recommendation, phone calls or attempts to meet the authorities in connection with the admission will be regarded as a disqualification.
- 3. Candidates who meet the requirements are expected to appear for an interview conducted at Father Muller Nursing College Thumbay or any other place specified by the Institution. The exact date of which will be intimated.
- 4. The students for all the courses are selected on the basis of merit in the qualifying examination.
- 5. The provisionally selected candidates will be informed by post/email and have to undergo medical examination and will be intimated about the fees payable to the Institutions.
- 6. Selection intimation letters are to be surrendered to the college office at the time of paying fees.
- 7. All communications from the College will be addressed to the mailing address given in the application form.
- 8. The selected candidates should confirm the willingness for admission within the date mentioned in the selection notification.
- 9. Those who are selected should obtain Eligibility Certificate from Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru, Karnataka, and submit the same along with original certificates on admission to the College Office.

#### FACILITIES AVAILABLE :

- FMHT is a 100 beds multi-speciality tertiary care hospital and Father Muller Medical College Hospital a quaternary care hospital in Mangalore with 1250 beds. A well-developed Community Health Department with urban & rural community centers with various developmental activities planned and executed scientifically are at the disposal of students for practical community health nursing experience.
- 2. Extensive Library Service together with systematic use of audio-visual aids, e-library is available to help the students in their learning process.
- 3. International standard Simulation and Skill Lab for developing advanced skills.
- 4. Religious Activities: Students are encouraged to avail themselves of the opportunities provided in campus.
- 5. Extra-Curricular activities: A number of opportunities are provided for the students to develop their skills and talents at various levels such as indoor, outdoor games, sports and cultural activities. Hostel day, Picnics, etc., are organized to enhance social interaction. The students are sent to participate in University sports meet as well as in various competitions held at local, State and National level.
- 6. Health Services: On admission every student will undergo a Medical Examination. An Annual Check-up will be done for all the UG students. Medical care will be given to all the students in case of illness, at Father Muller Hospital as per the student health scheme, the details of which are given in the student hand book.
- 7. Hostel: Stay in the hostel is encouraged to meet the requirements of the course both academic and clinical. During the stay in the hostel, the student will strictly adhere to the Hostel Rules. Every student who wishes to get admitted to the College Hostel, should make an application at the beginning of academic year in the prescribed application form available at the college office. Admission made to the hostel is for only one academic year. For re-admission, every student has to submit a fresh application.
- 8. Mess: All the students of the hostel shall be required to join the mess. Booklet on rules regarding Hostel and Mess is available at the office.
- 9. Telephone Calls: The College does not entertain direct telephone calls to the students during working hours. Any message should be passed on through the Principal/Vice Principal/Office.
- 10. Vacation: Vacations are planned according to the RGUHS rules. If the students are unable to return on time due to illness, the Principal should be intimated immediately by telephone/e-mail followed by a written explanation. On return, they should submit a medical certificate issued by a registered medical practitioner stating full particulars of their illness and treatment. No other leave will be granted except the planned vacation. Students are not granted leave for social events in the family. In case a student absents themselves from duty/class for any reasons and the Principal is not satisfied with the explanation regarding her/his absence, the student will be asked to make up for the number of days she/he was absent at the rate of 3 days for a day of absence, as approved by the Principal, Those not having at least 80% of attendance for theory and 100% attendance for clinical in any subject will not be permitted to appear for examination.
- 11. Academic Progress and Clinical Evaluation: All Students are expected to maintain a high academic and clinical standard of performance throughout the programme. To this effect regular written and practical sessional examinations will be conducted. Consistent standards of excellence are expected at all times. Students who do not show any progress or who fail repeatedly will not be allowed to appear for examination or continue the course.
- 12. Internal Assessment: Internal assessment in each subject is carried out at prescribed times as per the weightage of the total university marks. Passing in the internal assessment is the prerequisite to appearing for the University examination.
- 13. Examination: The students will appear for theory and practical examination of the Rajiv Gandhi University at the end of every semester as prescribed. Two sessional examinations and a model examination will be conducted in every semester by the college. Examination fee, as determined by the University, should be paid by the students.
- 14. Educational Field Visit: During the course of studies the students will be sent for educational field visit extending over a period of 10 -15 days or more. Expenses will be borne by the students.

- 15. Withdrawal from the Course: As a Matter of Policy, Students are not relieved during the course of study. However, if any student after admission to the course decides to withdraw voluntarily from the college at any time before completing the course she/he shall communicate her/his decision to the Management in writing along with a letter from her/his parents in support of her/his decision. A student who fulfils these formalities and who is permitted to withdraw from the course is required to pay the fees for the remaining period of the course and a penalty amounting to Rs 25,000/-. Fees already paid will not be refunded.
- **16.** Scholarship: The students who are found academically deserving and economically backward will be considered for special assistance by the Management. Students who receive the assistance should execute a separate Service Bond which will be drawn up by the Management.
- 17. Graduation: On successful completion of the B.Sc. Nursing programme, the graduates are awarded the B.Sc. Nursing degree during the University convocation. Transcript, original certificates and course completion certificates are given only when the graduates meet all the course requirements of the college. The graduates are expected to register themselves with the Karnataka Nursing Council and also enrol as members of TNAI. Following the successful completion of the programme, the Graduates will have Graduation ceremony in the Institution. No student who has failed in the final exams will be allowed for graduation march. Applicants/Parents/Guardians are informed that it will not be possible to enter into correspondence with them in connection with provisions in the prospectus. It is also not possible to grant them an interview in this connection. All decisions or actions taken by the Management are final and not subject to review.

#### **GENERAL DISCIPLINE**

Nursing Profession, which demands altruistic service from its members, exacts self-discipline at a personal level and general discipline in the campus. Therefore:

- 1. Regular attendance as well as punctuality is expected from the students at lectures, demonstrations, practicals, field work and other such academic exercise as well as experiences. They are required to attend allotted working periods in each of the prescribed subjects.
- 2. Students should wear the prescribed complete uniform for duty.
- 3. A sense of decorum and discipline is expected to every student in the college, hospital as well as in the entire campus. Ragging is strictly prohibited. They shall not indulge either individually or collectively, in any form of activity that will bring down the good name of the Institution / Nursing profession. No person who is a student in an educational institution including an institution under the direct management of the University or of the Central Government shall commit ragging. Any person who contravenes subsection shall, on conviction, be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year with fine which may extend to rupees two lakhs or with both (RGUHS code of rules on Anti-Ragging).
- 4. Students will strive at all costs to be loyal to the Ethos of the Institution and to promote its image and status by a humane, ethical and professional code of conduct. Failure to follow these and such other regulations will necessitate the management to take disciplinary action as deemed fit.

#### FEES

- The fees will be charged based on the expenses incurred on education and other facilities offered. Students are expected to meet the expenses.
- Fees are payable as per the approved rates prescribed from time to time. Fees are liable to be changed every year. Revision will be made applicable to all.

# FATHER MULLER CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS ANTHEM

We come to comfort and to heal, To love and serve in woe and weal We come to comfort and to heal, To love and serve in woe and weal

Let the name Augustus Muller proudly written in gold Flame across Karnataka's vast and Bharat's millions hold, In admiration of his zeal whose vision bright & bold In Mangalore's fair bosom raised, its home of peace untold.

Come, Doctor, live your noble pledge Hippocrate's bequest Come, Nurse, by Nightingale inspired, forget your broken rest, Come all who soothe in ways unsung Humanity's unrest Let's all as one, with love pursue to toil by millions blest.

