

PEOPLES COLLEGE OF NURSING & RESEARCH CENTRE, BHOPAL

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

AIMS

- To ensure **high-quality** and **competency-based nursing education** aligned with national and global standards.
- To develop a **dynamic** and **evidence-based curriculum** reflecting advances in healthcare and research.
- To promote **academic excellence, ethical practice and professional leadership** in nursing.
- To strengthen **research, innovation and interdisciplinary collaboration** in nursing education.

OBJECTIVES

- To design and implement **curriculum as per Indian Nursing Council (INC)** and university norms.
- To develop **critical thinking, clinical competence and decision-making skills** among students.
- To integrate **theory, clinical practice and research** in all programs.
- To promote **ethical values communication skills, and teamwork**.
- To ensure **student-centered teaching-learning processes**.
- To prepare diploma, graduates and postgraduates for roles as **clinicians, educators, administrators and researchers**.

FUNCTIONS

- Curriculum planning, revision and upgradation
- Approval of new courses and modifications
- Development of **teaching, learning and evaluation strategies**
- Framing policies for **internal and external examinations**
- Preparation of panel of examiners
- Ensuring **quality assurance and accreditation compliance**
- Promoting **research and innovation in nursing education**
- Coordination with clinical agencies for training

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

1. Prof. Ligy Jacob – Member
2. Mr Vijay James – Member
3. Mr Shailendra Rajput – Member
4. Ms Rashmi Dhote – Member
5. Ms Aradhana Sen – Member
6. Mrs Riya Singh Thakur – Member
7. Mrs Riya Singh Kushwaha – Member
8. Mr Rohit Yadav – Member
9. Prof.(Dr.) K. Punithalakshmi – Chairperson
10. Prof. (Dr.) Jaya Bijoy - Member Secretary

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Chairman (Principal)

- Lead Curriculum meetings and academic decisions
- Ensure compliance with INC and university guidelines
- Approve curriculum and policy recommendations

Member Secretary

- Organize meetings and maintain records
- Communicate decisions to departments

Faculty Members

- Participate in curriculum design and review
- Recommend teaching-learning innovations
- Contribute to research and academic development

External Experts

- Provide industry and academic insights
- Ensure curriculum relevance to healthcare needs

Clinical Experts

- Guide clinical training standards
- Ensure competency-based practice exposure

ANNUAL PLANNED ACTIVITIES

Academic Activities

- Curriculum review meetings (twice/year)
- Introduction of **skill-based competency modules**
- Integration of **simulation-based learning**

Research Activities

- Promote **faculty & student research projects**
- Organize research methodology workshops
- Encourage publications and conference presentations

Faculty Development

- Conduct FDPs on **innovative teaching methods** and refining **research skills**
- Training on **OSCE/OSPE and competency based assessment**

Clinical Coordination

- Strengthen tie-ups with hospitals
- Regular evaluation of clinical postings

Quality Assurance

- Feedback collection (students, faculty, stakeholders)
- Academic audits and result analysis
- Preparation for **NAAC / INC/ MPNRC inspections**

IMPLEMENTED ACTIVITIES

- **Biannual** curricular meetings are held regularly.
- Skill based competency modules implemented in all nursing courses.
- Incorporated simulation - based learning for undergraduate and postgraduate nursing programmes.
- Total **20 students group research projects** were completed in the year 2025.
- Conducted Faculty Development Programme Workshop on enhancing research skills from 7th to 9th March 2026.
- In the year 2026, **05 faculty research** has been **published in both National and International Journals** and remaining **17 faculty research are in loop**.
- Organised scientific writing skill workshop for B.Sc Nursing VII semester students in 2025 and 2026.
- Around 35 in-house faculty presented scientific paper during National Conference organised by the institution in July 2025.