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## **Notice**

It is for information to all candidates participating in AYUSH UG Counseling that **09 Seats of Zuleikhabai Valy Md. Unani Medical College and Hospital, Pune, Maharashtra (All India Quota Private-279)** has been **withdrawn from first round of counseling** as college is a Govt. aided college and it was registered in all India Private quota seats.

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## NOTICE

Details regarding eligibility criteria for EWS quota issued by Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Social Justice and Empowerment vide their OM with reference F.No. 20013/01/2018-BC-II dated 17.01.2019 are as follows:

(a). Persons who are not covered under the existing scheme of reservations for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes and whose family has gross annual income below Rs. 8.00 lakh are to be identified as EWSs for the benefit of reservation. Family for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years. The income shall include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc. and it will be income for the financial year prior to the year of application. Also persons whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWSs, irrespective of the family income:

- i. 5 acres of Agricultural Land and above;
- ii. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
- iii. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- iv. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

(b). The income and assets of the families as mentioned in above would be required to be certified by an officer not below the rank of Tehsildar in the States/UTs. The officer who issues the certificate would do the same after carefully verifying all relevant documents following due process as prescribed by the respective State/ UTö.

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## ANNEXURE-I

- (A) Five per cent. of the annual sanctioned intake capacity in Government or Government-aided Institutions shall be filled up by candidates with benchmark disabilities in accordance with the provisions of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, based on the merit list of National Eligibility Entrance Test

*Explanation.-* For the purposes of this clause, the "Specified Disability" contained in the Schedule to the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016(49 of 2016) is specified in Appendix A and the eligibility of candidates to pursue a course in Indian systems of medicine with specified disability shall be in accordance with the guidelines specified in Appendix B and if the seats reserved for the persons with disabilities in a particular category remain unfilled on account of unavailability of candidates, the seats shall be included in the annual sanctioned seats for the respective category.

### Appendix "A"

SCHEDULE relating to "SPECIFIED DISABILITY" referred to in clause (zc) of section 2 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016(49 of 2016), provides as under:-

#### 1. Physical disability. (a)

A. Locomotor disability (a person's inability to execute distinctive activities associated with movement of self and objects resulting from affliction of musculoskeletal or nervous system or both), including (a)

"leprosy cured person" means a person who has been cured of leprosy but is suffering from (i)

loss of sensation in hands or feet as well as loss of sensation and paresis in the eye and eye-lid but with no manifest deformity;

(ii) manifest deformity and paresis but having sufficient mobility in their hands and feet to enable them to engage in normal economic activity;

(iii) extreme physical deformity as well as advanced age which prevents him/her from undertaking any gainful occupation, and the expression "leprosy cured" shall construed accordingly;

(b) "cerebral palsy" means a Group of non-progressive neurological condition affecting body movements and muscle coordination, caused by damage to one or more specific areas of the brain, usually occurring before, during or shortly after birth;

(c) "dwarfism" means a medical or genetic condition resulting in an adult height of 4feet 10 inches (147 centimeters) or less;

(d) "muscular dystrophy" means a group of hereditary genetic muscle disease that weakens the muscles that move the human body and persons with multiple dystrophy have incorrect and missing information in their genes, which prevents them from making the proteins they need for healthy muscles. It is characterized by progressive skeletal muscle weakness, defects in muscle proteins, and the death of muscle cells and tissue; (e) "acid attack victims" means a person disfigured due to violent assaults by throwing of acid or similar corrosive substance.

#### B. Visual impairment

(a) "blindness" means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, after best correction

(i) total absence of sight; or

(ii) visual acuity less than 3/60 or less than 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible correction; or

(iii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 10 degree.

(b) "low-vision" means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, namely:

(i) visual acuity not exceeding 6/18 or less than 20/60 upto 3/60 or upto 10/200(Snellen) in the better eye with best possible corrections; or

(ii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 40 degree up to 10 degree.

#### C. Hearing impairment -

(a) "deaf" means persons having 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears;

(b) "hard of hearing" means person having 60 DB to 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears;

D. "speech and language disability" means a permanent disability arising out of conditions such as laryngectomy or aphasia affecting one or more components of speech and language due to organic or neurological causes.

2. Intellectual disability, a condition characterized by significant limitation both in intellectual functioning (reasoning, learning, problem solving) and in adaptive behavior which covers a range of every day, social and practical skills, including

(a) "specific learning disabilities" means a heterogeneous group of conditions wherein there is a deficit in processing language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself as a difficulty to comprehend, speak, read, write, spell, or to do mathematical calculations and includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia and developmental aphasia;

(b) "autism spectrum disorder" means a neuro-developmental condition typically appearing in the first three years of life that significantly affects a person's ability to communicate, understand relationships and relate to others, and is frequently associated with unusual or stereotypical rituals or behaviours.

3. Mental behaviour, "mental illness" means a substantial disorder of thinking, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, capacity to recognize reality or ability to meet the ordinary demands of life, but does not include retardation which is a condition of arrested or incomplete development of mind of a person, specially characterized by sub-normality of intelligence.

#### 4. Disability caused due to

(a) chronic neurological conditions, such as

(i) "multiple sclerosis" means an inflammatory, nervous system disease in which the myelin sheaths around the axons of nerve cells of the brain and spinal cord are damaged, leading to demyelination and affecting the ability of nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord to communicate with each other;

(ii) "parkinson's disease" means a progressive disease of the nervous system marked by tremor, muscular rigidity, and slow, imprecise movement, chiefly affecting middle-aged and elderly people associated with degeneration of the basal ganglia of the brain and a deficiency of the neurotransmitter dopamine.

(b) Blood disorder

(i) "haemophilia" means an inheritable disease, usually affecting only male but transmitted by women to their male children, characterized by loss or impairment of the normal clotting ability of blood so that a minor would may result in fatal bleeding;

(ii) "thalassemia" means a group of inherited disorders characterized by reduced or absent amounts of haemoglobin.

(iii) "sickle cell disease" means a hemolytic disorder characterized by chronic anemia, painful events, and various complications due to associated tissue and organ damage;"hemolytic" refers to the destruction of the cell membrane of red blood cells resulting in the release of hemoglobin.

5. Multiple Disabilities (more than one of the above specified disabilities) including deaf blindness which means a condition in which a person may have combination of hearing and visual impairments causing severe communication, developmental, and educational problems.

### Appendix "B"

#### Guidelines regarding admission of students with "Specified Disabilities", under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, with respect to admission in B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S. /B.U.M.S/B.H.M.S..

1. The Certificate of Disability shall be issued in accordance with the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2017, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section 3 vide number G.S.R. 591 (E), dated the 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.

2. The extent of specified disability in a person shall be assessed in accordance with the Guidelines for the purpose of assessing the extent of specified disability in a person included under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (49 of 2016) published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section 3 vide number S.O. 76 (E), dated the 04<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.

3. The minimum degree of disability should be 40% (Benchmark Disability) in order to be eligible for availing reservation for persons with specified disability.

4. The term Persons with Disabilities (PwD) is to be used instead of the term Physically Handicapped (PH)

#### 5. Table

Sl. No.	Disability category	Type of Disabilities	Specified Disability	Disability Range		
				(5)		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Eligible for B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S Course, Not Eligible for PwD Quota	Eligible for B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S Course, Eligible for PwD Quota	Not Eligible for B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S. /B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S Course
1.	Physical Disability	A. Locomotor Disability, including Specified Disabilities (a to f).	a. Leprosy cured person* b. Cerebral Palsy** c. Dwarfism d. Muscular Dystrophy e. Acid attack victims f. Others*** such as Amputation, Poliomyelitis,	Less than 40% disability	40-80% disability	More than 80%
		B. Visual	a. Blindness	Less than 40%	-	Equal to or More

\* Attention should be paid to loss of sensations in fingers and hands, amputation, as well as involvement of eyes and corresponding recommendations be looked at.  
 \*\* Attention should be paid to impairment of vision, hearing, cognitive function etc. and corresponding recommendations be looked at.  
 \*\*\* Both hands intact, with intact sensations, sufficient strength and range of motion are essential to be considered eligible for B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S./B.H.M.S

	Impairment (*)	b. Low vision	disability (i.e. Category '0 (10%)', 'I (20%)' & 'II (30%)')		than 40% Disability (i.e. Category III and above)
	C. Hearing impairment@	a. Deaf	Less than 40% Disability	-	Equal to or more than 40% Disability
		b. Hard of hearing			
	<p>(*) Persons with Visual impairment / visual disability of more than 40% may be made eligible to pursue Graduate B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S Education and may be given reservation, subject to the condition that the visual disability is brought to a level of less than the benchmark of 40% with advanced low vision aids such as telescopes / magnifier etc.</p> <p>@ Persons with hearing disability of more than 40% may be made eligible to pursue Graduate B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S Education and may be given reservation, subject to the condition that the hearing disability is brought to a level of less than the benchmark of 40% with the aid of assistive devices.</p> <p>In addition to this, the individual should have a speech discrimination score of more than 60%.</p>				
D. Speech & language disability\$	Organic/ neurological causes	Less than 40% Disability			Equal to or more than 40% Disability
<p>§ It is proposed that for admission to B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S course the Speech Intelligibility Affected (SIA) score shall not exceed 3 (Which will correspond to less than 40%) to be eligible to pursue the B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S course. The individuals beyond this score will not be eligible for admission to the B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. course.</p> <p>Persons with an Aphasia Quotient (AQ) upto 40% may be eligible to pursue B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S course but beyond that they will neither be eligible to pursue the B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S course nor will they have any reservation.</p>					

2.	Intellectual disability		a. Specific learning disabilities (Perceptual disabilities, Dyslexia, Dyscalculia, Dyspraxia & Developmental aphasia)#	# currently there is no Quantification scale available to assess the severity of SpLD, therefore the cut-off of 40% is arbitrary and more evidence is needed.		
				Less than 40% Disability	Equal to or more than 40% disability But selection will be based on the learning competency evaluated with the help of the remediation/ assisted technology/ aids/ infrastructural changes by the Expert Panel	More than 80% or severe nature or significant cognitive/ intellectual disability
			b. Autism spectrum disorders	Absence or Mild Disability, Asperger syndrome (disability of 40- 60% as per ISAA) where the individual is deemed fit for B.A.M.S./ B.S.M.S./B.U. M.S. /B.H.M.S course by an expert panel	Currently not recommended due to lack of objective method to establish presence and extent of mental illness. However, the benefit of reservation/quota may be considered in future after developing better methods of disability assessment.	Equal to or more than 60% disability or presence of cognitive/intellectual disability and/or if the person is deemed unfit for pursuing B.A.M.S./B.S.M.S./ B.U.M.S. /B.H.M.S course by an expert panel

3.	Mental behaviour		Mental illness	Absence or mild Disability: less than 40% (under IDEAS)	Currently not recommended due to lack of objective method to establish presence and extent of mental illness. However, the benefit of reservation/quota may be considered in future after developing better methods of disability assessment.	Equal to or more than 40% disability or if the person is deemed unfit to perform his/her duties. Standards may be drafted for the definition of fitness to practice medicine, as are used by several institutions of countries other than India.
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4.	Disability caused due to	a. Chronic Neurological Conditions	i. Multiple Sclerosis	Less than 40% Disability	40-80% disability	More than 80%
			ii. Parkinsonism			
		b. Blood Disorders	i. Haemophilia	Less than 40% Disability	40-80% disability	More than 80%
			ii. Thalassemia			
			iii. Sickle cell disease			

5.	Multiple disabilities including deaf blindness		More than one of the above specified disabilities	<p>Must consider all above while deciding in individual cases recommendations with respect to presence any of the above, namely, Visual, Hearing, Speech &amp; Language disability, Intellectual Disability, and Mental Illness as a component of Multiple Disability.</p> <p>Combining Formula as notified by the related Gazette Notification issued by the Govt. of India</p> $\frac{a + b (90-a)}{90}$ <p>(where a= higher value of disability % and b=lower value of disability % as calculated for different disabilities)</p> <p>is recommended for computing the disability arising when more than one disabling condition is present in a given individual. This formula may be used in cases with multiple disabilities, and recommendations regarding admission and/or reservation made as per the specific disabilities present in a given individual</p>
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Note: For selection under PwD category, candidates will be required to produce Disability Certificate before their scheduled date of counseling from one of the disability assessment boards as designated by concerned Authority of Govt. of India .

## **ANNEXURE-II**

- **List of Centre's who will issue Disability Certificates as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act-2016.**

S/No.	Centre's who will issue Disability Certificates as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act-2016	City/State

1.	Vardhman Mahavir Medical College & Safdarjang Hospital,	<b>New Delhi</b>
2.	All India Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (for Locomotor Disability only)	<b>Mumbai</b>
3.	Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research	<b>Kolkata</b>
4.	Madras Medical College	<b>Chennai</b>
5.	Grant Government Medical College, J.J. Hospital Compound	<b>Mumbai, Maharashtra</b>
6.	Goa Medical College	<b>Goa</b>
7.	Government Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram	<b>Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala</b>
8.	SMS Medical College	<b>Jaipur, Rajasthan</b>
9.	Govt. Medical College and Hospital, Sector32	<b>Chandigarh</b>
10.	Govt. Medical College, Agartala, State Disability Board	<b>Agartala/Tripura</b>

## CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

**Recent Passport  
Size Photograph  
of the candidate  
duly attested by  
the issuing  
authority**

Name of the Designated Disability Centre (as per ANNEXURE):

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This to certify that Dr. / Mr. / Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Aged \_\_\_\_\_ Years Son/ Daughter of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

R/o \_\_\_\_\_

NEET Roll No. \_\_\_\_\_, Rank No. \_\_\_\_\_, has the following

Disability (Name of the Specified Disability) \_\_\_\_\_

and has Permanent Physical Impairment(PPI) with the Disability Range (in percentage) of  
\_\_\_\_\_ (in words) \_\_\_\_\_ (in Figures).

**Please tick on the “Specified Disability”**

(Assessment may be done on the basis of Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part-II, Section 3 Sub-section( ii), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment)

S/No.	Disability Type	Type of Disability	Specified Disability
1.	Physical Disability	A. Locomotor Disability B. Visual Impairment C. Hearing Impairment D. Speech & Language Disability	a. Leprosy cured person, b. Cerebral Palsy, c. Dwarfism, d. Muscular Dystrophy, e. Acid attack Victims, f. others such as Amputation, Poliomyelitis  a. Blindness b. Low Vision  a. Deaf b. Hard of hearing  a. Organic/ Neurological causes
2.	Intellectual Disability		a. Specific Learning Disabilities(Perceptual disabilities, Dyslexia, Dyscalculia, Dyspraxia & Developmental Aphasia b. Autism Spectrum Disorders
3.	Mental Behaviour		a. Mental illness
4.	Disability caused due to	a. Chronic Neurological Conditions b. Blood Disorders	i. Multiple Sclerosis ii. Parkinsonism  i. Haemophilia, ii. Thalassemia, iii. Sickle Cell Disease
5.	Multiple Disabilities including Deaf Blindness		More than one of the above specified disabilities

**Conclusion:** He/ She is **Eligible/ Not Eligible** for admission in Ayurveda/Siddha/Unani/ Homoeopathy courses as per the CCIM/ CCH Guidelines subject to his being otherwise medically fit.

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