

Gurunanak College of Pharmacy, Nari, Nagpur – 440026

Best Practices:

- 1. Industry Institute Interaction.
- 2. Financial assistance to under graduate and post graduate students in college to pay fees for entire course.

1. Title: Industry Institute Interaction and collaboration.

Objectives:

The key objective is to strengthen the Industry-Institute collaboration.

To look beyond the training and projects imparted by the industry.

To provide the consultancy to industries by expert faculty of the institute.

To expand the number of industries for collaboration than earlier numbers for better training and placement records.

Context: The collaborative work is always a two-way process that is for mutual benefit. Providing expertise to the industries through learned faculty was ought to be initiated at the earliest. Similarly, the students need variety of training set of skills and industry exposures to learn the basics required. Thus, IQAC implemented the strategy to expand the number of collaborations with different industries that can impart quality training and placement to the bright students.

Practice:The industries are approached by concerned committee of the college under the guidance of IQAC. MoUs are signed that mention the clauses of training, projects and consultancy as per the requirements, facilities and expertise.

Evidence: The MoUs signed with the number of industries speak of volume of collaborations. Providing consultancy to ZIM Labs byDr. Vaishali Kilor has not only strengthened the collaboration but also brought revenue to the institute to the tune of Rs. 6.0 Lakhs (Rupees six lakhs only). Further, Dr. Nidhi P. Sapkal was appointed as Principal Research Investigator in Zim Laboratories. More number of students are

benefited in getting training from industries with proper certification to the students. Each year, students of M. Pharm go to industry for their project work and few industry related works are completed in their project tenure in the college labs.

2. Title: Financial Assistance to under graduate and post graduate students in college fees for entire course.

Objectives:

The prime objective is to provide the financial assistant to financially weak meritorious student.

To scrutinize the forms for financial assistance among the received applications

To finalize the selection based on the scrutiny

To communicate the details with the finance department

Context: Gurunanak College of Pharmacy is well known institute in Maharashtra andmany students are willing to take the admission to the college. Students with sound academics not able to take admission due to only financial hurdle are identified and admission committee brings this point into notice to IQAC. IQAC works on this to provide financial assistance to financially weak students in college fees for his/ her entire course.

The Practice: The best practice is displayed on college website, college notice board as well as in the admission committee notice board. The students willing to avail the facility are asked to submit the relevant documents. After scrutinizing the application, the selected student is informed through proper channel. The students are also made aware of this practice in face—to-face interaction when they visit the college for document scrutiny and verification during centralized admission process.

The Evidence of success: Ms. Apoorva Mirche and Mujahid UlKhair received financial assistance under industry CSR fund for their course fees

Problem encountered and resources required: Being self financing institute to raise/arrange finance for meritorious student fees is the biggest problem. College Industry Institute Interaction committee did a commendable job by gaining the faith of industry to provide CSR fund from industry through MoUs and collaborations.