

(General Nursing & Midwifery Nursing Program)

1. Vision

RIDDHIVINAYAK COLLEGE OF NURSING is committed to safe guard the health of the society at large by following the nursing profession standard, thus, providing best quality of Nursing and Midwifery education and practice.

2. Mission

Our Mission is to prepare safe competent, compassionate nursing professionals to provide nursing services to the community at large.

3. Philosophy

We believe that, Health is a state of well-being that enables a person to lead a psychologically, socially and economically productive life. Health is a right of all the people. Individuals, families and communities have a responsibility towards maintaining their health.

Scope of nursing practice encompasses provision of promoting, preventive, curative and rehabilitative aspects of care to people across their life span in wide variety of health care settings. Practice of nursing is based upon application of basic concepts and principles derived from the physical, biological and behavioral sciences, medicine and nursing.

The teachers have the responsibility to be role models and create learning environment that enables students to acquire inquiry driven, self-directed learning and foster an attitude of lifelong learning.

We believe that, we have a responsibility for the all-round development of the student. In times of emergency or need, faculty and students should assume additional roles to meet the situation willingly.

4. AIMS

The aim of the basic diploma course in general nursing and midwifery is geared to the health needs of the individuals, family, community and country in large, with the competencies for first level position in all kinds of health care settings

To prepare nurses to assume responsibilities as professional, competent nurses and midwives in providing promoting, preventive, curative, and rehabilitative services

Prepare nurses who can make independent decisions in nursing situations, protect the rights of and facilitate individuals and groups in pursuit of health, function in the hospital, community nursing services, and conduct research studies in the areas of nursing practice.

5. Objectives

On completion of the GNM, the students will be able to:

1. Apply knowledge from physical, biological, and behavioral sciences, medicine including alternative systems and nursing in providing nursing care to individuals, families and communities.
2. Demonstrate understanding of life style and other factors, which affect health of individuals and groups.
3. Provide nursing care based on steps of nursing process in collaboration with the individuals and groups.
4. Demonstrate critical thinking skill in making decisions in all situations in order to provide quality care.
5. Utilize the latest trends and technology in providing health care.
6. Provide promoting, preventive and restorative health services in line with the national health policies and programmers.
7. Practice within the framework of code of ethics and professional conduct, and acceptable standards of practice within the legal boundaries.
8. Demonstrate skills in teaching to individuals and groups in clinical /community health settings.
9. Participate effectively as members of the health team in health care delivery system.
10. Demonstrate leadership and managerial skills in clinical / community health settings.

Other Information

I. Eligibility Criteria

1. Minimum age limit is 17 years and Maximum age - no age limit
2. 10+2 class passed or its equivalent, preferably with science with aggregate 40% marks.
3. Candidate should be medically fit.

2. Admission Procedure

Admission based on merit and interview at Institutional level.

3. Duration - Three years

4. Intake - 40 students per annum.

5. Medium of Instruction - English

6. Fees

As per Shikshan Shulk Samiti

7. Faculty

Highly qualified full-time faculty and external lecturers approved by Maharashtra State Board of Nursing and Paramedical Education

8. Assessment

Internal Assessment at institute and final examination is conducted by the Maharashtra State Board of Nursing and Paramedical Education every year

9. Standard of passing

50% marks in both internal and council examinations.

10. Practical Training

Each student has to undergo the clinical experience prescribed by Indian Nursing Council and Maharashtra State Board of Nursing and Paramedical Education each year with 95-100% attendance.

11. Affiliating bodies

The Government of Maharashtra

Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi

Maharashtra State Board of Nursing and Paramedical Education, Mumbai

12. CURRICULUM:

FIRST YEAR

1. Bio-Science: Anatomy and Physiology & Microbiology
2. Behavioral Sciences: Psychology & Sociology
3. Nursing Foundations: Fundamentals of Nursing & First Aid
 - Nursing Foundation-Practical
4. Community Health Nursing: Community Health Nursing I.
Environmental Hygiene, Health Education and Communication skills & Nutrition
 - Community Health Nursing I - Practical
5. English
6. Computer Education

SECOND YEAR

1. Medical Surgical Nursing - I
2. Medical Surgical Nursing - II
3. Medical Surgical Nursing I & II Practical
4. Mental Health Nursing
5. Mental Health Nursing - Practical
6. Child Health Nursing

THIRD YEAR

PART-I

1. Child Health Nursing - Practical
2. Midwifery and Gynecological Nursing: Midwifery & Gynecological Nursing
 - Midwifery and Gynecological Nursing Practical
3. Community Health Nursing - II
 - Community Health Nursing II - Practical

INTERNSHIP (3rd Year Part-II)

1. Nursing Education
2. Introduction to Research
3. Professional Trends and Adjustment
4. Nursing Administration and Ward Management