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PROSPECTUS FOR ADMISSION

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1. PREFACE

Westfort college of Pharmacy (WCP) is the new feather in the cap of Westfort higher Education Trust, which has vast experience and tradition in the field of professional education. Westfort higher education trust is recognized as a synonym to high quality education and widely appreciated for their committed and dedicated efforts in moulding each individual to become proficient in the selected discipline.

Westfort College of Pharmacy is located at Pottore, a peripheral place of Thrissur City, just five kilometers away from the town. The Pharmacy College is blessed with a natural serene environment that gels in excellence with any intellectual and academic pursuits. The other multidisciplinary courses of trust are ideally located in the same campus. WCP is established with the vision to provide pharmaceutical education to create proficient pharmacists, who will add newer dimensions to the pharmaceutical revolution. The future of Pharmaceutical industry holds a wide range of career opportunities for young aspirants. They are in demand in the field of clinical research, drug testing and documentation, quality control, government health departments, etc.

Pharmacists practice in nearly all areas and specialties in healthcare – sometimes behind the scenes and not obvious to the public eye, but as a medication expert in the healthcare team, pharmacists are necessary in all facets of healthcare. A Pharmacist's responsibility includes wide range of patient care; from dispensing medications to monitoring patient health and progress, and to optimize their response to medication therapies. Pharmacists also educate patients on the use of prescriptions and over-the-counter medications, as well as provide population-based care in institutional settings. Pharmacists educate and advise physicians, nurses, and other health professionals on medication therapy decisions. Pharmacists also provide expertise information about the composition of drugs, including their chemical, biological, and physical properties and their manufacture and use. They ensure drug purity and strength and make sure that drugs do not interact in a harmful way. Pharmacists are medication experts ultimately concerned about their patients' health and wellness.

Westfort College of Pharmacy is well fortified with modern infrastructural facilities and a team of enthusiastic and highly qualified faculty to guide and develop the total personality of the student to make them employable as per industry requirements. We are committed to provide the students with excellent classrooms, well equipped laboratories, clinical experiences and our ultimate goal is to help our students shine in their chosen profession in the arena of health.

2. VISION

We strive to progress quality of life locally, nationally, and globally by evolving innovative teaching practices, advancing research and practice, and merging true entrepreneurial spirit with care and kindness

3. MISSION

Westfort College of Pharmacy is committed to impart value-based education focused on improving health of mankind through innovative education, pioneering research and interdisciplinary development to meet diverse needs of the world.

4. CORE VALUES

The College operates by a set of values that emphasize:

- Learner-centered methodologies
- Professional leadership
- Diversity and completeness

- Lifelong learning, discovery, and creativity
- Collegiality and mutual respect
- Integrity and accountability
- Continuous quality improvement

5. INTRODUCTION

Westfort College of Pharmacy has decided to conduct separate selection procedure for admission of candidates to B.Pharm course as authorized and enabled by various decisions of the Admission Supervisory / Fee Regulatory Committee as well as Honourable High Court and Government of Kerala.

This prospectus is subject to modification, addition or deletion as may be deemed necessary by the institution and subject to the judgments of Honourable Courts of law.

The prospectus contains the rules and regulations applicable to the seats to be filled by management of Westfort College of Pharmacy to B.Pharm course.

6. COLLEGE DETAILS AND NUMBER OF SEATS

The intake of seats is as per the sanction obtained by the college from AICTE/PCI and Kerala University of Health Sciences (KUHS). Details of our college is given as Annexure- I. This prospectus is for taking 50% of seats in Government quota, 50% in Management quota. In case of no agreement is arrived at, the college will fill up entire seats. Seats that may remain unfilled by the Government also will be filled by the college.

7. FEE STRUCTURE

The annual tution fee fixed for B.Pharm is Rs.98000/- (Ninety Eight Thousand Only) plus special fees per annum for four years. The fee for the B.Pharm course should be as per the AFRC Order No. AFRC 50/18/PHARMACY/KSSPCMA dated 18.06.2018.

The student shall pay all the fees of the 1st year of the course at the time of admission which will not be refunded at any circumstances.

8. DISCONTINUATION OF THE COURSE AND PAYMENT OF LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

If any candidate discontinues the course after closing of admission, the candidate has to pay liquidated damages to the tune of full fee of the course (4 years). The student shall claim for TC and other certificates after clearing all the dues. They will have to pay Liquidated damages as stipulated below.

Transfer certificate and other original certificate will be issued as per the prevailing laws of decision from statutory authorities like Hon'ble Court of Law/Hon'ble Admission Supervisory / Fee Regulatory Committee/Government.

9. ABOUT THE CURRICULUM

Bachelor in Pharmacy (B.Pharm)

B. Pharm is an Undergraduate degree program in the field of Pharmacy. The future of Pharmaceutical industry holds wide career opportunities for young aspirants. They can work as pharmacist in the whole sale pharmaceutical companies, in the drug house or in the hospitals. They are in demand in the field of clinical research, drug testing and documentation, quality control, government health departments etc. Today most of the pharmacists are involved in clinical trials worldwide. They evaluate new drug products and perform documentation on the effectiveness and safety of new drugs. Pharmacists are involved extensively in the manufacturing, research, quality control and marketing of pharmaceuticals. One can also undertake postgraduate training for careers in academics or research in specialized fields. The degree is the basic prerequisite for registration to practice as a pharmacist in many countries. The focus of study is to create

understanding about the properties and impacts of medicines and developing the skills required to counsel patients about their use. The course study for the B. Pharm. shall extend over a period of 4 academic years (8 semesters of six months duration each).

10. ACADEMIC WORK

The medium of instruction and examination shall be English. A regular record of attendance both in Theory and Practical shall be maintained by the teaching staff of respective courses.

FACILITIES

The academic block of Pharmacy College has fully developed Infrastructure representing spacious lecture halls, tutorial rooms, administrative office, seminar hall, library, computer lab, Machine room and Instrumentation room along with other pharmaceutical laboratories.

Class Rooms

All basic amenities like drinking water, electricity, power back-up and internet facilities have been provided for the professional grooming by Westfort College of Pharmacy.

Laboratories

These include high-tech, well-equipped laboratories in all Departments of Pharmaceutical sciences, which serve as a strong framework for our graduates to help them develop capabilities to become world-class pharmacists and scientists. Academically as well as socially productive in-house projects and research work can be taken-up in these laboratories.

Library

Library is a collection of sources of information. It is the soul of the institution and it has an extensive collection of books, scientific and technical journals and electronic reference materials for satisfying the academic and research needs of students and faculty.

Hostel

Westfort College of Pharmacy Hostel is located inside the campus itself with 24 hour Security & Care takers service. Our hostel can accommodate enough number of students to feel a home away from home.

Sports and Arts Facilities

Sports & Arts are an indispensable part of educational systems all over the world at each level of studies. When education kindles the light of knowledge in the mind, extracurricular activities help to maintain the physique & Culture. Besides conducting day to day education, competition, musical programs, Westfort College of pharmacy also organizes Inter and Intra Arts & sports competition.

Digital Campus

We provide 24 hour WIFI facility to meet and accomplish the academic and research needs of the students and faculties. We are equipped with a separate computer lab fully furnished with the latest configuration.

Canteen

Westfort College of Pharmacy has a neat and hygienic canteen facility that its students & staff can avail. The canteen at Pharmacy College also provides lunch and the menu for each day contains varieties of delicious food. The canteen staffs are well trained in hospitality and also in preparing and handling food hygienically.

Transportation

Westfort College of Pharmacy has adequate buses for transportation of students and faculty for commuting from various points in the city. This facility has made it possible to start the classes on time and thereby helping the academic process. Our bus facilities have enabled us to maintain discipline among students.

11. ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION FOR B. PHARM

Candidates who have passed Higher Secondary Examination, Kerala or examinations recognized as equivalent thereto, with 50% marks in Biology/ Mathematics/Biotechnology/Computer Science separately and 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology /Mathematics /Biotechnology/Computer Science put together are eligible. Candidates from National Open School are not eligible to apply for the course.

NB: However candidate who has passed their qualifying examination from outside the state of Kerala shall produce certificate of recognition and equivalency of qualifying examination from Kerala University of health Sciences, Thrissur. This should be furnished at the time of admission. Eligibility for admission to the candidate belonging to SEBC, OBC, OEC, SC/ST will be as per the norms and requirements of D.M.E.

Age of the applicant should be 17 years of age as on 31/12/2018. Copy of relevant page of school record namely SSLC/CBSE/ICSE certificate showing the date of birth/ copy of Birth certificate from appropriate authority should be furnished along with the application attested by Gazetted Officer/Head of the Institution where the student had last studied.

The candidate must be a citizen of India/ dependence of Non-Resident Indians.

12. HOW TO APPLY

Application forms

The Application process starts from **06/08/2018**. The cutoff date of admission of Pharmacy course will be as per the notification issued by KUHS,PCI and Government of Kerala.

The application form together with the information brochure can be obtained from College Website. The online application will be accepted only after the payment of prescribed application fee (Rs. 1000/- Non-Refundable) by online payment through Credit/Debit/Internet Banking or demand draft in favour of <u>Westfort College of Pharmacy</u>, for Rs 1050/- payable at <u>Thrissur</u>. (The DD shall be forwarded to WESTFORT COLLEGE OF PHARMACY, PB No: 16, M.G. Kavu, Pottore, Thrissur – 680 581 soon after the completion of online application process.)

Submission of Application Form

Applications should be submitted online along with scanned copies of Qualifying examination certificate and Passport size photo of the candidate.

Application not accompanied by documents in proof of claims made therein will be summarily rejected without further intimation. Documents/Certificates furnished after submission of the application will not be

entertained under any circumstances. Also no opportunity will be given to incorporate any details or document after the submission of the application. Late and incomplete applications will be rejected.

List of self-attested copies of following certificate / documents are to be submitted at the time of admission.

- 1. Recent Passport size photo (White and Light colored background)
- 2. 12th / 10th certificate as proof for date of birth. 3. TC 4. Conduct Certificate
- 5. Eligibility, migration Certificate (If Applicable) 6. Nativity Certificate
- 7. Mark list of qualifying examinations. 8. Caste Certificate (SEBC, OBC, OEC, SC/ST)
- 9. Other relevant documents of NRI candidate 10. Physical fitness certificate
- 11. Candidates should enclose a self-addressed envelope (25x12 cm size) with Indian postage stamp/ stamps sufficient for sending the Selection Memo by Registered post with set of application form.

Note:

- i. Applications received late will not be accepted.
- ii. Incomplete applications will be rejected.
- iii. Candidates should enclose copy of original certificate along with the application.

13. <u>SELECTION PROCEDURE</u>

Preparation of common Merit list and Allotment of candidates:

Admissions will be done on the basis of marks obtained by the candidates in the qualifying examination as mentioned below.

The marks obtained by the candidates in the relevant subjects in the qualifying examination conducted by various Boards or authority of other states shall be equated with the marks obtained by the candidates In the same subjects in the qualifying examination conducted by the Director of HSE, Kerala. Marks obtained by the candidates under various streams of examinations such as HSE in Kerala/CBSE/ICSE etc. will be subject to the process of normalization.

Explanation: Under the method of normalization, the highest mark obtained by students of various Boards in each subject shall be equated to the highest mark obtained by the students of the Kerala Higher Secondary examination in that subject and the relative marks obtained by other students in that subject shall be determined accordingly.

Illustration: If the highest marks secured by the student of the Kerala state HSE, in Physics is 100 and the highest mark secured by a student on any other board in the same subject is 90, both the highest marks will be considered to be equal to 100, if a student of the other board secures 60 marks in Physics when the highest mark in Physics in the same board is 90, the 60 marks will be considered to be equal to 66.66 marks as arrived at below:

100 X 60/ 90 = 66.66%

Those candidates, who have passed the qualifying examination of any state other than Kerala, will be treated at par with those students who have passed the Higher Secondary Exam of this state.

Since the normalized marks depend on the applications of a college, the index marks of an applicant may vary from college to college.

14. ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Originals of all certificates/documents enclosed with the application should be submitted at the time of admission to the College. The Principal/Head of the Institution shall be responsible for verification of original documents / or certificates produced by the candidate at the time of interview in the college/institution.

The responsibility of the College is limited to the issuing of notifications and publishing prospectus. The eligible candidates will be intimated for a selection interview by our institution. Selected candidates after the selection interview have to join the program immediately after the selection with prescribed fee for the program. The admission of those candidates who do not take admission on the prescribed date will deem to be cancelled.

Physical fitness certificate, conduct certificate and transfer certificate originals should be submitted at the time of admission to the College.

For those who are selected after selection interview and not paid the college fee within the prescribed date, admission will be summarily cancelled and seat will be allotted to the next eligible candidate. No further claim for admission will be entertained.

15. PUBLICATION OF RANK LIST

The rank list will be prepared and published on the notice board of college.

I. In the case of a tie in the total marks, the marks In Chemistry in the qualifying examination will be counted.

If there is still a tie, the marks in physics will be counted. If a tie still exists, the age of the candidate will be taken into account, the elder preferred to the younger. If a tie again exists, the alphabetical ascending order of the name of the candidates in English will be taken in to account

- II. Furnishing false information /particulars would result in the forfeiture of the candidature as well as cancellation of admission to the course, and in addition, will attract the relevant provisions of criminal law of the land.
- III. Seats lying vacant after the date fixed for the completion of admission will be treated as lapsed seats and can be filled up by the College from among the application received from the eligible candidates.

16. REFUND/ADJUSTMENT OF FEES

Refund of the fee will not made to candidates who apply for Transfer Certificate/Cancellation of admission under any circumstances, after the last date for taking admission by candidates' consequent to the last spot Allotment. They will have to pay Liquidated damages as stipulated in clause 8.

In the case of SC/ST candidates, they should remit their fee to the College at the time of admission. The same will be refunded in case the Govt. pay the fees to the college or assure the payment of the same.

17. OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION / POINTS

No request for change of selection processes will be entertained, nor will the college entertain enquiries with regards to date of publication of the results.

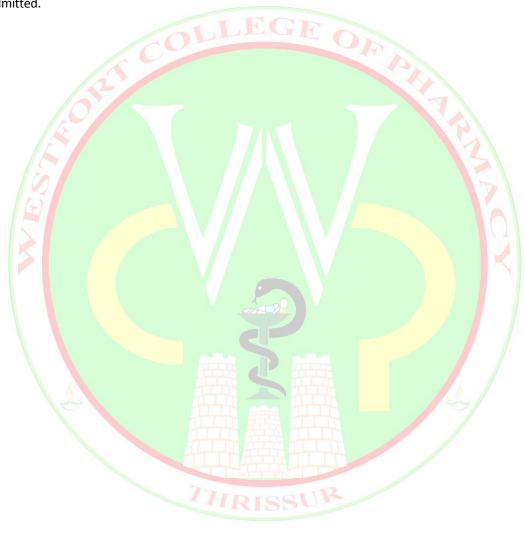
If any candidate discontinues the course after closing of admissions as notified by the College, the candidate has to pay liquidated damages to the tune of full fee of the course.

18. PROHIBITION OF RAGGING

Ragging in any form which includes harassment by word, action, gesture, intimidation, coercion, physical or mental insult / assault, teasing etc. which are capable of causing mental / physical stress or moral torture or agony to other students or staff inside / outside the premises of the College or hostel etc. is strictly coming under the word Ragging and is prohibited in college. Hence, any student who indulges in any form of Ragging will be subject to penal action as per provisions of law. Students and parents shall at the time of admission furnish an Affidavit to the effect that the student shall not indulge in any form of Ragging.

Use of mobile phone by students is prohibited in the campus and hostel. Any violation will lead to disciplinary action as deemed fit will be taken by the College authorities.

Every student is required to adhere strictly to the code of conduct and discipline of the institution to which he / she is admitted.



Annexure - I

WESTFORT COLLEGE OF PHARMACY (WCP)

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Year of Establishment	2018
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Name of the management with	Westfort Higher Education Trust
address	P.B.No.16, M.G.Kavu (P.O), Pottore, Thrissur-
	680581
Name of the Director/Manager	Sri.K.M Mohandas
	Chairman & Managing Trustee
Name of the P <mark>rinci</mark> pal	Dr. Anil Babu.A,
	Principal
Name and a <mark>d</mark> dress of the	Dr. Anil Babu.A,
contact person	0487 2200501
Course offered	B.Pharm
Number of seats	60 Seats
Number of seats proposed to be	To be allotted by the Government Management/Open Merit
reserved under various heads	
per course	30 30
Hostel Facilities	
Boys	Available
Girls	Available
Transport Facility	
	Available
Nearest Railway Station and	Thrissur railway Station, Poonkunam
distance in KMs	Around 6.2 Km
Nearest Bus stations and	North Bus Stand, Thrissur
distance in KMs	
	Around 6.4 Km

Short Write up of the Institution: Westfort College of Pharmacy is situated in a calm, peaceful and pollution-free environment. Located very near to Thrissur city. WCP is owned by Westfort Higher Educational Trust which is a part of the prestigious Westfort Hospital Group in Thrissur.