

**AYURVEDACHARYA
(Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine
&Surgery[BAMS])**

NRI / NRI SPONSORED / FOREIGN STUDENTS

**PROSPECTUS - 2017-18&
APPLICATION FORM**



**RAJIV GANDHI AYURVEDA MEDICAL COLLEGE,
MAHE**

(A Government of Puducherry Institution)

AFFILIATED TO PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY

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INTRODUCTION

Rajiv Gandhi Ayurveda Medical College has been established by the Government of Puducherry in the year 2010 as an institution of Government of Puducherry and is administered by a duly constituted Governing Body headed by Hon'ble Chief / Health Minister, Government of Puducherry as the Chairman and the Secretary to Govt. (Health) as the Vice Chairman.

The Institute is located in Chalakkara Village, Mahe and lies in between Kannur & Kozhikode districts of Kerala State. Nearest Airports are Kozhikode (90 kms) of Kerala and Mangalore (180 kms) of Karnataka states. Mahe is connected by rail in the Thiruvananthapuram – Mangalore&Chennai - Mangalore rail route.

The Institute is recognized by the Central Council of Indian Medicine,(CCIM) New Delhi, approved by the Department of AYUSH, Government of India and is affiliated to Pondicherry University which is a Central University established under an Act of Parliament.

The institute is having all academic and clinical teaching facilities and a 100 bedded hospital is attached to the institute.

DURATION OF COURSE

5 ½ years

1 st Professional	-	12 months
2 nd Professional	-	12 months
3 rd Professional	-	12 months
4 th Professional	-	18 months
Internship	-	12 months

DEGREE TO BE AWARDED

AYURVEDACHARYA(Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine & Surgery B.A.M.S. -).

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

English & Sanskrit

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

Pass in 12th Standard with Science (Physics, Chemistry and Biology) and Sanskrit with minimum of 50% marks. Wherever provision and facilities for teaching Sanskrit as optional subject are not available at 12th Standard (Biology Science Group), the students with 12th Standard (Biology Science Group) be admitted and Sanskrit be taught in main course, but student should have obtained 50% in Physics, Chemistry, Biology put together and passed in English and percentage is 40% for MBC, OBC, SC, ST candidates.

Or

Uttar Madhyama of Sampumanand Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya with Science and English.

Or

Any other equivalent qualification recognized by State Governments and State Education Boards concerned with the examination.

(ii) The Pre-Ayurveda Course of one-year duration in respect of Uttar Madhyama

Or

Higher Secondary/P.U.C preferably with Sanskrit or an examination equivalent there to and Pre-Ayurveda course of two years duration in respect of Purvamadhyama or S.S.L.C./ Matriculation preferably with Sanskrit or an examination equivalent thereto, however, will continue till 1990 if the State Government or University so desires.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

CENTAC sponsored seats	- 42	}	50 seats
NRI/NRI sponsored/foreign	- 07*		
Malaysian national/ Lakshadweep	- 01#		

*Fifteen percent of total seats have been allotted to NRI/NRI sponsored candidate from all over India and even from other countries. If any seat(s) is / are vacant in the NRI / Government of India nomination the same will be filled by UT of Puducherry Candidates.

#If the seat allotted for Malaysian nation is vacant same will be filled by Lakshadweep candidate.

Non Resident Indian (NRI):

An NRI student is one who has a NRI status. Students who have studied their qualifying examination equivalent to 10+2 of India from schools or colleges abroad (outside India) will be considered as NRI student.

NRI sponsored student:

An NRI sponsored student is an Indian citizen who is a direct blood relative (father, mother, brother, sister, uncle, aunty only) of an NRI.

Foreign student:

Students holding the passport issued by foreign countries including people of Indian origin who has acquired nationality of foreign countries is classified as foreign students. PIO card holders, OCI (dual citizens) are eligible for the above category.

NRI / Foreign students must have completed the 12th grade and secured a pass before the admission. A grade point average of 3 (on a scale of 1-4) or above that in the course subjects of biology, physics, chemistry are preferred. Wherever all subjects grades like A, B-, C+ are used by the schools, appropriate equivalents in terms of percentage like 90%, 75% and 60% should be made available. Only students from high schools accredited by the respective state or the country is eligible for admission and the statement to this effect must be produced.

Applicants from Cambridge University should possess a GEC advance level (A levels) in physics, chemistry and biology and pass in AS level in English course. 86-93 in class XII examinations.

AGE

Candidates should have completed 17 years of age as on 31.12.2017.

The admissions made are provisional and subject to the approval by the Pondicherry University.

APPLICATION FEE:

US \$ 50 or INR 2000/- in the form of a bank draft / cashier cheque drawn from a nationalized bank in favour of **THE PRINCIPAL, RAJIV GANDHI AYURVEDA MEDICAL COLLEGE, MAHE**, payable at Mahe.

SELECTION

The order of selection is as follows:

- 1) Preference will be given to the NRI sponsored candidates of Puducherry Union Territory. (Certificate form Revenue authorities to be submitted for claiming the Resident quota)
- 2) NRI candidates of other state.
- 3) NRI sponsored candidates of other states.
- 4) Foreign candidates.

In case of tie of marks, the tie will be resolved by eliminating the marks in the following order:

Physics, Chemistry, Biology.

Even if the tie persists thereafter, the Date of Birth will be taken into account i.e. one who was born earlier will get precedence over the one born later.

Display of Merit List

The common merit list for the selected candidates will be displayed in the Institute Website and also on the notice board of the college campus. No separate announcement will be made in the newspaper or communication sent to the candidates separately.

Counseling for Admission

The Counseling and allotment of seats will be conducted at Rajiv Gandhi Ayurveda Medical College, Mahe campus. Candidates **shall be called for counseling as per their merit through call letters with date, time and venue of counseling. No change of date or time of counseling is permitted on any circumstances.** The Institute shall not be responsible for any postal delay. Counseling will not be done in absence of the candidate. Candidates who do not attend the counseling on the specified date and time will have to forego the claim of admission.

The date and time for the counseling (Schedule) will be published in the institute website, and individual call letters will be sent to the candidates.

Submission of original certificates

The original certificates submitted by the candidate during admission shall be returned only after completion of the Course. If in the event of discontinuation of the Course, the original Certificates will be returned as per the regulations of the Institute. **Hence the candidates are advised to take enough number of photocopies of the certificates before submitting the originals.**

Verification of original certificates

Candidates called for counseling shall be required to submit all the certificates **in original** for verification at the time of counseling. Candidates who fail to produce the required certificate in original shall not be considered. However, if a candidate has deposited the original Certificates to an Institution where he/she has already been admitted, a letter / bonafide certificate to that effect issued by the Head of the Institution should be produced. In such cases only, the self-attested copies of certificates will be considered for verification, subject to production of all original certificates including Transfer Certificate within the time specified by the Admission Committee.

FEE STRUCTURE

1) Tuition fee:

US \$ 15,000/-(subject to revision)

US \$ 15,000 for 4 ½ years (duration of the BAMS course) + 1year internship which is to be paid in one installment within 10 days from the date of selection for admission. If the candidate studies the course beyond 4 ½ years the tuition fees will be increased proportionately.

(2) Caution Deposit (Refundable)

College: 10,000/-

Library: 10,000/-

(3) Other fees

Sl.No	Particulars	Amount in Rs.
1	Special Fee	3000
2	Library / Internet Fee	1500
3	College Calendar	1500
4	College Student Council	1500
5	Sports Fee	1500
6	Cultural Fee	1500
7	College Magazine Fee	1000
8	Students Welfare fund	2000
9	Lab Fee	1500
	TOTAL	15000

4) Fees payable to the University:

Registration fee, Matriculation fee, Recognition fee, University development fee and sports fee shall be payable at the rate as prescribed by the Pondicherry University at the time of admission.

5) Examination fee

Shall be payable as prescribed by the University.

6) Hostel fees and other deposits

(a) Hostel Room Rent	:	Rs.25,000/- p.a
(b) Mess Charge	:	Rs.48,000/- p.a
(c) Utility Charge	:	Rs.5000/- p.a
(d) Caution deposit (refundable)	:	Rs.5000/-

The following documents should be **attached along with filled application**.

NRI candidates

- I. Certificate (English translated copy of the marks), grade sheet of the qualifying examination.
- II. Certified copy of the grade equivalent to marks of Boards of Schools.
- III. Copy of passport.
- IV. Proof of NRI status of the student / parents / sponsor.
- V. Colour passport size photograph.

NRI sponsored candidates

- I. NRI status certificate of the sponsor issued by the Embassy of the respective country under their seal.
- II. Copy of NRI bank account passbook of the sponsor.
- III. Copy of Passport of the sponsor.
- IV. Nativity certificate of the sponsor.

The following certificates **should be produced at the time of joining**

- 1) Certificate of the Qualifying Examination with mark sheet.
- 2) Birth certificate.
- 3) Transfer Certificate & Conduct certificate from the Institution last studied.
- 4) Photocopies of the first page of the passport with the photograph and also the visa to enter the country (Student visa, PIO Card or OCI card).
- 5) SSLC/Equivalent certificate
- 6) Accreditation certificate.

- 7) Passport size photographs (colour) of the student – 4nos.
- 8) Certificate showing the proof for blood relationship (for NRI sponsored candidate.)
- 9) Proof of NRI status of student/parents/guardian.
- 10) Medical Certificate in case of OPH candidate.
- 11) The Memorandum sent to the Candidate by the Institution.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORMS

The application forms for admission to the BAMS (NRI/NRI Sponsored /Foreign quota) along with Information Bulletin 2017-18 can be downloaded from the institution website www.rgamc.in from 16-06-2017. The downloaded application form should be filled up by the candidate in his / her own handwriting and duly signed by the candidate. No other form of application is permitted.

The candidate is advised to read the Information Bulletin 2017-18, before filling the application form and ensure that no column is left blank. In the event of rejection of the application form, no correspondence will be sent. The status may be known from the institute website while publishing the merit list.

The ***filled up Application forms*** with recent Passport Size ***Photograph***, pasted on the space provided, shall be considered only when submitted with necessary self attested ***copies of certificates*** and ***Demand Draft*** (Candidate's name written behind the DD) for application fee. Demand draft and other enclosures can be stapled / tagged together with the application form. They shall be sent by post/courier or can be submitted in person to The filled applications along with the necessary documents should reach **The Principal, Rajiv Gandhi Ayurveda Medical College, Mahe, Chalakkara, New Mahe- P.O- 673311** on or before **15th July, 2017 by 1.00 PM (IST)**.
