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Message from the Director

It gives me great pleasure to share the Prospectus for 2019-20 with all those of you who plan to pursue your academic career at NIMHANS.

NIMHANS has been in existence under different personae for more than half a century. In 2013, NIMHANS was designated as an Institute of National Importance through an Act of Parliament that provided autonomy for a range of academic activities. NIMHANS is a unique institution that integrates mental health and neurosciences in basic, behavioural, and clinical domains for academics, service delivery, research, and policy and programme development, all under one roof.



The Institute has 25 departments with dedicated faculty in each of the departments. The activities and focus of each department evolve with scientific developments and clinical needs. At any given point of time, there are nearly 500 students studying in different courses with about 200 PhD scholars pursuing their highest academic degree in the Institute.

Students at NIMHANS have excellent opportunities to fulfil their academic and research interest and to engage in various academic and extracurricular activities. The training provided at NIMHANS is exemplary, and students who graduate from NIMHANS can carry their degree to any part of the world with confidence and pride.

Please read through the Prospectus carefully. It contains all the instructions that you need to apply for the courses of your interest. I wish you all the best and look forward to welcoming you to your academic career at NIMHANS.

Dr. B.N.Gangadhar
Director.

Brief History of NIMHANS

The Government of India established the All India Institute of Mental Health in 1954 in association with the then existing Mental Hospital of the Government of Karnataka. Major objective of the Institute was to generate manpower in the field of mental health and neurosciences. The Mental Hospital, Bangalore, which had built up certain traditions since 1936 in matters related to undergraduate training in the field of Psychiatry, was chosen by the Government of India as the centre for training. The Institute was then affiliated to the University of Mysore for all courses.

Subsequently, the Institute got affiliated to the Bangalore University in 1964. The Bangalore University established a separate faculty of Mental Health and Neurosciences.

The All India Institute of Mental Health and the Mental Hospital of the Government of Karnataka were amalgamated into an autonomous institute and thus the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) came into existence in 1974.

NIMHANS was conferred 'Deemed to be University' status by UGC in 1994 and NIMHANS became an autonomous and independent university.

NIMHANS has been declared as an Institute of National Importance by an Act of Parliament vide Government of India Gazette Notification dated 14.9.2012. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956, the Rehabilitation Council of India Act, 1992, the Indian Nursing Council Act, 1947, and the University Grants Commission Act, 1956, the medical degrees, diplomas, nursing degrees and certificates granted by the Institute under this Act shall be recognized medical qualifications for the purposes of the Acts aforesaid and shall be deemed to be included in the Schedule to the respective Acts.

Spread across 135 verdant acres in the heart of the garden city, NIMHANS offers the latest medical advances in an environment that promotes mental health and enhances a sense of wellness. The state-of-the-art facilities bolstered by highly skilled professionals and technicians—who are dedicated to providing patients with compassionate and comprehensive care—make NIMHANS a centre of excellence and specialized expertise.

The unique feature of this Institute is its multidisciplinary approach to patient care, training as well as research in the area of mental health and neurosciences. The manpower development programs at NIMHANS reflect the extent to which the institute has succeeded in fusing and nurturing behavioural, neuro, biological and ancient health sciences/systems under one roof.

Vision of NIMHANS

To be a world leader in the area of Mental Health and Neurosciences and evolve state-of-the-art approaches to patient care through translational research.

Mission

1. To establish the highest standards of evidence-based care for psychiatric and neurological disorders and rehabilitation.
2. Develop expertise and set standards of care for diseases of public health relevance in the developing world
3. Work with the government and provide consultancy services for policy planning and monitoring strategies in the field of Mental Health and Neurosciences and facilitate execution of national health programme.
4. Human resource capacity building by training in diverse fields related to Mental Health and Neurosciences.
5. Develop and strengthen inter-disciplinary, inter-institutional and international collaboration with universities and research institutes across the globe to foster scientific research, training in advanced technology and exchange of ideas in the areas of Mental Health and Neurosciences.
6. Strive to enhance equitable accessibility of primary care in Mental Health and Neurological Disorders to all sections of society and ages including the vulnerable population.
7. Evolve and monitor the strategies for disaster management and psycho-social rehabilitation in different cultural and ethnic groups.
8. Promote Mental Health literacy and eliminate the stigma attached to the Mental and Neurological Illnesses by taking the measures and the delivery system to the centres of primary health care honouring the human rights and dignity.
9. Integrate allopathic and oriental medicine into health care delivery and promote evidence-based research.
10. Integrate physical and metaphysical aspects of Neuroscience research to promote yoga and its application to positive mental health.
11. Participate in broad field of Neuroscience and Behavioural Research applicable to human ethics, organ transplantation, stem cell research, space science, and nuclear science.

For more details about all activities of NIMHANS, please refer to NIMHANS Website www.nimhans.ac.in

Institute Administration

Name & Designation	Telephone Number
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Smt. B. K. Revathi, Administrative Officer (Academic & Evaluation Section)	26995012

Calendar of Activities

1. Entrance Examination

Session 1	
<i>Admission Notification for Ph.D., Superspeciality, Postdoctoral, Postgraduate, Diploma, B.Sc. and Certificate Courses</i>	
Date of Advertisement of Admission Notification	17.01.2019
Start Date and End Date for submission of Online Application Forms	17.01.2019 to 16.02.2019
<u>Date of conduct of Online Entrance Test</u>	
a) <i>Ph.D., Super speciality, Postdoctoral and Postgraduate Courses</i>	30.03.2019 & 31.03.2019
b) <i>B.Sc. Courses</i>	21.04.2019
Date of Interview for Ph.D Programs	28 th to 30 th May 2019
<u>Date of admission</u>	
a) <i>Ph.D., Super speciality, Postdoctoral and Postgraduate Courses</i>	04.06.2019
b) <i>B.Sc. and Diploma Courses</i>	07.06.2019
Date of course commencement	01.07.2019
Session 2	
<i>Admission Notification for Ph.D. courses*, selective seats of MD in Psychiatry & DM in Neurology courses # and vacant seats of various postgraduate~ courses notified in Session 1</i>	
Date of Advertisement of Admission Notification	01.08.2019
Start Date and End Date for submission of Online Application Forms	01.08.2019 to 31.08.2019
<u>Date of conduct of Online Entrance Test</u>	
<i>Ph.D., Super speciality, Postdoctoral and Postgraduate Courses</i>	20.10.2019
Date of Interview for Ph.D Programs	04.11.2019
<u>Date of admissions</u>	05.12.2019
<i>Ph.D., Super speciality, Postdoctoral ,and Postgraduate Courses</i>	
Date of course commencement	01.01.2020

* Admissions will be notified only for seats under external fellowship and sponsorship categories (including permanent and tenured employees of NIMHANS) of various Ph.D. Courses under Session 2.

Admissions will be notified only for 18 seats (of various categories) in MD Psychiatry and 10 seats (of Post MD/DNB Category) in DM Neurology & 3 PDF courses in Neurology and unfilled seats from session 1 (excluding UG courses) under Session 2. For more details, kindly refer to respective course information.

2. Exit Examination

Month	Category of Course/s	Examination	Type of Examination
April	Ph.D. Courses	On completion of 1 Year from the date of course commencement	Pre-Ph.D.
	Superspeciality courses	DM Courses– Part I & III/Final and M.Ch. in Neurosurgery– Part I & III / Final	Annual
	Postgraduate Medical Courses	MD in Psychiatry- Part I & II/Final and MPH- Part I & II/ Final	Annual
	Postgraduate Non-medical Courses	M.Phil. courses- Part I & II/Final and M.Sc. courses- Part I & II/Final	Annual
	Undergraduate Courses	B.Sc. Courses– I, II, III & IV Year	Annual
		Diploma Courses- Final	Annual
October	Ph.D. Courses	On completion of 1 Year from the date of course commencement	Pre-Ph.D.
	Superspeciality	DM Courses- Part I & III/Final and M.Ch.in Neurosurgery- Part I & III/Final	Supplementary
		DM Courses-Part II and M.Ch. in Neurosurgery- Part II	Annual
	Postgraduate Medical Courses	MD in Psychiatry- Part I & III/Final and MPH-Part I & III/Final	Supplementary
	Postgraduate Non-medical Courses	M.Phil. Courses- Part I & II/Final and M.Sc. Courses-Part I & II/Final	Supplementary
	Undergraduate Courses	B.Sc. Courses- I,II,III & IV Year	Supplementary
		Diploma Courses- Final	Supplementary

The above schedule is applicable from 2020 Exit Examinations.

Divisions & Departments of NIMHANS with availability of faculty

Departments	Total no. of faculty
Basic Sciences division	
Department of Biophysics	5
Department of Biostatistics	5
Department of Basic Neurosciences (Virtual department)	-
Department of Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology	2
Department of Human Genetics	4
Department of Neurochemistry	4
Department of Neuromicrobiology	3
Department of Neurophysiology	8
Department of Neurovirology	4
Behavioural Sciences division	
Department of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	5
Department of Clinical Psychology	24
Department of Mental Health Education	2
Department of Nursing	3
Department of Psychiatric Social Work	24
Department of Psychiatry	40
Neurosciences division	
Department of Clinical Neurosciences (Virtual department)	-
Department of Epidemiology & Centre for Public Health	6
Department of Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care	13
Department of Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology	10
Department of Neurological Rehabilitation	2
Department of Neurology	21
Department of Neuropathology	6
Department of Neurosurgery	15
Department of Speech Pathology & Audiology	3
Department of Transfusion Medicine & Haematology	2

Departments and courses offered at NIMHANS

General Guidelines for admission in Ph.D Programs		
Departments under which Ph.D. Program is offered		Department of Biophysics
		Department of Biostatistics
		Department of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
		Department of Clinical Neurosciences (Virtual Dept.)
		Department of Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology
		Department of Clinical Psychology
		Department of Human Genetics
		Department of Mental Health Education
		Department of Neurochemistry
		Department of Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology
		Department of Neurology
		Department of Neurological Rehabilitation
		Department of Neuromicrobiology
		Department of Neuropathology
		Department of Neurophysiology
		Department of Neurovirology
	Department of Nursing	
	Department of Psychiatric Social Work	
	Department of Psychiatry	
	Department of Speech Pathology & Audiology	
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualifying degree as specified for the concerned Course
	External Fellowship including sponsorship Category	<p>a. Indian National Applicants who are/have been:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Awarded external fellowship from various governmental Agencies like UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT and AYUSH (specific references to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) (JRF/SRF only). Such applicants can activate JRF/SRF only after joining respective Ph.D. Course at NIMHANS. ii. Permanent / tenured employees of NIMHANS who are sponsored to pursue Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS. iii. Permanent / tenured employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions / Universities and Public Sector Undertakings sponsored/deputed to pursue Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS. iv. Sponsored by Non-Governmental organizations (NGOs) to pursue Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS. <p>b. Foreign Nationals Applicants sponsored/deputed by Governmental Organizations and recognized Universities and National Scholarships from reputed/recognized organization to pursue Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS.</p> <p>c. Applicable for courses with external fellowship/sponsorship category only.</p>
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and been awarded qualification from a recognized Institution/University (In case of Medical Qualification, Medical Council of India recognized and University Grants Commission, Rehabilitation Council of India and Indian Nursing Council recognized in case of Non-medical qualification).
Course Duration		3 to 5 Years for all Ph.D. Programs except Ph.D. in Clinical Neurosciences Program.

Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Interview					
	Seats under External Fellowship	Online Entrance Test and/or Interview*					
	Mere qualifying in Online Entrance Test and/Interview does not entitle admission to a Ph.D. Course. Selection is subject to availability of eligible guides in the respective departments.						
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR/SC/ST/OBC -50%					
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No age limit.					
Emoluments Except for Ph.D. in Clinical Neurosciences courses	Institute Stipendiary		I Year	II Year	III Year	IV Year	V Year
		<i>Emoluments*</i>	Rs. 25,000/- per month	Rs. 25,000/- per month	Rs. 28,000/- per month	Rs. 28,000/- per month	Rs. 28,000/- per month
		<i>Contingency Grants</i>	Rs. 20,000 per annum	Rs. 20,000 per annum	Rs. 20,000 per annum	Rs. 20,000 per annum	Rs. 20,000 per annum
	*Applicants who have pursued M.Phil. Courses at NIMHANS under 'Institute Stipendiary Category', will be admitted to Ph.D. Programs under 'Institute Stipendiary' for only 3 Years duration.						
	External Fellowship	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or 'External Fellowship Category' who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.					
Fees		Rs. 30,380/-(including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel Charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.					
Leave (Except for Ph.D. in Clinical Neuroscience)		Under 'Institute Stipendiary' Category- 30 days Annual leave and any other form of leave availed shall be 'without stipend'.					
		Under 'External Fellowship' Category- as per rules of the concerned External Fellowship Agency/Employer.					

*Applicants who have been awarded 'External Fellowship' i.e., JRF/ SRF from ICMR/UGC/CSIR/DBT/AYUSH (with specific references to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) are exempted from appearing in the Online Entrance Test and would directly qualify for Interview.

Applicants who have been awarded 'External Fellowship' from External Agencies other than the above mentioned are required to qualify with minimum of 50% marks in the Online Entrance Test to become eligible for appearing in the Interview.

Ph.D. Course Work Co-ordinators & Nodal Officer

Sl. No	Name of the Module	Coordinators
1	Research Methodology (RM) Quantitative and Qualitative Software (SS)	Dr. Mariamma Phillip, Associate Professor of Biostatistics Dr. B. Binukumar, Associate Professor of Biostatistics
2	Computer Applications (CA)	Dr.B.N.Srikumar, Associate Professor of Neurophysiology
3	Human /Animal Ethics (Ethics)	Dr. B. S. Shankaranarayana Rao, Professor of Neurophysiology
4	Basic Sciences	Dr. B. S. Shankaranarayana Rao, Professor of Neurophysiology
5	Behavioural Sciences	Dr. P. Naren, Associate Professor of Psychiatry
6	Neurosciences	Dr. Anita Mahadevan, Professor of Neuropathology
	Nodal Officer for UGC/ICMR/CSIR/DST/DBT/SERB supported programmes	Dr. P. Marimuthu, Professor & HOD of Biostatistics

Ph.D. in Biophysics		
Department		Biophysics
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR M.Phil. Biophysics /Neuroscience OR Master's Degree in Biochemistry / Biophysics / Biotechnology / Life Sciences/ Physics /Physiology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		Initially the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. The registration will be confirmed after qualifying the Pre-Ph.D. examination. The candidate would be trained in both theory and practical aspects of the curriculum pertaining to the discipline. After successful completion of the proposed work and approval of the synopsis the candidate shall submit the thesis for award of Ph.D. degree.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995101		

Ph.D. in Biostatistics		
Department		Biostatistics
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's Degree in Agricultural Statistics/Applied Statistics/ Biostatistics / Health Statistics / Medical Statistics / Statistics OR M.Stat (ISI) through regular course.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.
Seats offered		01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides
Program of Study		Development and application of biostatistics in the field of mental health and neurosciences.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995120		

Ph.D. in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry		
Department		Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DNB in Psychiatry OR MD in Psychiatry OR M.Phil.in Clinical Psychology/ Psychiatric Social Work.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		PhD scholars in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry will have the opportunity to work in a wide range of research areas spanning biological, neurodevelopmental, behavioural, and psychosocial research, including children in difficult circumstances. The study curriculum, in addition to their area of dissertation, will cover epidemiological methods, use of standardized assessment tools, developmental assessment methods, qualitative research methodologies, and ethics in research with children and adolescents.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995351		

Ph.D. in Clinical Neurosciences				
Department	Clinical Neurosciences (Virtual Department)			
Minimum requirement for admission	MD in Psychiatry/ General Medicine/ Community Medicine/ Paediatrics OR MS in General Surgery OR DM in Neurology / Child and Adolescent Psychiatry / Geriatric Psychiatry / Addiction Medicine OR M.Ch. in Neurosurgery.			
Course Duration	3 Years			
Seats offered	08 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' funded by ICMR			
Emoluments		I Year (Basic Pay + Grade Pay)	II Year (Basic Pay + Grade Pay)	III Year (Basic Pay + Grade Pay)
	Emoluments- per month	Rs. 18,750 + Rs. 6,600/- GP	Rs. 19,510 + Rs. 6,600/- GP	Rs. 20,300 + Rs. 6,600/- GP
	Contingency Grants- per annum	Rs. 15,000/-	Rs. 15,000/-	Rs. 15,000/-
Program of Study	During the first year, the scholars attend the PhD course work as well as complete the Pre-PhD examination. In the initial three months, the scholars would be matched with a faculty mentor in the respective department based on their qualifying post-graduate degree. Subsequently, the scholars undertake their PhD dissertation work under the guidance of the mentor (Principal Guide) as well as co-guides from clinical and basic specialties. They will be posted in the respective clinical department of the Principal Guide till completion of their course, where they will be working in the capacity of a Senior Resident. The PhD scholars are mandated to undertake a dissertation that involves translational research involving clinical and basic specialties. The scholars are expected to complete the preparation of their thesis protocols in consultation with their Principal Guide and co-guides and submit the same for the approval of the PhD Committee and Institute Ethics Committee within the initial 6 months of their course.			
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-2699 5346				

Ph.D. in Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology		
Department	Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR Master's Degree in Pharmacology / Physiology /Biochemistry / life sciences discipline (related to Medical Research).
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Anatomy and physiology of the central nervous system (CNS). ii. Neurotransmitters and molecular signaling in the CNS central nervous system. iii. Drugs acting on the CNS with especial relevance to psychiatry and neurology. iv. Animal models in psychopharmacology v. Clinical and experimental psychopharmacology vi. Brain stimulation, with especial reference to electroconvulsive therapy (ECT) and transcranial direct current stimulation (tDCS) vii. Statistics and research methodology viii. Redox and mitochondrial dynamics in brain and muscle in health, disease and neurotoxicological paradigms ix. Animal Models to understand neurotoxicology and CNS disease pathogenesis x. Cellular models of CNS disease pathogenesis and neurotoxicology. 	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995109		

Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology		
Department	Clinical Psychology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology OR M.Phil. in Mental Health and Social Psychology OR 2 years Master's Degree in Applied Psychology/ Clinical Psychology/ Counselling Psychology/ Psychological Counselling/ Psychology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.
Seats offered		03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study	<p>The program of study involves undergoing training in theoretical and practical aspects of Mental Health and Clinical Psychology and in research methodology. It includes supervised clinical internship in Mental Health and Clinical Psychology with special emphasis in areas related to the topic of research.</p> <p>Initially the candidates will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. Their registration will be confirmed upon successful completion of Pre Ph.D. examination after 1 year from the date of provisional registration. After completion of a minimum of 3 years and upon satisfactory completion of research work and approval of synopsis, the candidates would be permitted to submit their thesis for award of Ph.D. degree.</p>	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995180		

Ph.D. in Human Genetics		
Department	Human Genetics	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's Degree in Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/ Applied Genetics/ Human Genetics/ Molecular Biology/ Biomedical Genetics OR M.Tech in Genetic Engineering/ Genetic Biotechnology OR B.Tech in Biotechnology OR MBBS.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	Initially, the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. Before confirmation of registration, all the candidates have to complete Pre-Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in both theory and in practical aspects of the curriculum pertaining to the discipline. Later, the candidate would pursue regular Ph.D. research work and submit the thesis for award of Ph.D. degree.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995125 or 26995722		

Ph.D. in Mental Health Education		
Department	Mental Health Education	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master of Public Health/ Health/ Behavioural Sciences.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	

Program of Study	Initially, the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. before confirmation of registration; all the candidates have to clear the pre-Ph.D. Examination, after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in both theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum of Pre-Ph.D. Course work. The progress of research work would be monitored and periodically reviewed by the Doctoral Committee constituted for that purpose. After satisfactory completion of proposed work and approval of synopsis, the candidate shall submit the thesis for Ph.D. Degree.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995157	

Ph.D. in Neurochemistry		
Department		Neurochemistry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's Degree in Biochemistry/ Biotechnology/ Medical Biochemistry OR M.Phil.in Neurosciences.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		Initially, the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. before confirmation of registration; all the candidates have to clear the pre Ph.D. examination, after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in both theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum of Pre-Ph.D. course work. The progress of the research work would be monitored and periodically reviewed by the Doctoral committee constituted for that purpose. After satisfactory completion of proposed work and approval of synopsis, the candidate shall submit the thesis for Ph.D. degree.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995162		

Ph.D. in Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology		
Department		Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	BE OR B.Tech OR DNB in Radiodiagnosis OR MBBS OR MD OR Master's Degree in Medical Subjects OR M.Tech Degree.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		<p>During the first year of the course, the student will be trained in imaging anatomy of brain, physics of imaging, basic research methodology and guidelines and ethics in research. The student will work hands on in the field of image and signal processing with the designated guide.</p> <p>The second year will focus on image and signal processing with the available data and initiation and acquisition of thesis data. Will also teach undergraduate and postgraduate medical students on image processing methods.</p> <p>Final year will focus on writing papers and actually publishing them. Will also work on data analysis to answer research questions and develop newer image analysis pipelines.</p>
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995424		

Ph.D. in Neurological Rehabilitation		
Department	Neurological Rehabilitation	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DNB in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation OR Master's Degree in Physiotherapy (MPT) / Occupational therapy (MOT) / Orthotics & Prosthetics OR MBBS OR MD in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation OR M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology / Psychiatric Social Work / Clinical Neurosciences OR Master's Degree in Nursing / Speech Therapy.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	<p>The Department of Neurological Rehabilitation currently has trained faculty with research interests in rehabilitation of Stroke, Myelopathies, Traumatic Brain Injury, Neuro-muscular disorders, developmental disorders, Neurogenic bladder dysfunction, Intervention pain and developmental disorders including Cerebral Palsy etc.</p> <p>The student upon admission to the course will be provisionally registered and will undergo the theory and practical training modules pertaining to the discipline that is conducted at the Institute for PhD scholars. The student will need to pass a Pre-PhD examination which is held within one year from the date of provisional registration, following which the registration will be confirmed. The progress of the student is assessed periodically by the Doctoral Committee. After satisfactory completion of proposed research work in in the department, the PhD Colloquium is conducted and after approval of synopsis, the student will be required to submit the thesis for award of PhD degree.</p>	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995282		

Ph.D. in Neurology		
Department	Neurology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	M.Tech with experience in Neuroscience Research OR M.Sc. in Life Sciences OR MBBS OR BDS OR MD.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides	
Program of Study	<p>The Department of Neurology currently has trained faculty with research interests in Epilepsy, Stroke, Neuromuscular Disorders, Movement Disorders, Cognitive Neurosciences, Paediatric Neurology, Demyelinating Disorders, Headache, etc. The PhD course in Neurology is offered to those who have highly focussed research interest in a specific area in Neurology. It is expected that the candidate contemplating to pursue PhD in Neurology at NIMHANS visit the Institute before applying for PhD, and interact with the Faculty in Neurology to discuss the scope of research and mutual research interests. This will also enable the candidate to choose a guide, if selected for the course.</p> <p>The student upon admission to the course will be provisionally registered and will undergo the theory and practical training modules pertaining to the discipline that is conducted at the Institute for PhD scholars. The student will need to pass a Pre-PhD examination which is held within one year from the date of provisional registration, following which the registration will be confirmed. The progress of the student is assessed periodically by the Doctoral Committee. After satisfactory completion of proposed research work in Neurology, the PhD Colloquium is conducted and after approval of synopsis, the student will be required to submit the thesis for award of PhD degree.</p>	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140 or 26995150		

Ph.D. in Neuromicrobiology		
Department		Neuromicrobiology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	BE Biotechnology OR MBBS OR MD Microbiology OR M.Phil. Neuroscience OR Master's Degree in Applied Microbiology/ Biochemistry/ Biomedical Genetics/ Biotechnology/ Medical Microbiology/ Microbiology/ MLT/ Molecular Biology/ Neuroscience.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship category' are subject to availability of guides
Program of Study		Initially, the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. before confirmation of registration all the candidates have to complete Pre-Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in both theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum of Pre-Ph.D. examination. After satisfactory completion of proposed work and approval of synopsis, the candidate shall submit thesis for Ph.D. candidates with fellowship from registered/ recognized agencies only are eligible to apply for Ph.D. in Neuromicrobiology.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995151		

Ph.D. in Neuropathology		
Department		Neuropathology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR MD in Pathology OR Master's Degree in Zoology / Neurosciences / Physiology / Biotechnology / Biological Sciences /Cell Biology /Life Science /Anatomy / Biochemistry /Microbiology /Molecular Biology and Human Genetics/ Bioinformatics/ Biophysics/ Developmental Biology/ Evolutionary Biology/ Systems Biology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		The student upon admission will be provisionally registered to the course. A Pre-Ph.D. examination is conducted within one year from the date of provisional registration. The registration is confirmed only after successfully completing the Pre-Ph.D. examination. As per curriculum, the student also has to undergo the various theory and practical training modules pertaining to the discipline that is conducted at the Institute for Ph.D. scholars. The Ph.D. course work of these scholars is closely monitored by a Ph.D. Doctoral committee, comprising internal and external experts, nominated by the institute. Successful completion of the Ph.D. course requires submission of the research work and acceptance of dissertation towards the award of the Doctoral Degree
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995130		

Ph.D. in Neurophysiology		
Department		Neurophysiology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	M.Phil. in Neurophysiology /Neuroscience OR MD in Ayurveda /Physiology / Yoga & Naturopathy OR Master's Degree in Anatomy / Biochemistry / Biotechnology / Life Science / Neuroscience / Physiology / Physiotherapy / Unani Medicine / Zoology OR MBBS OR BE OR B.Tech Electronics/ Electrical/ Computer Science/ Biotechnology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.

Seats offered	02 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study	Initially the candidates will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. Before confirmation of the registration, all the candidates have to complete Ph.D. Course work and Pre -Ph.D. examination. The candidate would be trained in both theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum pertaining to the discipline. The progress of the candidate is assessed periodically by the Doctoral Committee. After satisfactory completion of proposed research work, the Ph.D. Colloquium is conducted and after approval of synopsis, the candidate shall submit the thesis for award of Ph.D. degree.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995173	

Ph.D. in Neurovirology		
Department	Neurovirology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR MD in Microbiology OR Master's Degree in Biotechnology / Medical Microbiology / Microbiology / Virology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	Initially, the candidate will be provisionally registered for Ph.D. Before confirmation of registration all the candidates have to complete Pre -Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in both theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum of Pre-Ph.D. examination. After satisfactory completion of proposed work and approval of synopsis, the candidate shall submit thesis for Ph.D. degree.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995126		

Ph.D. in Nursing		
Department	Nursing	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's Degree in Psychiatric Nursing.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Fellowship Agencies and deputed employees of NIMHANS only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	During the first year, the candidate will be given training in the theoretical and practical aspects of the problem and the research methodology related to the proposed topic. All the candidates have to appear for Pre-Ph.D. Examination after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate will have two years of supervised clinical work in nursing with special emphasis on areas of related to the topic of research. After the completion of the proposed research work, the candidate will submit the thesis for award of Ph.D.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995225 or 26995227		

Ph.D. in Psychiatric Social Work		
Department	Psychiatric Social Work	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	2 years Master's Degree in Social Work OR M.Phil. in Psychiatric Social work.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	
	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.	
Program of Study	The candidate would be trained in research methodology, theoretical and practical aspects. All the candidates have to complete Pre-Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995240		

Ph.D. in History of Psychiatry		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR Master's degree in Psychology/ Philosophy/ History/ Sociology/ Social Work/ Languages.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Seats offered	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides	
Program of Study	The focus of the course is to help the candidate to step into the past and understand the Clinical as well as Social Aspects of History of Psychiatry and help in learning from the past and utilising that knowledge in the current context. The candidate will be trained in Research Methodology relevant in conducting studies in History of Psychiatry. The course will also help in developing career-relevant skills and build a network of future research leaders.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Ph.D. in Mental Health Rehabilitation		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR M.Phil. Degree in Clinical Psychology /Psychiatric Social Work OR Master's Degree in Psychiatric Nursing / Psychosocial Rehabilitation.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.
Seats offered	02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	
	Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides	
Program of Study	A candidate who has obtained M.Sc. in Psychosocial Rehabilitation, M.Phil.in Clinical Psychology, M.Phil. in Psychiatric Social Work, M.Sc. in Psychiatric Nursing and MBBS from any recognized University or any other University recognized as equivalent thereto by NIMHANS securing not less than 55% marks can register for Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration. The candidate would be trained in research methodology, theoretical and practical aspects of the curriculum on Ph.D. for duration of 3 years. The candidate has to complete Pre-Ph.D. examination after one year from the date of provisional registration.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Ph.D. in Psychiatry		
Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	BE OR B.Tech. OR MBBS OR MD OR ME OR M.Tech OR Master's Degree in Medical Biotechnology / Biotechnology / Biochemistry / Genetics/ Microbiology / Immunology / Physiology /Bioinformatics /Cellular biology and anatomical Sciences / Molecular Biology /Biophysics/ Anatomy /Neurosciences / Pharmacology / Zoology / Botany / Basic Sciences OR M.Pharma.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies only can apply.
Number of Seats		Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		The Department of Psychiatry offers a Ph.D. in Psychiatry covering Psychosocial and neurobiological aspects of core psychiatry with an emphasis on both fundamental and translational studies/ The 3-5 year program includes a detailed protocol review by an expert committee, Ph.D. course work that covers basic aspects of research avenues available at NIMHANS, Biostatistics, Ethics and Research methodology and computer applications. A Pre-Ph.D. Examination (Theory and Viva-Voce) and Half-Yearly doctoral Committee reviews ensure thorough supervision and learning of the candidate. This program prepares the candidate to embark on an independent research career building on the specific skill-set acquired.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Ph.D. in Speech Pathology and Audiology		
Department		Speech Pathology and Audiology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's Degree in Speech Pathology & Audiology / Speech Language Pathology / Audiology.
	Other criteria	Applicants awarded External Fellowship from various External Funding Agencies also can apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'. Seats under 'External Fellowship Category' are subject to availability of guides.
Program of Study		The candidate admitted to the program will be thoroughly trained in clinical and theoretic aspects of the field of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology. However, the emphasis of theoretical training will be on the topics related to the doctoral program. This is in addition to the training program that the candidate has to undergo which is stipulated by the Institute. The department has full-fledged laboratories for work in the areas of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology. The strength of the department is in the number and variety of the clinical population it caters to.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995568		

Super speciality Courses

		Department	Course offered
Departments under which Super speciality Programs are offered	DM Courses	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	DM in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
		Neuroanaesthesia and Neurocritical Care	DM in Neuroanaesthesia and Neurocritical Care
		Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology	DM in Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology
		Neurology	DM in Neurology
		Neuropathology	DM in Neuropathology
		Psychiatry	a. DM in Geriatric Psychiatry b. DM in Addiction Psychiatry
	M.Ch. Course	Neurosurgery	M.Ch. in Neurosurgery

General Guidelines for admission in DM Courses		
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course
	External Fellowship including sponsorship/deputation	Indian National Applicants who are/have been- i. permanent/tenured employees of NIMHANS sponsored to pursue course. ii. permanent/tenured employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings who are sponsored or permitted to pursue course at NIMHANS with or without pay or allowances or leave.
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		All DM Courses except DM in Neurology : 03 Years DM in Neurology Course: Post MBBS Category: 6 Years 3 years as Junior Resident and 3 years as Senior Resident) Post MD/DNB Category: 3 Years (3 years as Senior Resident)
Mode of Selection		Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR/SC/ST/OBC -50%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		For applicants applying: a. 'Under MBBS Category'- 32 Years b. 'Under MD/DNB Category'- 35 Years No reservation of seats based on OBC/SC/ST/PWD and hence no age relaxation for the same.
Emoluments	Post MD/DNB Category	Rs.67,700 for 1 st year, Rs.69,700 for 2 nd year, Rs.71,800 for 3 rd year SR.
	Post MBBS Category	Rs.56,100 for 1 st year JR, Rs.57,800 for 2 nd year, Rs.59,500 for 3 rd year JR.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or permanent/tenured employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings who are sponsored or permitted to pursue course at NIMHANS with or without pay or allowances or leave, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.

Fees	Post MD/ DNB	Rs. 80,420/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
	Post MBBS Category	Rs.90,310/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	Post MD/ DNB Category	30 Days Earned Leave, 20 Days Half Pay Leave, 8 Days Casual Leave and 2 Days Restricted Holiday per year for Senior Resident.
	Post MBBS Category	Annual Leave of 30 Days for 1 st Year and 36 Days for 2 nd & 3 rd Year, 30 Days of Earned Leave as Junior Resident, 8 Days Casual Leave, 20 Days Half Pay Leave and 2 Days Restricted Holiday for 4 th , 5 th and 6 th Year as Senior Resident.

DM in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry		
Department	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities <u>also</u> can apply.
Seats offered	02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	
	02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'	
Program of Study	<p>The DM and PDF course is targeted to develop the candidate's clinical acumen and skills so as to enable them to function as experts in the field of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (CAP) including intellectual disability in a variety of settings. This training will equip the trainee with the skills in patient care, to pursue productive teaching and research careers in the field of child and adolescent psychiatry.</p> <p>The candidate will have in-depth knowledge of the diagnosis and management of psychiatric disturbances in children and adolescents including intellectual disability. In addition they will have good knowledge of conditions such as epilepsies, neuro-developmental disorders, inborn errors of metabolism, common paediatric conditions and of the investigative procedures including electrophysiology and imaging. They will have a clear understanding of clinical and developmental child psychology and methods of evaluation and therapy. The candidate will at all times work towards including preventive and promotive aspects of child mental health. The socio-cultural and legal dimensions and administrative perspectives on child and adolescent mental health will be the other areas in which they will be well trained.</p> <p>On completion of the course the candidate should be able to deliver the highest quality of patient care, advocate on child mental health and be a competent and inspiring teacher and be able to pursue and supervise both clinical and experimental research. The specific skill sets/learning objectives are as follows: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The trainee will have familiarity with the normal range of child behaviour, development and minor variations therein. 2. The trainee will have familiarity with methods of parenting and parental reactions. 3. The trainee will have understanding of clinical and developmental child psychology 4. The trainee will receive training in diagnosis and management of majority of conditions on basis of clinical assessment and appropriately selected investigations. 5. The trainee will acquire competence in interviewing, examining children and their parents in hospital and non-hospital settings. 6. The trainee will develop knowledge of objective structured methods of assessment used for children and their parents. 	

	<p>7. The trainee will have competence in management of children with special needs, neurological handicap, mental retardation, epilepsy, and chronic physical illnesses.</p> <p>8. The trainee will have the knowledge and proficiency to carry out range of psychological and physical treatments for emotional, behavioural and developmental disorders of children and adolescents.</p> <p>9. The trainee is aware of the contemporary advances and developments in the discipline.</p> <p>10. The trainee will learn basic principles of research methodology and epidemiology and the ability to critically analyze published literature relevant to the field.</p>
Award on completion of course	'Dr. M.V. Govindaswamy Memorial Award' for the 'Best outgoing student'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995351	

DM in Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care		
Department	Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Anaesthesiology OR DNB in Anaesthesiology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities also can apply.
Seats offered		04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study	<p>The course envisages training the candidates in the following areas:</p> <p>i. Basic sciences related to Neuroanaesthesia.</p> <p>ii. Clinical Neuro Anaesthesia for neurosurgery.</p> <p>iii. Anaesthesia for neuroradiological procedures including interventional neuroradiology and magnetic resonance imaging.</p> <p>iv. Neuromedical and neurosurgical intensive care.</p> <p>v. Principles of research in Neuroanaesthesia.</p> <p>vi. Experience in handling modern anaesthesia and intensive care equipment.</p>	
Award on completion of course	'Dr. Usha Punja Award' for 'best outgoing student'	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995415		

DM in Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology		
Department	Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Radiodiagnosis OR DNB in Radiodiagnosis.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities also can apply.
Seats offered		03 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'

Program of Study	<p>The DM course in Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology is a 3 year course. During the first year the candidate is posted in a rotating fashion in the modalities of CT/CT SPECT/MRI/MR PET/DSA for 11 months. Basic orientation to neuroradiology is provided during the initial months and later on during the year the candidate acquires skills in performing all neuroradiological procedures and reporting them one month of the first year. The candidate is posted in Neuroanaesthesia and Neuropathology for 15 days each to acquire basic knowledge of these 2 disciplines pertaining to neurosciences. Also during the year the candidate acquires knowledge on all aspects of basic neurosciences as applicable to naming branches of neurosciences. During the second year the candidate refines this skills acquired during the first year and acquires training in interventional neuroradiology under supervision. He/she is also posted one month each in Neurology and Neurosurgery to acquire basic exposure in the field. 3rd year will be spent in acquiring specialized skills in Interventional radiological procedures and MRI.</p> <p>The total duration of posting in the different modalities is as follows:- CT/CT SPECT & USG – 5 to 6 months MRI/MR PET –14 to 15 months Cathlab/DSA – 12 months</p>
Award	'Golden Jubilee' Award for 'best outgoing student'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995424	

DM in Neurology			
Department		Neurology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	<i>Post MD/DNB Category</i>	MD in Internal (General) Medicine/ Paediatrics OR DNB in Internal (General) Medicine / Paediatrics.
		<i>Post MBBS Category</i>	MBBS
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply under 'Post MD Category'.	
Course Duration		3 Years for Post MD/DNB (3 years as Senior Resident)	
		6 Years for Post MBBS (3 years as Junior Resident and 3 years as Senior Resident)	
Seats offered	Post MD/ DNB Category	<i>Session 1</i>	05 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
			01 Seat under 'Sponsored Category'
		<i>If there are no applicants under 'Sponsored Category' seat will go to Institute Stipendiary in 'Post MD/DNB Category'.</i>	
	<i>Session 2</i>	10 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'	
Post MBBS	<i>Session 1</i>	04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'	
Program of Study		<p>The Department of Neurology offers two types of DM in Neurology courses: (a) Post-MBBS 6 years course and (b) Post-MD/DNB 3 years course.</p> <p>In the Post-MBBS course, the student joins the course at PGY 1 (1st year Post graduate) level and participates in a 6 years residency program: first 3 years as Junior Resident and next 3 years as Senior Resident.</p>	

	<p>After the initial 6 months of posting in Neurology, the resident is posted for 18 months to Bangalore Medical College for training in general medicine, paediatrics and allied medical specialities. After successful completion of this training and passing DM-Part 1 examination, they join the Neurology Department at PGY3 level. In the post-MD DM course, the student participates in a 3-year Senior residency program and joins the DM course at PGY3 level.</p> <p>During residency in Neurology, the students receive training in neurological examination, diagnostic and therapeutic approaches to common and rare, acute and chronic neurological disorders, through direct supervision by neurology faculty. The residents are posted in different clinical units of neurology, outpatient and casualty services and also receive training in electrophysiology, neuroradiology, neuropathology, neurosurgery, clinical psychology, adult and child and adolescent psychiatry. They also get opportunity to spend time in sub-specialities of Neurology such as stroke, epilepsy, neuromuscular disorders, movement disorders, cognitive neurosciences and paediatric neurology. Academic assignments include clinical bedside presentations, journal clubs, seminars, etc. and research assignments include submission of a dissertation (which is required as a partial fulfilment of award of DM degree). The residents are required to successfully pass DM-Part 2 examination held at mid-PGY4 level and DM Part-3 examination held at end of PGY5. In addition, the post-MBBS candidates are required to complete one year of Senior residency (PGY6) after DM-Part 3 examination to be eligible for award of DM degree.</p>
Awards on completion of the course	<p>a. 'Dr. Anisya Vasanth Memorial Award' for 'best post-graduate resident'.</p> <p>b. 'Silver Jubilee Award' for the 'best outgoing student'.</p>
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140	

DM in Neuropathology		
Department	Neuropathology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Pathology OR DNB in Pathology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	
	01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'	
Program of study	<p>The students are trained in diagnostic, molecular and ultrastructural Neuropathology and are exposed to teaching and research activities. They also receive comprehensive training in related aspects of clinical and basic neurosciences. The students gain proficiency in diagnostic neuropathology by extensive exposure to large number of biopsies received for diagnosis. Participation in the clinicopathologic slide sessions and brain cutting conferences provides insight into clinical, radiological and therapeutic implications of diagnosis. Taking part in regular academic activities of the department augments their learning/teaching capabilities. The clinical autopsy rotations provide exposure and training in the techniques of brain removal, anatomy and evaluation of cause of death. The abundant surgical and autopsy material provides ample opportunity for research. The program is aimed at holistically nurturing the students to gain expertise in diagnostic neuropathology, to carry out research and imparting teaching, thus enhancing capacity building in the nation in the field of Neuropathology.</p>	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995130		

DM in Geriatric Psychiatry	
Department	Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
Number of Seats	02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	This course provides three years training in Geriatric Psychiatry. They will be trained in assessment and management (pharmacotherapy, psychotherapy and brain stimulation) of cognitive disorders and other neuropsychiatric disorders in elderly. They will also be trained in research methodology essential for conducting studies in the Geriatric Population. They will also get training in basic sciences and other clinical specialties related to Geriatric Psychiatry (Eg., Neurology, Neuropathology, Community Psychiatry and Geriatric Medicine)
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250	

DM in Addiction Psychiatry	
Department	Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
Seats offered	02 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The residents will undergo training in addiction psychiatry which involves substance use disorders, behavioural addiction, dual diagnosis. As a part of training the residents also does an dissertation under the supervision. The residents will be trained in clinical, research and policy related aspects of addiction psychiatry. They also undergo training in substance use in special populations like children and adolescence. Training also happens in branches related to substance use Gastroenterology, Neurology, Neuroanaesthesia, Family Therapy, Behaviour Therapy and Epidemiology. As a part of training, they will be allowed to observe the functioning of the NDTTC, AIIMS and treatment centre at PGIMER, Chandigarh.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250	

General Guidelines for admission in M.Ch. Course		
Department under which M.Ch. Course is offered	Department of Neurosurgery	
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship Category	Applicants who are/have been permanent/tenured employees of Government of India/ State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings , who are sponsored or permitted to pursue course at NIMHANS with or without leave, pay or allowances, should apply under 'Sponsorship Category'.
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		3 Years for Post MS/ DNB (1 year as JR and 2 years as SR) [Candidate can opt for 1 year Non-PG Senior Residency after completion of the course]
		6 Years for Post MBBS (3 years as JR and 3 years as SR)

Mode of Selection	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission	
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test	UR/SC/ST/OBC- 50%	
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)	32 years for Applicants applying with Medical Undergraduate (MBBS) Qualification.	
	35 years for Applicants applying with Medical Postgraduate (MS/ DNB) Qualification.	
	No reservation of seats based on OBC/SC/ST/PWD and hence no age relaxation for the same categories.	
Emoluments	Post MS/DNB Category	Rs.56,100 for 1 st year , Rs.67,700 for 2 nd year, Rs.69,700 for 3 rd year SR.
	Post MBBS Category	Rs.56,100 for 1 st year JR, Rs.57,800 for 2 nd year, Rs.59,500 for 3 rd year JR. Rs.67,700 for 1 st year, Rs.69,700 for 2 nd year, Rs.71,800 for 3 rd year SR.
Fees	Post MS/DNB Category	Rs. 80,420/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
	Post MBBS Category	Rs.90,310/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	Post MS/DNB Category	30 Days Earned Leave, 8 Days Casual Leave, 20 Days Half Pay Leave and 2 Days Restricted Holiday for 3 Years each.
	Post MBBS Category	Annual Leave of 30 Days for 1 st Year and 36 Days for 2 nd & 3 rd Year, 30 Days of Earned Leave, 8 Days Casual Leave, 20 Days Half Pay Leave and 2 Days Restricted Holiday for 4 th , 5 th and 6 th Year.

M.Ch. in Neurosurgery		
Minimum requirement for admission	Post MS/DNB Category	MS in General Surgery OR DNB in General Surgery
	Post MBBS Category	MBBS
Seats offered	Post MS/DNB Category	05 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
		01 Seat under 'Sponsored Category'. <i>If there are no applicants under 'Sponsored Category', seat will go to Institute Stipendiary.</i>
	Post MBBS	04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	During the course of the residency program, candidates are trained to have sound theoretical knowledge of neurosurgery. An active surgical training program ensures that candidates pass out of the institute as full-fledged neurosurgeons ready to practice in their chosen subspecialty areas. Students are trained to operate on all varieties of emergency and elective neurosurgical procedures on the brain and spinal cord. Training is imparted in handling of surgical microscopes, drills, micro-instruments during the course. Candidates have to submit a thesis and are encouraged to pursue advanced training following the M.Ch course.	
Award on completion of course	'Silver Jubilee Award' for the 'best outgoing student'.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995403		

General Guidelines for admission in Postdoctoral Fellowship Courses		
Departments under which Postdoctoral Fellowship Courses offered		Department of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
		Department of Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care
		Department of Neurology (06 Courses)
		Department of Neurological Rehabilitation
		Department of Neuromicrobiology
		Department of Neurovirology
		Department of Neuropathology
		Department of Psychiatry (10 Courses)
		Department of Transfusion Medicine & Haematology
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship category	a. Applicants who are/have been permanent/tenured employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings, who are sponsored or permitted to pursue course at NIMHANS with or without leave, pay or allowances from their employers, should apply under this category. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other requirement	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		1 Year
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
	Seats under External Fellowship	
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR/SC/ST/OBC- 50%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No age limit.
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Rs. 67,700 (Except for Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neurology Courses). Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neurology courses Rs. 71,800/- per month.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 57,760/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	Institute Stipendiary	Under 'Institute Stipendiary' Category- 30 days Earned Leave, 20 days Half Pay leave, 8 days Casual Leave and 02 days of Restricted Holiday.
	Sponsored Category	Under 'Sponsored Category'-as per the rules of the concerned Employer.

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry		
Department	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.
Program of Study	Refer to 'Program of Study' under DM in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995351		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuroanaesthesia		
Department	Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Anaesthesiology OR DNB in Anaesthesiology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study	The course envisages training the candidates in Basic sciences related to Neuroanaesthesia, Clinical Neuro Anaesthesia for neurosurgery, Anaesthesia for neuroradiological procedures including interventional neuroradiology and magnetic resonance imaging. Also they will be exposed to neurological patients in the intensive care unit. They will also be exposed to conduct of research.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995415		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neurocritical Care *		
Department	Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care	
Minimum requirement for admission	DM in Neuroanaesthesia / Neurology M.Ch. in Neurosurgery OR MD in Anaesthesiology / Internal Medicine OR DNB in Anaesthesiology / Neurology/ Neurosurgery.	
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' funded by ICMR Fellowship under 'Centre for Advanced Research'.
		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' funded by TVS Group
Program of Study	The Students are trained in the following areas: i. General principles of critical care including organization of critical care, scoring systems, admission and discharge criteria, transport of patients. ii. Basic neuroanatomy and physiology. iii. Pre hospital and neurointensive care in patients with neurologic injury. iv. Cerebrovascular accidents. v. Traumatic brain and spinal cord injury. vi. Neurological disease including seizure disorder, peripheral motor neurone disease, infectious diseases of CNS.	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> vii. Monitoring in critical care. viii. Neuroimaging and other radiological investigations. ix. Neurorehabilitation and treatment of complications. x. Research in the neurocritical care.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995415	

* Seats may vary subject to approval by the Statutory Bodies of the Institute.

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Cognitive Neurosciences		
Department		Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DM in Neurology OR DNB in Neurology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' in Session 1 only
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category' in Session 1 only
Program of Study		The Post-doctoral fellowship (PDF) in Cognitive Neurosciences will afford neurologists training and expertise in the diagnosis and management of cognitive disorders of a wide range of etiologies, including Alzheimer's disease, Frontotemporal dementia, post stroke cognitive impairment, autoimmune encephalitis and other neurological disorders. Integral to the curriculum, the fellow will learn the nuances of cognitive assessment, an in-depth knowledge of advanced imaging and other diagnostic studies relevant to cognitive disorders and current management strategies. A multidisciplinary approach to cognitive neurology will be developed in liaison with allied specialities that include psychiatry, clinical psychology, psychiatry social work and rehabilitation medicine. Through the fellowship, there will be strong encouragement to develop one's own clinical and research interests with access to national and international collaborations. Current areas of research available to fellows encompass neurobiology of neurodegenerative diseases, clinical and biomarker studies and psychosocial interventions for dementia. The aim of the program is to enable the fellow to establish and coordinate a high quality service for patients with cognitive disorders and also conduct meaningful research in the field independently.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Epilepsy		
Department		Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DM in Neurology OR DNB in Neurology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		<i>Session 1</i>
		01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 Seat under 'Sponsored Category'
		<i>Session 2</i>
		01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'

Program of Study	Neurology as a subspecialty has existed in India for the past five decades with major emphasis in the curriculum presently being on clinical evaluation and management of neurologic diseases. The Dept. of Neurology, with various disciplines in neurological sciences offer post-doctoral fellowship (PDF) training courses in the allied specialties by viz. Stroke, Epilepsy, Movement Disorders, Neuromuscular Disorders, Cognitive neurosciences and Paediatric Neurology. The fellows receive focused required clinical training at outpatient, inpatient and emergency services during the one year period. They teach the technologists, nursing staffs/students, and residents of the dept. of Neurology. They are encouraged to participate in scientific work in their respective field
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Movement Disorders

Department		Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DM in Neurology OR DNB in Neurology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	<i>Session 1</i>	01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 Seat under 'Sponsored Category'
	<i>Session 2</i>	01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study		There is a progressive increase in the number of patients with Parkinson's disease, Parkinsonian syndromes and other movement disorders as a consequence of increase in population as well as better care and greater longevity. This warrants greater availability of specialized service by neurologists trained in Movement Disorders. Keeping in mind our commitment for manpower development in India, the Department of Neurology offers a one-year post-doctoral fellowship (PDF) course in Movement Disorders. We provide supervised training to the post-doctoral fellows in clinical assessment, diagnostic evaluation (including neuroimaging, electrophysiology and genetics) and management of patients with a variety of common and rare movement disorders including Parkinson's disease and other Parkinsonian syndromes (such as Progressive Supranuclear palsy, Multiple System Atrophy, Corticobasal Degeneration, etc), Tremor, Dystonia, Ataxias, Chorea, etc. The fellows receive hands on training in administering Botulinum toxin injection in patients with focal dystonia, hemifacial spasm and a variety of other conditions. They also participate in the ongoing functional neurosurgery program for Movement Disorders (which include lesional surgeries and Deep Brain Stimulation) and have training in electrophysiological evaluation (including transcranial magnetic stimulation) of Movement Disorders. Finally they also participate in academic and research activities.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuromuscular Disorders

Department		Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	DM in Neurology OR DNB in Neurology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.

Seats offered	<i>Session 1</i>	01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 Seat under 'Sponsored Category'
	<i>Session 2</i>	01 Seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	<p>The post-doctoral fellow (PDF) in Neuromuscular Disorders will get an opportunity to strengthen his/her clinical acumen in myology and neuropathic disorders with a focused approach. Apart from attending the regular OPDs and wards, the fellow will have a unique opportunity to attend the monthly multidisciplinary Neuro-muscular Disorders clinic, which caters to more than 80 patients with a variety of inherited neuromuscular disorders and provide clinical, therapeutic, rehabilitative and psychosocial interventions and genetic and prenatal counselling. During the one-year PDF course, training will include (a) advanced electrophysiology techniques including SFEMG, (b) advanced imaging techniques and their interpretation such as muscle MRI, USG of nerves and muscles, (c) clinicopathologic correlations with muscle and nerve biopsy, and (d) techniques and histopathologic interpretations including Western Blot. The fellow will gain new insights into genetically-mediated nerve and muscle disorders and participate in genetic counselling.</p>	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Paediatric Neurology

Department	Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	DM in Neurology / Paediatric Neurology OR DNB in Neurology / Paediatric Neurology.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' in 'Session 1 only'
Program of Study	<p>Paediatric Neurology services is a quaternary/tertiary specialty service which caters the needs of infants, children and adolescents (<18 years) with neurology problems. The student who gets enrolled in the post-doctoral fellowship (PDF) program would be trained in the diagnosis, management and clinical research in various fields of paediatric neurology including neurodevelopmental disorders (Cerebral Palsy, Autism, ADHD), neurometabolic and mitochondrial disorders, paediatric epilepsies, neurodegenerative disorders (leukoencephalopathies), storage disorders, movement disorders, neuromuscular disorders, immune mediated disorders, syndromic intellectual disability, neurocutaneous disorders, neurogenetics, and CNS/spine malformations. The unique features of manifestations of disease in children and adults, and pharmacotherapy in children would be emphasized during the training period. Apart from attending the outpatient and inpatient services and regular academic programs, the fellow would be trained to read paediatric EEGs and perform various electrophysiological procedures.</p>
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Stroke

Department	Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	DM in Neurology OR DNB in Neurology.
Number of seats	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' in 'Session 1 only'

Program of Study	Stroke is one of leading causes of death and disability worldwide including India. NIMHANS gets a large turnover of acute and chronic stroke patients every day. There is an exciting phase of treatment options available for acute ischemic strokes and secondary stroke prevention. We conduct all types of acute stroke interventions (intravenous and mechanical), including intervention in wake up period. NIMHANS houses an organized stroke unit, trained faculty, advanced imaging facilities and allied specialties. The post-doctoral fellow (PDF) in Stroke has the opportunity to actively participate in the selection of patients for acute stroke interventions including finer details of clinic-radiological interpretations of multimodal imaging data, opportunities to learn neurovascular sonology, opportunities for fast tracking application for stroke intervention career fellowship through various external foundations. We have 3 existing CT scanners, 3 MRI and a nuclear imaging facility with SPECT and PET. We are due to acquire the RAPID software and a high resolution CT scanner system. The fellow will also have an opportunity to work on secondary stroke prevention, teach DM neurology residents and participate in various stroke trials. This training will definitely help the fellow to evolve into a stroke neurologist, which our country needs.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neurological Rehabilitation	
Department	Neurological Rehabilitation
Minimum requirement for admission	MD in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation OR DNB in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation.
Seats offered	02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	To train physiatrists in neurological rehabilitation. Training is offered to post graduates in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995143	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Hospital Infection Control		
Department	Neuromicrobiology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Microbiology OR DNB in Microbiology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can only apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'	
Program of Study	The candidate works the whole time in the hospital infection control services centre under the Department of Neuromicrobiology taking care of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disinfection & sterilization • Surveillance of Nosocomial infections • Monitoring Antibiotic policy • Managing outbreaks, isolation guidelines for patients • Monitoring central sterile service department • Implementing standard precautions • Prevention of transmission of drug resistant organisms • Managing biomedical wastes • One project work to be carried out and assessed by faculty / guide during the period of one year. 	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995151		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuroinfections		
Departments		Neuromicrobiology Neurovirology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Microbiology
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 seat under 'sponsored Category'.
Program of Study		The Fellowship program shall be conducted at NIMHANS and such other Centres approved by NIMHANS. During the period of study, the candidate has to work under the guidance of the faculty of Neuromicrobiology and Neurovirology, with academic and diagnostic responsibilities. Active participation in seminars, journal clubs, case conferences, didactic lectures shall form the main structures of the fellowship program. The candidate shall be required to share the duties of Senior Resident and participate in all the teaching and training programs of the two departments where they are posted.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995151 or 26995126		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuropathology		
Department		Neuropathology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Pathology OR DNB in Pathology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study		The fellows are trained in diagnostic, molecular and ultrastructural Neuropathology. They actively participate in routine work, assist in diagnosis, undertake autopsies and participate in teaching sessions of Neuropathology department and allied departments. Adequate diagnostic and research facilities are available for the students.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995130		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Acute Care & Emergency Psychiatry		
Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'

Program of Study	The Postdoctoral fellow will be posted in short stay ward of Psychiatry. He/she will monitor and treat the in-patients who are admitted in Short Stay ward for A 24 Hour Period. He/she provides supervision in handling various acute conditions like suicide attempts, violence, substance related, medical comorbidities, delirium, catatonia, geriatric emergencies, drug induced emergencies etc. As part of emergency training, he/she is also posted in various other areas like Neuroanaesthesia, Neuroradiology and behavioural therapy. Apart from clinical work, post doctoral fellow also participates in academic and research work which also includes dissertation work in emergency services.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Addiction Medicine		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.	
	02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'.	
Program of Study	The focus of the fellowship is to enhance the clinical skills related with addictive disorders. The candidates are trained in pharmacological and non-pharmacological management of substance use disorders, behavioural addictions and dual diagnosis. The program also offers an opportunity to carry out a small research project.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Community Mental Health		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category.'	
	02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'.	
Program of Study	The postdoctoral fellow will be placed in out-patient and in-patient services under Community Mental Health. The postdoctoral fellow will involve mobile outreach clinics, primary healthcare centre (PHC) visits, school mental health programme, information-education-communication (IEC) activities at various centres including workplace-based awareness programmes for prison staff, fire-fighters, schoolteachers etc., training of Trainers (TOT) for ASHA workers, Anganwadi workers along with MD Psychiatry Resident under Direct supervision from District Mental health Programme Officer of Ramanagara District. The postdoctoral Fellow supervises the MD Resident and M.Phil Trainee in Daily Living Skills, Behavioural Work, Group Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Family Therapy, Yoga Activities and Pharmacotherapy of Individual patient. Along with routine clinical care, the postdoctoral Fellow also participates in academic and research activities related to community psychiatry.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Clinical Neurosciences & Therapeutics in Schizophrenia

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
		02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'.
Program of Study		This course in Clinical Neuro Sciences & Therapeutics in Schizophrenia, aims at training young psychiatrists to develop expertise in advanced clinical skills and translational research to meet the challenges of schizophrenia; concurrently studying the interface between psychiatry and medicine with focus on schizophrenia.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Consultation Liaison Psychiatry

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.
Program of Study		The Postdoctoral Fellow is trained in assessment and management (pharmacotherapy and psychotherapy) of mental disorders in various medical and surgical settings including Neurology, Palliative Care, Oncology and General Hospital Psychiatry. He/she will also be trained in research methodology essential for conducting studies in psychosomatics and general hospital psychiatry.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Forensic Psychiatry

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.

Program of Study	This Postdoctoral Fellow course in Forensic Psychiatry is designed to train the candidate in clinical as well as research aspects of a specialized branch of psychiatry which deals with the assessment and management of persons with mental illness in conflict with the law. It is an area which the interface between psychiatry and law. It also aims to provide the trainee with in-depth knowledge about civil responsibilities with regards to persons with mental illness such as testamentary capacity, marriage, divorce, adoption, voting, job responsibilities and any other issue involving tort law and persons with mental illness.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250	

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Geriatric Psychiatry		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.	
	01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.	
Program of Study	The Postdoctoral Fellow is trained in assessment and management (pharmacotherapy, psychotherapy and brain stimulation) of late onset mental illness, cognitive disorders and neuropsychiatric disorders. He/she will also be trained in research methodology essential for conducting studies in the Geriatric Population.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Non-invasive Brain Stimulation of Psychiatric Disorders		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	
	01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'	
Program of Study	Postdoctoral Fellow in Non-Invasive Brain Stimulation(NIBS) for psychiatric Disorders will help in acquiring skills in advanced aspects of ECT stimulation parameters and involves active liaison with other specialities to administer ECT in special populations. It helps in gaining skills in advanced TMS applications, mainly neuronavigation TMS, patterned TMS and investigational aspects of TMS like cortical reactivity and cortico-cortical interactions. it includes gaining expertise in administering tDCS and other advanced applications like HDtDCS, tACS and tRNS and investigational aspects of Tdcs/ tACS such as cortical plasticity and entrainment studies. It also enables in critically evaluating research in ECT, TMS and tDCS and related clinical neuroscience through brainstorming discussions for translation of research findings to clinical settings.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Obsessive compulsive disorder & related disorders

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' 02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study		The Postdoctoral Fellow is trained in diagnosing cases of obsessive compulsive disorder and related disorders like trichotillomania, tic orders, hoarding disorder, body dysmorphic disorders etc. The Postdoctoral Fellow will also be trained in managing such cases, both pharmacological and non-pharmacologically. He/she also undertakes some research activity in the said field.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuropsychiatry

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission		DM in Neurology OR MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
Program of Study		The course encompasses training in the following specialities : I. Outpatient services include: Geriatric Psychiatry, Epilepsy Clinic, Movement Disorder Clinic, Neuromuscular Disorders, Multiple Sclerosis, Headache/Stroke Clinic, Pain Clinic, Paediatric Neurology, Neurodevelopmental Disorder clinic on a rotation basis. II. In-patient Care involves liaison with Neurology and Neurosurgery along with Neurocritical Care.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Women's Mental Health

Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD in Psychiatry OR DNB in Psychiatry.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply.
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' 01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study		This course in Women's Mental Health will provide sub-speciality training opportunities in research and clinical aspects for Psychiatrists interested in the ways sex and gender can exert a major influence on the course, expression and treatment of psychiatric disorders. The purpose is to train psychiatrists in the assessment and treatment of course also aims at helping the trainee develop an in-depth appreciation of the influence of sociocultural gender roles and gender related vulnerabilities such as violence and discrimination on the mental health of women.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Postdoctoral Fellowship in Transfusion Medicine	
Department	Transfusion Medicine & Haematology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility
	Other criteria
Seats offered	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
	01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.
Program of Study	The candidate will work full time in the Transfusion Medicine Centre (TMC), actively participating in Counselling, screening and bleeding of voluntary blood donors, therapeutic procedures that include phlebotomy and therapeutic plasma exchange, blood component separation, screening for transfusion transmitted infections and other blood safety activities and other responsibilities similar to Senior Resident including participation in teaching and training activities of the centre. The course content will be such as to cover training in all related disciplines of transfusion medicine. A short posting will be done in other hospitals where specific facility relevant to transfusion medicine is available.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995712	

General Guidelines for admission in Fellowship Courses	
Department in which Fellowship Courses are offered	Department of Clinical Psychology (02 Courses)
	Department of Mental Health Education
	Department of Psychiatric Social Work
	Department of Psychiatry (04 Courses)
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission
	Sponsorship Category
	Other requirements
Course Duration	1 Year
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship
	Seats under Sponsorship/Deputation Category
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test	UR/OBC- 50% SC/ST – 45%

Age Criteria for eligibility (as on day of course commencement)		No Age Limit
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary Category	1. Fellowship in Psychiatric Rehabilitation: a. Medical Category- Rs. 15,600/- (Basic Pay) JR + admissible allowances b. Non-Medical Category- Rs. 25,000/- per consolidated 2. Fellowship in Geriatric Mental Health Nursing : Rs. 3,000/- 3. All other Fellowship Courses: Rs. 25,000/-
	Sponsorship Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 17,350/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave		30 days of Annual leave

Fellowship in Clinical Neuropsychology *

Department		Clinical Psychology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	2 years M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'.
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'. 02 seats under 'Sponsorship Category'.
Program of Study		Neuropsychology which is the study of brain and behaviour along with advent of modern techniques in the field of cognitive neurosciences has helped in better understanding of the brain functions. There is a greater need for clinical psychologists to equip themselves with an understanding of the current developments in cognitive neurosciences and its application to clinical practice and research in Neuropsychology.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995180		

Fellowship in Cognitive Behaviour Therapy *

Department		Clinical Psychology
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	2 years M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'.
Seats offered		02 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'. 02 seats under 'Sponsorship Category'.
Program of Study		The fellowship will focus on facilitating clinical expertise in cognitive behaviour therapies. The program is aimed at enhancing knowledge and skills in cognitive behaviour therapies through the clinical activities and services of Behavioural Medicine Unit, Department of Clinical Psychology. The candidate shall be required to carry out individual cognitive behaviour therapy under the supervision of the faculty of the Behavioural Medicine Unit, participate in academic activities and contribute to the clinical services rendered by the Behavioural Medicine unit.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995180		

* subject to approval by the Statutory Bodies of the Institute.

Fellowship in Mental Health Education		
Department	Mental Health Education	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR Master's Degree in Social Work / Nursing / Psychology/ Public Health OR any other Behavioural Sciences.
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/ deputed by the State/Central Government/ Armed Forces/ Other NGO's or Public Sector undertakings of State/ Central Government or Institutions/ Universities can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'.
Seats offered		02 seats for 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		02 seat for 'Sponsorship Category'
Program of study		The course shall be conducted at the NIMHANS and during the study period the candidates will work under the guidance of consultant, with academic and clinical responsibilities. The structure of training program includes active participation in departmental and clinical work, seminars, journal clubs, case conferences, didactic lectures, and hands-on training in mental health education strategies. Upon successful completion of the course, candidate shall be awarded the fellowship certificate in Mental Health Education.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995157		

Fellowship in Geriatric Mental Health Care		
Department	Psychiatry	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR MD General Medicine / Geriatric Medicine OR DNB in General Medicine/ Geriatric Medicine.
	Other criteria	<p>a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government can apply through 'Sponsorship Category'.</p> <p>b. MBBS with minimum of 2 years of experience of having worked in a General hospital as Medical Officer.</p> <p>c. Candidate sponsored by NGO's can also apply for this course</p>
Seats offered		01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study		This Course provides training in Geriatric Mental Health for Medical graduates with basic qualification of MBBS. The candidate will undergo training in diagnosis and basic management of mental health problems in elderly like depression, dementia and other related disorders. They will also be receiving basic training in providing emergency critical care and general medical care for elderly.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Fellowship in Psychiatric Rehabilitation		
Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MD Psychiatry OR M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology / Psychiatric Social Work OR Diploma in Psychiatry / Psychological Medicine OR DNB in Psychiatry; OR MBBS ; Master's Degree in Psychology / Social Work / Psychosocial Rehabilitation / Nursing.
	Other criteria	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/ deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can <u>also</u> apply through 'Sponsorship/ Deputation Category'. 2. MBBS with 2 years of experience of having worked in a Mental Health Setting are eligible. 3. Master's Degree in Psychology/Social Work/Nursing who have had minimum of 2 years of experience of having worked in a Mental Health setting are eligible. 4. If M.Phil. Degree is for 1 year duration, 1 additional year of experience in Mental Health setting is necessary. 5. If Diploma is for 1 year duration, 1 additional year of experience in Mental Health setting is necessary.
Seats offered	Medical	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' 01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
	Non-Medical	01 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' 01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
If no candidates are qualified under medical category, the seats will be filled by candidates from the non-medical category and vice-versa.		
Program of Study		This course provides training in psychiatric rehabilitation for both medical and non-medical professionals. Medical Professionals having MBBS, Diploma or Master's Degree in Psychiatry and for non-medical professionals having Master's or M.Phil. related to Psychiatry are eligible for this one-year course. The candidates will get an exposure to the working at various rehabilitation settings such as day care, half way home, long stay homes etc. Candidates would be supervised in getting expertise in rehabilitation needs assessment of mentally ill patients and their caregivers on a continuum basis and tracking such changes. Supervised training would be carried out about how to make a tailor-made rehabilitation plan for persons with mental illness using the strengths model. Candidates would be supervised in getting acquainted with various community resources available for the execution of such tailor-made rehabilitation plan and in networking with community resources.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Fellowship in Geriatric Mental Health Nursing		
Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	B.Sc. Nursing or equivalent qualification.
	Other criteria	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can <u>also</u> apply through 'Sponsorship Category'. b. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the NIMHANS can <u>also</u> apply through 'Sponsorship Category'. c. Applicants should have at least one year experience in a mental health care institution.

Seats offered	Sponsorship Category	02 seats for sponsored/deputed from NIMHANS.
		02 seats for Sponsored/deputed from State/Central Govt.
Program of Study		This course provides training for those with Master's Degree qualification in Psychiatric or General Medical Nursing. The training will be collaboratively provided by the Department of Psychiatry and Department of Nursing. The candidates will be provided training related to provision of nursing care for elderly with mental health problems in the community, hospital as well as in other institutional facilities like day care and residential care.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Fellowship in Psychosocial Care for Elderly		
Department		Psychiatry
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology /Psychiatric Social Work OR Master's degree in Psychosocial Rehabilitation / Psychology / Social work.
	Other criteria	a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored by the State/ Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'. b. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored by the NIMHANS can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'. c. Applicants with Master's Degree in Psychology OR Master's Degree in Social Work should have a minimum of 2 Years of experience of having worked in a mental health setting.
Seats offered	Sponsorship Category	02 seats for sponsored from NIMHANS.
		01 seat for Sponsored from state/Central Govt.
Program of Study		This course provides training in Psychosocial care for elderly. The trainees with Master's Degree qualification in social work or psychology will be eligible for this course. The training will be provided by the experts from multidisciplinary team involved in the provision of Geriatric Clinic and services at NIMHANS. The candidates will also be trained for field work and community based activities with old age homes, day care and other organization working for elderly. The training will also include case work for psychosocial management of elderly with mental health problems including home visits.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250		

Fellowship in Psychosocial Support in Disaster Management		
Department		Psychiatric Social Work
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Master's degree in Social work / Disaster Management / Psychology / Psychiatric Nursing OR Master of Public Health
	Other criteria	Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'.
Seats offered	Sponsorship Category	04 seats for sponsored from NIMHANS
		04 seat for Sponsored from State/Central Govt.
Program of Study		-
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995240		

General Guidelines for admission in MD in Psychiatry Course		
Department in which MD Course is offered		Department of Psychiatry
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship Category	a. Indian National Applicants who are/have been sponsored/deputed employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings can apply under this category. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other requirements	a. Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India. b. Applicants belonging to Domicile of Karnataka can also apply under 'Karnataka Domicile Category'. c. Applicants belonging to Domiciles of Arunachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jammu & Kashmir, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura & Uttarakhand states, can also apply under 'North Eastern Domicile Category'.
Course Duration		3 Years (for all candidates irrespective of DPM or MBBS qualification)
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission
	Seats under Sponsorship/ Deputation Category	
Qualifying % in Online Entrance Test		UR/ OBC- 50% SC/ST – 45%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		For applicants applying under: c. 'General/Unreserved Category'- 32 Years d. 'OBC Category'- 35 Years e. 'SC/ST Category'-37 Years f. 'Sponsored Category'- 45 Years
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Rs.56,100 for 1 st year JR, Rs.57,800 for 2 nd year, Rs.59,500 for 3 rd year JR.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 71,420/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave		Under 'Institute Stipendiary' Category- 30 days Annual Leave for 1 st Year and 36 Annual Leave for 2 nd and 3 rd Year each.

MD in Psychiatry			
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	MBBS OR DPM.	
	Other criteria	a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category' under 'All India Category'. b. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the Karnataka State Government or Public Sector undertakings of Karnataka State Government or Institutions/Universities can apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category' under 'Karnataka Domicile Category'.	
Seats offered	All India Category	Session 1	10 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary' 01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'
		Session 2	11 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'
		<i>*If there are no applicants under 'Sponsored Category', seat will go to the 'All India Category' under the 'Institute Stipendiary'.</i>	
	Karnataka Domicile Category	Session 1	04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary' 01 seat* under 'Sponsored Category'
		Session 2	04 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary'
		<i>*If there are no applicants under 'Sponsored Category' seat will go to 'Karnataka Domicile Category' as Institute Stipendiary.</i>	
	North Eastern Domicile Category	Session 1	03 Seats* under 'Institute Stipendiary'
		Session 2	03 seats* under 'Institute Stipendiary'
		<i>*The seats will be awarded solely on the basis of overall merit and not state-wise.</i>	
Program of Study	Training of Postgraduate students is centered on a biopsychosocial framework of clinical care, coupled with hands-on research and academic activities. This not only enables the trainees to excel in providing high-quality clinical services, but also provides them with technical acumen to pursue independent research, teach and lead in the field of mental health and neurosciences. The clinical services at the Department of Psychiatry, NIMHANS, are organized into outpatient and inpatient services under general adult psychiatry (6 clinical units), addiction medicine, psychiatric rehabilitation services and community psychiatry. There is active liaison with the Department of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry. There is a well established psychotherapy supervision program. Regular assessments and feedback form part of a 360 degree formative assessment.		
Award and Prize on completion of course	a. 'Silver Jubilee Award' for the 'best outgoing student' among the students selected under All India Category (21 seats). b. 'Dr. D.L.N. Murthy Rao Memorial Prize for the 'best outgoing student among the 15 Students selected under 'Karnataka Domicile Category' and 'North Eastern Domicile Category'.		
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995250			

General Guidelines for admission in Master of Public Health Course

Department in which Master's Course is offered		Department of Epidemiology
General Eligibility	Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned course.
	Sponsorship Category	a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can apply through 'Sponsorship/Deputation Category'. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/University recognized by Medical Council of India/Rehabilitation Council of India/Indian Nursing Council or other statutory bodies as relevant.
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
	Seats under External Fellowship	
Duration of Course		2 Years
Qualifying % in Online Entrance Test		UR/OBC- 50% SC/ST- 45%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No age limit
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Applicants selected under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' - Rs. 25,000/-* *No emoluments for candidates selected for seats against vacant seats of 'Sponsored Category'.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsored Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 94,440/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	Under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' - 30 Days of Annual Leave and any other form of leave availed shall be 'without stipend'.	
	Under 'Sponsored Category' - All Leaves for candidates selected under External Fellowship Category shall be governed by Leave Rules as per concerned External Fellowship Agency.	

Master of Public Health

Department	Epidemiology
Minimum requirement for admission	MBBS OR Bachelor of Dental Sciences / Veterinary Sciences OR Postgraduate degree in Sociology/Statistics / Environmental Sciences /Physiotherapy /Occupational Therapy / Health Management / Social Work / Economics / Speech Pathology and Audiology / Speech Pathology / Audiology / Nursing.
Seats offered	05 Seats* under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
	05 seats* under 'Sponsorship Category'

*If the seats under ‘Sponsored Category’ are not filled, then seats will be filled by the eligible candidates from ‘Institute Stipendiary Category’ and vice-versa. Kindly refer to ‘Guidelines for details’.	
Program of study	The Master of Public Health (MPH) course was started from the academic year 2013-14. The goal was to bridge the gap in human resources and to strengthen public health capability of health and health related sectors. The MPH course aims to develop quality public health specialists who will be able to efficiently and effectively manage the constantly evolving health situation and systems of the country. The course based on adult-learning principles would be skill-based and adopt a modular learner-centered methodology. The course will have mental health, neurosciences as the thrust areas and will also focus on practice of public health principles and tools.
For more details, refer Department’s information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995244	

General Guidelines of admissions in M.Phil. Courses

Departments in which M.Phil. Courses are offered		Department of Biophysics
		Department of Clinical Psychology
		Department of Basic Neurosciences (Virtual department)
		Department of Neurophysiology
		Department of Psychiatric Social Work
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	External Fellowship including sponsored /deputed category	<p>a. Indian National Applicants who are/have been awarded external fellowship from various governmental Agencies like UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT and AYUSH (specific references to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) (JRF/SRF only). <u>Such applicants can activate JRF/SRF only after joining respective M.Phil. Course at NIMHANS.</u></p> <p>b. Indian National Applicants who are/have been sponsored/deputed employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings.</p> <p>c. Applicable for courses with external fellowship/sponsorship category only.</p>
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by MCI or UGC (as applicable).
Duration of Course		2 Years
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
	Seats under External fellowship/ sponsorship category	
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR/OBC- 50% SC/ST-45%
Age Criteria for eligibility (as on day of course commencement)		No age limit.

Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Rs. 25,000/- per month + Rs. 15,000/- as Contingency Grants per annum.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs.23,140/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave		Under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' - 30 Days of Annual Leave and any other form of leave availed shall be 'without stipend'.
		Under 'Sponsored/External Fellowship Category' - All Leaves for candidates selected under External Fellowship Category shall be governed by Leave Rules as per concerned External Fellowship Agency.

M.Phil. in Biophysics

Department	Biophysics
Minimum requirement for admission	B.Tech. in Biotechnology / Computer Science / Electronics ORMBBS OR Master's Degree in Biophysics / Biochemistry / Biotechnology / Chemistry / Life Science / Physics / Physiology / Zoology.
Seats offered	03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The course has been designed to build up the general background in the major areas of biophysics such as molecular biophysics, membrane biophysics, neuro biophysics, biophysical techniques, bioenergetics and medical biophysics. In the second year of the course, emphasis is given to specialization and research. The candidate will carry out a research project to be presented in the form of a dissertation. The laboratories are well equipped to conduct research on cellular and molecular aspects of nervous system.
Award on completion of course	'Dr. R.N. Moorthy Award' for 'candidates securing the highest marks'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995101	

M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology

Department	Clinical Psychology	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	2 years Master's degree in Applied Psychology / Clinical Psychology / Counselling Psychology / Psychological Counselling / Psychology.
	Other criteria	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities to pursue the above course can apply 'under foreign/sponsored category'. Indian National Applicants who are Domicile Resident of Karnataka can also apply 'under Karnataka Domicile category'. Foreign Nationals Applicants can apply 'under Foreign/sponsored category'. Indian National Applicants who are/have been awarded external fellowship from various governmental Agencies like UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT and AYUSH (specific references to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) (JRF/SRF only) also can apply.

Seats offered	All India Category	23 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
	Karnataka Domicile Category	03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
	Foreign/ Sponsored / External Fellowship Category	03 Seats
Program of Study		The program of study involves undergoing training in theoretical and practical aspects of Clinical Psychology as well as in research methodology. The course is a supervised program through postings in clinical units such as Adult Psychiatry, Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, Family Psychiatry, Behavioural Medicine, Neuropsychology, Addiction Medicine, Community Psychiatry, and Psychiatric & Neurological Rehabilitation. Theoretical inputs are provided through didactic lectures, case conferences, seminars and journal clubs. Training in research is provided through the completion of a research study which is submitted as a dissertation by the student as part of the course.
Prize on completion of course		'Dr. M.V. Govindaswamy Memorial Prize' for 'scoring highest marks'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995180		

M.Phil. in Neurosciences	
Department	Basic Neurosciences (Virtual Department)
Minimum requirement for admission	Master's Degree in Anatomy /Biochemistry / Biotechnology / Chemistry / Genetics / Life Science / Molecular Biology /Physics / Physiology / Psychology / Zoology OR MBBS OR BE in Electronics / Electrical / Computer Science / B.Tech in Electronics / Electrical / Computer Science /Biotechnology.
Seats offered	04 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The course consists of theory lectures on structure and function of the nervous system at molecular, cellular and systems level. In addition, candidates will have an exposure to pathological and applied aspects of the nervous system. Theory lectures will be complemented with practical's and demonstrations of various techniques used in different disciplines. Each candidate is required to carry out research work, which will result in a dissertation.
Award on completion of course	'Smt. Savithamma and Sri. Venkateshiah Memorial Award' for 'best outgoing student'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995173	

M.Phil. in Neurophysiology	
Department	Neurophysiology
Minimum requirement for admission	Master's Degree in Physiology/ Neuroscience / Anatomy / Biochemistry / Zoology / Biotechnology / Molecular Biology / Life Science OR MBBS OR BAMS (Ayurveda) OR BDS OR Bachelors in Unani Medicine.
Seats offered	02 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'

Program of Study	<p>The course consists of lectures, seminars, laboratory work and dissertation. The course aims at training students to acquire comprehensive knowledge of Neurophysiology from the system to the cellular level.</p> <p>The areas covered include: (i) cellular and developmental neurobiology (ii) mechanisms of the systems of sensation, movement and posture (iii) mechanisms of nervous systems governing visceral and endocrinal processes (iv) neurophysiology of consciousness and higher nervous activity (v) clinical neurophysiology, electroencephalography and neural imaging and (vi) research methodology covering research techniques in neurophysiology.</p> <p>The candidates will actively participate in seminars and journal clubs and acquire skills in critically evaluating research findings. They would be exposed to research methodologies covering various aspects of Neurophysiology through postings in several laboratories of the department. Each candidate is expected to acquire experience in a wide range of experimental neuroscience skills. The candidates will carry out a specific research project, which will be presented in the form of a dissertation.</p>
Award on completion of course	'Dr. R.N. Moorthy Award' for 'candidates securing the highest marks'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995173	

M.Phil. in Psychiatric Social Work		
Department	Psychiatric Social Work	
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	2 years Master's Degree in Social Work
	Other criteria	<p>a. Indian National Applicants who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government or Institutions/Universities can also apply 'under foreign/sponsored category.</p> <p>b. Foreign National Applicants can apply to the above course 'under foreign/sponsored category'.</p>
Seats offered	All India Category	26 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'
	Foreign/Sponsored/External Fellowship Category	03 seats
Program of Study	<p>In the two-year program, the candidates are exposed to application of methods, techniques and skills of social work for promotion of mental health, prevention of mental disorders, therapeutic interventions at individual, group and family level as well as after care and rehabilitation in institutional, semi institutional and non-institutional settings. At the end of the second year, they have to submit a dissertation using explorative-descriptive, experimental-evaluative research studies related to Psychiatric Social Work.</p>	
Prize on completion of course	'Dr. M.V. Govindaswamy Memorial Prize' for 'scoring highest marks'.	
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995240		

General Guidelines for admission in M.Sc. Courses		
Departments in which M.Sc. Courses are offered		
Department of Biostatistics		
Department of Nursing		
General Eligibility	Minimum qualification for admission	Qualification degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship Category	a. Applicants who are employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings and have been sponsored to pursue course at NIMHANS can also apply. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other requirement	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		2 years
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
	Seats under External Fellowship	
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR/OBC- 50% SC/ST- 45%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No Age Limit.
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Applicants selected under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' Rs. 3,000/- per month will be paid.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsored Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 22,700/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave		30 Days of Annual Leave

M.Sc. in Psychiatric Nursing		
Department		Nursing
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	B.Sc. Nursing OR B.Sc. Hons. Nursing OR Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing
	Other Criteria	a. The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife or equivalent with any State Nursing Registration Council. b. The candidate should have studied B.Sc. Nursing/B.Sc. Hons. Nursing/Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing in an institution which is recognized by INC. c. Minimum of one year experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing as on the day of Admission. d. Minimum of one year of work experience prior to or after post basic B.Sc. Nursing as on the day of Admission. e. Candidate shall be medically fit.

Seats offered	Institute Stipendiary	6 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'
	Sponsored Category	3 seats under 'Sponsored from NIMHANS'
Program of study		The M.Sc. in Psychiatric Nursing course is designed for two years period. The selection of the candidates shall be based on the merit in the entrance examination. The candidates admitted to the course will be trained in clinical and theoretic aspects of Psychiatric Nursing. The course aims at preparing the students to take up leadership roles in service, education and research in the area of Mental Health with special emphasis on theory integrated with clinical practice in the multidisciplinary team. The students will be posted to the adult psychiatry, super-specialty psychiatry and community mental health units. They will work along with the multi-disciplinary team. Some of the course work will involve active involvement in seminars/presentations/systematic reviews of selected research variables, project and theses work etc. The strength of the academic program is in integration of clinical practice and theory through the unit postings.
Award for completion of course		'Dr. R.N. Moorthy Award' for 'candidate securing the highest marks'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995225		

M.Sc. in Biostatistics

Department	Biostatistics
Minimum requirement for admission	Undergraduate Degree in Mathematics / Statistics as main subjects
Seats offered	04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary'
Program of Study	The course will consist of theory lectures on Mathematical Statistics and Probability Theory, Statistical Inference, Sampling theory & design of Experiments, Demography & Epidemiology and Statistical Software I (using SPSS and SAS software) for the first year and Multivariate Methods; Genetic Epidemiology, Bioinformatics & Psychometrics; Clinical Trials & Survival Analysis; Statistical Software II (using R and Stata software); and Project Work/Dissertation for the second year.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995120	

General Guidelines for admission in Postgraduate Diploma Course

Departments in which Diploma Courses are offered		Department of Neurochemistry
General Eligibility	Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		01 year
Mode of Selection		Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No Age Limit
Emoluments		Under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' : Rs. 15,000/- per month.

Fees	Rs.23,140/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	30 Days of Annual Leave and any other form of leave availed shall be 'without stipend'.

Postgraduate Diploma in Clinical Biochemistry	
Department	Neurochemistry
Minimum requirement for admission	Master's Degree in Biochemistry
Seats offered	04 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The main purpose of the program is to equip the candidates with practical and analytical skills in clinical biochemistry. Accordingly, it comprises of theory classes (30 Hours) on principles of techniques, automation, quality management and interpretation of laboratory reports. The practical training involving hands-on analysis of clinical samples (1790 Hours) includes routine metabolic disorder work-up and tandem mass spectrometry for clinical diagnosis. Annual examination will be conducted at the end of the program.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995162	

General Guidelines for admission in Diploma Courses		
Departments in which Diploma Courses are offered	Department of Neurology Department of Nursing	
General Eligibility	Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship category	a. Applicants who are employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings who are either sponsored or permitted to pursue course at NIMHANS with or without pay or leave or allowances, should apply under 'Sponsored Category'. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other requirements	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration	1. DCNT: 02 Year 2. DPN/DNN: 01 Year	
Mode of Selection	1. DCNT Course: Eligible applicants shall appear before Committee constituted by Director. 2. DPN/DNN: Committee constituted by Director shall consider submitted Online Application Forms, for selection of candidates for admission. Weightage in selection shall be given to those candidates sponsored by the Government and other Institutions.	
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)	No Age Limit	
Emoluments	Institute Stipendiary	Rs. 2,000/- per month.
	Sponsored Category	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.

Fees	DCNT Course : Rs. 11,660 (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
	DNN/DPN Course: Rs. 8,880/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave	DPN/DNN /DCNT : 30 Days of Annual Leave

Post Basic Diploma in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing

Department	Nursing
Minimum requirement for admission	Should be registered Nurse (RN & RM) with State Nursing Council and have one year experience as staff nurse.
Seats offered	45 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The course which is of one year duration is designed to develop an understanding of the dynamics of human behaviour, principles and practices of psychiatric nursing. The students are given 400 hours of theory classes on the practical aspects of Psychiatric/ Mental Health Nursing. The will posted to various clinical areas viz. Male and Female Psychiatric wards, Chronic Psychiatric wards, de-addiction unit, Child Psychiatric Unit, Family Psychiatric unit, Rehabilitation and Community Mental Health centre. They are expected to complete a small research project. The students will be awarded a diploma upon successful completion of the course.
Awards and Prizes on completion of course	a. 'Dr. M.V.Govindaswamy Memorial Prize and Dr. D.L.N. Murthy Rao Memorial Prize' for 'candidate securing highest marks in the Examination'. b. 'Infosys Foundation Award for Excellence' for 'candidate securing highest marks in the Examination'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995225	

Post Basic Diploma in Neurosciences Nursing

Department	Nursing
Minimum requirement for admission	Should be registered Nurse (RN & RM) with the State Nursing Council and have one year experience as staff nurse.
Seats offered	09 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The course is designed to prepare registered nurses with specialized knowledge, skills and attitude in providing advance quality care to neuro-science patients. The students will be trained in understanding of philosophy, principles, management, education and research in Neuroscience nursing. The students are given 400 hours of theory class on the practical aspects of Neuroscience nursing. They will be posted in Neuromedical and surgical wards, paediatric neuro wards, Recovery ward, Head injury ward and Neuro rehabilitation wards. They are expected to complete a small research project. The students will be awarded a diploma upon successful completion of the course.
Awards and Prizes on completion of course	a. 'Infosys Foundation Award for Excellence' for 'candidate securing highest marks in Examination'. b. Shri. Mukund Memorial Prize' for 'candidate securing highest marks in Examination'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995225	

Diploma in Clinical Neurophysiology Technology	
Department	Neurology
Minimum requirement for admission	B.Sc. with Physics with minimum IIClass in the qualifying examination / Electronics with minimum IIClass in the qualifying examination / Computer Sciences with minimum IIClass in the qualifying examination OR Diploma in Electronics / Electrical / Instrumentation / Computer (approved by Board of Technical Education) OR PUC (Science stream) with 3 years' experience as EEG Technician after 10 th Standard.
Seats offered	04 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' 02 seats under 'Sponsored Category'
Program of Study	The Dept. of Neurology offers a 2 years DCNT course. Selected candidates are provided orientation in theoretical and practical aspects of medical electronics and instrumentation, including electrophysiology instruments. The candidates receive the required clinical training in carrying out various electrophysiological tests viz. electro-encephalogram, nerve conduction, multi-modality evoked potentials – VEP, SSEP, BAEP; video-EEG, polysomnography. They assist in electromyography, transcranial magnetic stimulation and Electro-corticography.
Award and Prize on completion of course	a. 'Silver Jubilee Award' for 'best outgoing student'. b. 'Shri. Mukund Memorial Prize' for 'candidate securing highest marks in Examination'.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995140	

General Guidelines for admission in Undergraduate Courses		
Departments in which Undergraduate Courses are offered		Department of Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care College of Nursing Department of Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology
General Eligibility	Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	Sponsorship Category	a. Applicants who are/have been sponsored/deputed employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	Other criteria	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Mode of Selection	Seats under Institute Fellowship Seats under External Fellowship	Online Entrance Test + Verification of Original Certificates on the day of admission.
Qualifying percentage in Online Entrance Test		UR /OBC- 50% SC/ST- 45%
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		Minimum Age Limit: 17 Years Maximum Age Limit: 25 Years

Emoluments	Course Duration	Applicants selected under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' will not be paid any stipend.
		Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
	Internship after completion of course	Applicants selected under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' will be paid Rs. 12,000/-.
		Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute. (applicable to B.Sc Radiography students only)
Fees	B.Sc. in Nursing	For Candidates selected under General/Unreserved/OBC Category: Rs. 57,120/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus. For candidates selected under ST/ST Category: Rs. 42,120/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
	B.Sc. in Radiography/ B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology	Rs. 29,390/- (including Rs. 5,090/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Vacation	B.Sc. in Nursing course	8 Weeks per year (6 weeks in Summer and 2 weeks in Winter)
	B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology & B.Sc. in Radiography	6 Weeks per year.

B.Sc. in Nursing		
Under	College of Nursing	
Minimum qualification for admission	a. Passed Pre-University examination conducted by Department of Pre-University Education with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English with a minimum 45% aggregate in the above subjects. b. Passed Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination (12 years course) with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English with a minimum 45% aggregate. c. Senior School Certificate examination Pre-Degree Examination (10+2) with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English with a minimum 45% aggregate. d. An Equivalent with 12 years of Schooling from a recognized Board or University with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English with a minimum 45% aggregate. e. The Candidate shall be medically fit.	
Total seats	All India Category	27 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
	Karnataka Domicile Category	50 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
		All candidates selected to join the above course, should produce an agreement bond as provided in 'Annexure' Section of Prospectus.

Program of Study	The purpose of baccalaureate nursing education is to prepare entry-level practitioners who are able to assist individuals, families, and communities to achieve desired health outcomes through the provision of nursing care and collaboration with other health care providers. In addition, students graduating with a baccalaureate degree in nursing have the educational foundation for graduate study. Active learning with opportunity for reflection is the primary means by which students develop the requisite knowledge, skills, and value for excellence in practice. Faculty members serve as role models, connect students to learning environment that promote engagement, clarify the expected outcomes of learning experiences, and provide timely and useful feedback to students regarding their achievement.
Award and Prize on completion of course	a. 'Silver Jubilee Award' for 'best outgoing student for Academic Excellence'. b. 'Dr. V. Sivarajan Award' for 'candidate securing highest marks in 'Microbiology' Subject.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995818	

B.Sc. in Radiography				
Department		Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology		
Minimum qualification for admission		a. Pre-University examination conducted by the Department of Pre-University Education or any recognized State Board with English and Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics as optional subjects with 45% aggregate. b. Job oriented Diploma course from a recognized Board with Diagnostic Radiography as vocational subject or equivalent. c. Any equivalent examination recognized by the NIMHANS, Bengaluru for the above purpose with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics as principal subjects of study with 45% aggregate. d. The candidate should be medically fit.		
Total seats	All India Category	03 seats	Sponsored/Deputed Category	Post Diploma candidates
	Karnataka Domicile Category	07 seats		
Program of Study		Course curriculum involves teaching of basic subjects i.e. anatomy, Physiology and radiation Physics during the first year course. Second and third year of the programme involves practical training about radiography, special procedures, digital subtraction angiography, C-Arm, film processing, CT and MR imaging along with basic nuclear medicine methods. Theoretical aspects related to above mentioned techniques are also taught simultaneously.		
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995424				

B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology		
Department		Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care
Minimum requirement for admission	Qualification Eligibility	Pass in 2-year Pre-University examination or equivalent with a Science group having secured an aggregate of 45% in Science subjects.
	Other Criteria	Indian National Applicants who belong to Domicile of Karnataka can apply under 'Karnataka Domicile Category'.
Course Duration		3 Years + 1 Year Compulsory Internship

Seats offered	<i>All India Selected</i>	03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
	<i>Karnataka Domicile Category</i>	07 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
Program of Study		The students will be exposed to theory in basics of medicine (anatomy, physiology, biochemistry, pathology, microbiology, medicine and surgery). Also, they will have both theory and practical in biomedical technology, anaesthesia technology. The students learn practical aspects of anaesthesia technology in the operation theatres both in NIMHANS and other hospitals.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995415		

General Guidelines for admission in Certificate Courses

General Eligibility	<i>Minimum qualification for admission</i>	Qualification Degree as specified for the concerned Course.
	<i>Sponsorship Category</i>	a. Indian National Applicants who are/have been sponsored/deputed employees of Government of India/State Government Institutions/ Universities and Public Sector Undertakings. b. Applicable for courses with sponsorship category only.
	<i>Other Criteria</i>	Applicants should have pursued and awarded qualification from an Institution/ University recognized by Medical Council of India.
Course Duration		1 year
Mode of Selection		Committee constituted by Director shall consider submitted Online Application Forms, for selection of candidates for admission.
Age Criteria (as on day of course commencement)		No Age Limit
Emoluments	<i>Institute Stipendiary</i>	Applicants selected under 'Institute Stipendiary Category' : Rs. 2,000/- per month.
	<i>Sponsored Category</i>	Applicants selected under 'Sponsorship Category' or who are drawing pay and allowances from their employers, are not eligible for any emoluments from Institute.
Fees		Rs. 9,840/- (including Rs. 280/- for first month Hostel charges). For details refer to 'Fees' Section of the Prospectus.
Leave		30 Days of Annual Leave

Certificate Course in Neuropathology Technology

Department	Neuropathology
Minimum requirement for admission	B.Sc. with MLT OR B.Sc. with Life Sciences or DMLT (with one year experience).
Seats offered	02 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
Program of Study	The program provides theoretical and practical training in Neuropathology techniques, including specialised histology stains, snap freezing, cryosectioning, muscle enzyme histochemistry, immunochemistry, autopsy sample processing and Electron Microscopy. Knowledge and skills are imparted to train as competent Histopathology Technologists with specialised expertise in Neuropathology Techniques.
For more details, refer Department's information on NIMHANS Website or contact 080-26995130	

Categories of Applicants

A. Classification based on Nationality

1. Indian Nationals
2. Foreign Nationals

1. Categorization of Indian Nationals:

i. Unreserved OR General Category:

All Indian Nationals applicants including Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) except those under reserved categories (Other Backward Classes/Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe) are considered under this category.

Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) applicants who are registered under Section 7A of Citizenship Act 1955 are eligible to apply under this category and all terms and conditions applicable for Indian Nationals applicants will be applicable to such applicants. Such applicants will submit proof of Registration as OCI under Section 7A of Citizenship Act 1955 to be eligible to appear for Online Entrance Test.

ii. Other Backward Classes Category:

Indian Nationals belonging to **Non-Creamy Layer** of various communities as per the Gazette Notification issued by Government of India from time to time, are considered under this category. For more information, kindly visit the following link to see the Central list of OBC: <http://www.ncbc.nic.in>.

Candidates belonging to Non-Creamy Layer of various Caste/Communities designated as OBC, should be in possession of OBC Certificate (Format enclosed) issued by the following Gazetted Officers should be uploaded in the Online application form:

- a. District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/Deputy Collector/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate).
- b. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
- c. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
- d. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area, where the candidate and/or his or her family resides.

The candidates must upload/attach while filing the Online Application Form and produce a certified English Translation Copy of the Caste Certificate at the time of admission, if the Caste Certificate is in Regional Language.

iii. Scheduled Caste (SC)/Scheduled Tribe (ST) Categories:

Indian Nationals belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC) or Scheduled Tribe (ST) as per the Gazette Notification issued by various State Governments or Government of India from time to time, fall under this category.

Candidates belonging to SC or ST should be in possession of SC/ST Certificate issued by Gazetted Officers of various State Governments or Government of India and the SC/ST Certificate should be

uploaded in the Online Application Form. The candidates must upload/attach/produce a certified English Translation Copy of the Caste Certificate, if the Caste Certificate issued is in Regional Language.

iv. Domicile Category

Indian Nationals having 'domicile' in any of the below mentioned states can apply for the following courses under this category by providing valid Domicile documents/certificate at the time of Online Application Form:

Domicile State/s*	Courses
Karnataka	MD in Psychiatry, M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology and B.Sc courses
Arunachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jammu & Kashmir, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura and Uttarakhand	MD in Psychiatry

* To claim that candidates are residents/domiciles of the above mentioned states, he/she should produce a certificate from the Tehsildar to the effect that he/she or his/her father/mother has been a resident of that state for a period of 07 years or has owned or possessed land or property or house in that state. Candidates submitting Domicile Certificate in any other language than English need to provide a certified Translation of the Certificate at the time of the Admission/Interview.

Applicants are further classified on the basis of Reserved Categories (Other Backward Classes/Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe) under the 'Domicile Category' for the purpose of admission to MD in Psychiatry & B.Sc. course.

v. Persons with Disability Category

5% of the seats are reserved for PWD (between 40% to 70% disability) as per Government of India regulations in all courses offered at NIMHANS except for:

1. all Super speciality (DM Courses and M.Ch) Courses.
2. all Postdoctoral Fellowship courses.
3. M.Sc. in Psychiatric Nursing Course.

Age is relaxable by a maximum of 5 years in the case of PWD candidates as on the date of commencement of concerned course. All provisions as per the PWD Act 2016 are applicable.

The confirmed admission shall be given to candidate subject to fitness on medical examination duly constituted by Medical board involving the faculty from relevant discipline. Vacant seat, if any under PWD in a course, shall be offered to the eligible candidate from the general/relevant category under the same course.

2. Foreign Nationals

All foreign nationals (holding passports of countries other than India) and non-resident Indians (NRIs) should apply under "Foreign National" category.

The following points need to be kept in mind while applying for courses at NIMHANS:

- i. Applicants basic qualification should be recognized by the respective Indian bodies. For example, UGC, MCI, RCI, INC and so on, as applicable.
- ii. Applicants should register their MBBS Degree in the Medical Council or respective equivalent bodies of their countries and will have to take prior permission from the Medical Council of India (MCI) before applying for Postgraduate Courses in the Institute. In the event of selection, the applicant/s

- have to apply for temporary registration with Medical Council of India (MCI) for the duration of postgraduate study.
- iii. Applicants selected to join course under 'Foreign National' Category are not eligible for any emolument/ stipendiary benefits from NIMHANS. No other source of funding will be considered.
 - iv. For obtaining temporary registration number, foreign students (who have qualified in the Online Entrance Test) having medical degrees should contact, the Secretary, Medical Council of India, Pocket-14, Sector - 8, Dwarka Phase –I, New Delhi – 110 077.
 - v. For instructions regarding the 'Sponsorship' of Foreign Nationals, , kindly refer to 'Foreign Nationals' sub-section in 'Sponsorship Category' section under 'Classification based on source of Fellowship/ Stipendiary'.
 - vi. Foreign Nationals are permitted to pursue Ph.D. Program only if they are sponsored from Governmental Organizations, recognized Universities, National Scholarships of any reputed/ recognized organization. No other source of funding will be considered. However, such applications will be considered at the discretion of the competent authority at NIMHANS for permitting them to appear for Online Entrance Test and /interview.

Seat Matrix

- I. Reservation Roster prescribed by the Government of India will be followed for each course as applicable. If suitable candidates are not available under the reserved category, they will be filled up by General category candidates.
- II. Number of seats and reservation may vary from time to time as per the directions of the Government of India through relevant notifications.
- III. There is no reservation of seats (for applicants belonging to OBC/SC/ST Categories) in Ph.D. Programs, Postdoctoral Fellowship and Super speciality courses .
- IV. The following seats are reserved for various 'Domicile Categories' in various courses:

Domicile Reservation Category	Postgraduate Courses		Undergraduate Courses
	Karnataka Domicile	North Eastern States Domicile	Karnataka Domicile
M.Phil.in Clinical Psychology Course	03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	N/A	N/A
MD in Psychiatry Course:			
Session 1	04 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary' and 01 seat under 'Sponsored Category'.	03 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	N/A
Session 2	04 seat under 'Institute Stipendiary'	03 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'	N/A
B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology Course	N/A	N/A	07 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'.
B.Sc. in Nursing Course	N/A	N/A	50 Seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'
B.Sc. in Radiography Course	N/A	N/A	07 seats under 'Institute Stipendiary Category'

To claim that candidates are residents/domiciles of the above mentioned states, he/she should produce a certificate from the Tehsildar to the effect that he/she or his/her father/mother has been a resident of that state for a period of 07 years or has owned or possessed land or property or house in that state. Candidates

submitting Domicile Certificate in any other language than English need to provide a certified Translation of the Certificate at the time of the Admission/Interview.

Domicile Certificate has to be produced from the respective state without fail, certified translation copy in English has to be produced if the Domicile Certificate is in the Language of the state by the issuing authority.

B. Classification based on Fellowship/Stipendiary:

I. Institute Stipendiary Category:

Applicants selected under this category are eligible for Institute Stipend (Emoluments).

Applicants applying under 'Unreserved or General Category', 'OBC Category', 'SC/ST Category' and 'Domicile Category- Karnataka Domicile /North Eastern Domicile Category', are considered under Institute Stipendiary Category.

II. External Funding Category:

Applicants selected under this category are not paid any emoluments/stipendiary benefits by NIMHANS. These are classified under various sub-categories:

1. External Fellowship :

Applicants awarded with Fellowships from Government of India Agencies like UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT, DST, AYUSH (specific reference to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) (Junior Research Fellow / Senior Research Fellow only) or any other External Funding Agency/ies fall under this category.

The applicants applying under this category should be able to produce and submit the External Fellowship Award Letter from the concerned External Funding Agency at the time of verification of Certificates, if selected to join the M.Phil. Course or Ph.D. Program.

Activation of Junior Research Fellowship/Senior Research Fellowship will be done only after joining M.Phil. Course or Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS.

2. Internal Projects at NIMHANS:

Applicants working in different Internal Projects at NIMHANS with a minimum of 2 Years from the date of commencement of Ph.D. Program in the concerned Phase.

The applicants selected to join the Ph.D. Program, are required to produce copies of

- a. 'Official Memorandum' regarding their appointment to the concerned Project;
- b. 'Joining Report'
- c. 'No Objection Certificate' from 'Principal Investigator' clearly stating that he/she has no objection to the applicant pursuing Ph.D. Program along with working on a Project and that all financial implications with regards the applicant for pursuing Ph.D. Course will be borne by concerned project.
 - i. *Permanent / Tenured employees of NIMHANS applying should have at least 10 years of service left*
 - ii. *Permanent employees/ tenured employees of NIMHANS and candidates sponsored by NGO's can apply for Ph.D. in the various departments of this Institute. However, such applications will be considered at the discretion of the competent authority at NIMAHNS for permitting them to appear for Entrance Test and Interview.*

Online applications under this category will be considered at the discretion of the competent authority at NIMHANS for permitting them to appear for Online Entrance Test and/ interview.

3. Sponsored/Deputed Category:

Indian Nationals who are permanent employees sponsored/deputed by the State/Central Government or Public Sector undertakings of State/Central Government/Universities, are considered under this category for the purpose of admission to various courses.

Applicants applying under this category, should keep the following points in mind while applying:

- a. Minimum requirement for admission to the courses will be the same as indicated for all the respective courses.
- b. Age of the applicant should not be more than 45 years as on the date of commencement of courses.
- c. The applicant should qualify in the Online entrance test and /Interview, as indicated against the concerned course.
- d. The applicant should produce the sponsorship certificate in the prescribed format as provided in the Prospectus/ or from the concerned employer. **The course/s for which the applicant is being sponsored should be clearly specified in the sponsorship certificate by the sponsoring authority/ employer.**
- e. The sponsorship letter from the employer has to be furnished by the applicant at the time of Online application form or admission. **The candidature of applicants failing to produce sponsorship / deputation letter at the time of admission will be treated as cancelled and not allowed for admission to the course.**
- f. 10% relaxation in the qualifying marks of the Online Entrance Test will be given for applicants applying under the above category for various postdoctoral fellowship courses.
- g. Applicants applying under the above category are not eligible for any emoluments for the duration of course from NIMHANS.
- h. If any communication is received from Parent department/office/employer of a sponsored applicant withholding permission to appear for the Online entrance test/interview/admission to the course, the candidature/admission of such applicant/s will be cancelled, and no further correspondence in this regard will be entertained.**
- i. Permanent/Tenured employees of NIMHANS applying for Ph.D. Program should have at least 10 years of service left before registering for Ph.D. Program.
- j. Sponsorship for Foreign Nationals to pursue Ph.D. course is permitted only from Governmental Organizations, recognized Universities and National Scholarships of any reputed/recognized organization. Candidates sponsored by NGO's also can apply, however such applications will be considered at the discretion of the competent authority at NIMHANS for permitting them to appear for Entrance Test and interview. No other source of funding will be considered.
- k. Sponsored candidates from State Government/Government of India are not eligible for any stipendiary benefits.
- l. Employees of State or Central Government or of any Public Sector Undertaking of State or Central Government should send their applications through their employers. However, the advance copy of the application (complete in all respects) can be submitted. In case the application is not received through the employer, a No Objection Certificate from the employer should be produced before the date of the Online Entrance Test. In case, the candidate is selected, the sponsorship/ deputation letter from the employer should be produced at the time of interview/ admission failing which the candidate will not be admitted to the course.

Age Limit

- I. **The age is calculated as on 01.07.2019 for session 1 and 01.01.2020 for session 2.**
- II. The age limit for various courses is as follows:
 1. For postgraduate medical and Superspeciality courses - age should not be more than 32 years for MBBS degree holders and 35 for PG medical degree holders.
 2. The maximum age limit for applying to M.Sc. in Biostatistics course is 30 years and relaxable by a maximum of 3 years for OBC candidates.
 3. For B.Sc. in Nursing, B.Sc. in Radiography and B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology courses, age of the candidates should be between 17 and 25 years.
- III. Age is relaxable by a maximum of 5 years in the case of SC/ST candidates and by a maximum of 3 years for OBC candidates, for the courses where the seats are reserved for OBC/SC/ST only.
- IV. Age should not be more than 45 years as on the date of commencement of courses in case of sponsored/ deputed candidates.
- V. Employees of NIMHANS applying for Ph.D. should have at least 10 years of service left before registering for Ph.D.
- VI. Age is relaxable by a maximum of 5 years in the case of PWD candidates, for more details refer to Persons with disability category sub-section.

Eligibility Criteria

I. Medical Courses

1. MBBS degree from a recognized University or from any other University recognized as equivalent thereto by NIMHANS and by the Medical Council of India.
2. The candidate should have completed compulsory rotation internship of one year after MBBS or its equivalent as recognized by Medical Council of India on or before the date of commencement of course. A certificate to that effect has to be produced. The candidate should have permanent registration with State Medical Council. Candidates who do not submit the certificate of completion of internship on the day of commencement of course will not be admitted under any circumstance.
3. Candidates who have MD/MS/DNB/DPM from a recognized University or from any other University recognized as equivalent thereto by NIMHANS and by the Medical Council of India may apply for the course. However, Candidates who are awaiting the results may also appear for the entrance test subject to production of proof of having passed the examination on or before the date of commencement of course.

II. Non-Medical Courses

1. Candidates with M.Sc. / MA/ MSW/ BAMS / BE/ B.Tech/ B.Sc. should have passed the requisite examination from a University recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC) or the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) with not less than 55% of marks in aggregate on or before the date of interview/ admission. Candidates who have appeared for the qualifying examination and are awaiting results, may also apply. However, such candidates will be eligible to appear for the interview/ admission only if they produce the proof of having passed the examination in writing.
2. In case, grades are awarded in lieu of marks in the qualifying examination, candidates have to produce a certificate from the University clearly stating the range of marks into which each of the grades fit, failing which, such applications will be rejected.
3. Candidates with Master's degree obtained through research and awarded on the basis of the evaluation of the thesis (from a University recognized by NIMHANS which does not award marks at the master's level) are also eligible to apply for Ph.D. Program.
4. Candidates with PUC or 10 + 2 with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English with 45% aggregate in the above subjects can apply for B.Sc. in Nursing course.
5. Candidates with PUC or 10 + 2 with English, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology or job oriented diploma courses from a recognized board with an aggregate of 45% can apply for B.Sc. in Radiography course.
6. Candidates with PUC or 10 + 2 or equivalent with a Science group having secured an aggregate of 45% in Science subjects for B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology course.
7. A relaxation of 5% marks in aggregate will be given for candidates belonging to SC/ST category.

Online application submission procedure

- I. Application should be submitted through the Online mode (only) along with all the enclosures and photograph.
- II. All claims made in the application must be supported with documentary proof in original along with a set of photocopies at the time of interview/admission.
- III. **A candidate can apply for a maximum of 3 (three) courses only (provided they are eligible in the single Online Application Form. Applicants are not allowed to submit multiple Online Application Forms).**
- IV. **MD in Psychiatry, DM in Neurology and M.Ch. in Neurosurgery are all treated as separate courses. All Postdoctoral Fellowships are treated as separate courses.**
- V. A candidate has to select three cities, for taking the examination, in the order of priority, i.e., first, second and third choices. There may be multiple test centres in the cities mentioned in the table and NIMHANS reserves the right to distribute applicants to any test centres. However, the choice of city for taking examination, or the centre in a given city, cannot be claimed as a matter of right. Under exceptional circumstances like lack of minimum number of applicants for a given centre in a given city, NIMHANS reserves the right to cancel the choice of city / centre.
- VI. Employees of State or Central Government or of any Public Sector Undertaking of State or Central Government should send their applications through their employers. However, the advance copy of the application (complete in all respects) can be submitted. In case the application is not received through the employer before the date of the Online Entrance Test, a NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE from the employer should be produced at the time of interview/ admission failing which the candidate will not be admitted.

Enclosures to be uploaded in Online Application Form

The below mentioned original certificates/documents are required to be uploaded in 'Upload' Section of the Online Application Form by applicants of Ph.D., Superspeciality, Postdoctoral Fellowship and Postgraduate Courses:

- I. **'Date Of Birth' Upload Link:**
 1. 10th /SSLC/Matriculation Certificate, containing Date of Birth and Full Name of Applicant.
- II. **'Qualification Document' Upload Links encompasses:**
 1. **'Course Completion/Attempt Certificate/any other education qualification' Upload Link:**
 2. **'Mark sheets' Upload Link:**
 3. **'Degree Certificate' Upload Link:**
 - a. Non-Medical Bachelor's Degree (BE/B.Tech etc.):
 - i. Marks Card of all years/semesters
 - ii. Degree Certificate
 - iii. Transfer Certificate from Institution/College, from where the last qualification degree was pursued.
 - iv. Migration Certificate from the University, from which the last qualification degree was awarded.

- v. 'Equivalence Certificate' from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) for Eligible qualification obtained from a Foreign University/College.
- b. Medical Bachelor's Degree (MBBS/BAMS(Ayurveda)/Bachelor in Unani Medicine/ Bachelor of Veterinary Sciences/BDS/DPM/B.Sc.):
 - i. Marks Card of all years/semesters
 - ii. Degree Certificate.
 - iii. Attempt Certificate, in case of eligible qualification being MBBS.
 - iv. Internship Completion Certificate, in case of eligible qualification being MBBS.
 - v. Transfer Certificate from Institution/College, from where the last qualification degree was pursued.
 - vi. Migration Certificate from the University, from which the last qualification degree was awarded.
 - vii. 'Equivalence Certificate' from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) for Eligible qualification obtained from a Foreign University/College.
- c. Non-Medical Postgraduate Degree (ME/M.Tech. etc)
 - i. Marks Card of all years/semesters
 - ii. Degree Certificate
 - iii. Transfer Certificate from Institution/College, from where the last qualification degree was pursued.
 - iv. Migration Certificate from the University, from which the last qualification degree was awarded.
 - v. 'Equivalence Certificate' from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) for Eligible qualification obtained from a Foreign University/College.
- d. Postgraduate Medical Degrees (MD/DM/M.Ch./MS/DNB etc)
 - i. Marks Card of all years/semesters
 - ii. Degree Certificate.
 - iii. Attempt Certificate.
 - iv. Transfer Certificate from Institution/College, from where the last qualification degree was pursued.
 - v. Migration Certificate from the University, from which the last qualification degree was awarded.
 - vi. 'Equivalence Certificate' from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) for Eligible qualification obtained from a Foreign University/College.

III. 'Medical Council Registration Certificate' Upload Link:

1. Permanent Registration Certificate with either State Medical Council or Medical Council of India. OR
2. Additional Qualification Registration Certificate with either State Medical Council or Medical Council of India. (as applicable).

IV. 'Community Certificate' upload link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):

- 1 OBC Certificate. (For details regarding the requirements of the OBC Certificate, kindly refer to 'Annexure' Section of this Prospectus. OR
- 2 SC/ST Certificate (For details regarding the requirements of the OBC Certificate, kindly refer to 'Annexure' Section of this Prospectus.

If the above certificates are in vernacular language of the state, then a certified translation copy in English needs to be uploaded along with Original Certificate.

V. 'External Fellowship Certificate' upload Link:

External Fellowship Award Letter from the concerned External Funding Agency (UGC/ICMR/CSIR/CSIR-UGC/DBT/DST/AYUSH NET).

If the above is not available, a score card of the result of the UGC/ICMR/CSIR/CSIR-UGC/DBT/DST/AYUSH NET Qualifying Exam, clearly stating that the applicant has qualified in the exam and is selected for awarding of External Fellowship can be uploaded and Award Letter has to be mandatorily be produced at the time of admission.

VI. 'Domicile Certificate' link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):

Recent and valid domicile certificate with minimum of 07 Years issued by Tehsildar (with certified translation copy in English if the Certificate is in the language of the state by the issuing authority).

If the domicile certificate is of lesser duration than specified above, then valid document/certificate that the candidate/his or her parents has been a resident of the said domicile state or has owned or possessed land or property or house in the said domicile state.

VII. 'Sponsorship Certificate' link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):

1. Indian National Applicants sponsored by NIMHANS, should upload 'Sponsorship Certificate' from Competent Authority, NIMHANS.
2. Indian National Applicants sponsored by Government of India OR State Government - Organizations/ PSUs/Institutions/Universities OR Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) should upload Sponsorship certificate, with proper seal and signature clearly stating the Name of Applicant, name of course to which he/she is being sponsored, and terms and conditions regarding the drawing of pay, leave and allowances during the period of course duration by the Applicant and other conditions. A proforma format of Sponsorship Certificate is provided in 'Annexure' Section of this Prospectus.

In case of absence of the above, a 'No Objection Certificate' from the Employer to apply for the concerned course and appear for Online Entrance Test can be uploaded. If qualified and selected for admission, applicant will have to mandatorily submit 'Sponsorship Certificate' as specified in above point.

3. Foreign National Applicants should upload a sponsorship certificate from Government of concerned Country or Organizations/Institutions/Universities or Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) clearly stating the Name of Applicant, name of course to which he/she is being sponsored, and terms and conditions regarding the drawing of pay, leave and allowances during the period of course duration by the Applicant and other conditions.

VIII. 'PWD Category' Upload Link:

1. Disability Certificate validating the 'Type of Disability' Field in the Online Application Form.

IX. 'Work Experience Certificate' Uploaded Link:

1. Experience Certificate, if mandatory as per 'Minimum Requirement' Section of respective course.

Applicants applying under 'Foreign National Category'

1. 'DOB' is same as mentioned as above Point I.
2. Foreign Nationals Applicants possessing eligible qualification from a University/College outside India, are required to upload 'Equivalency Certificate' in 'Equivalence Certificate' Upload Link as mentioned above.
3. Foreign Nationals Applicants should upload a 'No Objection Certificate (NOC)' from Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India or Diplomatic Mission/Consulate of India in the country of which Applicant is a citizen of. This should be uploaded in 'Course Completion/Attempt Certificate/any other certificates' Upload Link.
4. Foreign Nationals Applicants sponsored to pursue a Ph.D. course are required to submit 'Sponsorship Certificate' Upload Link.
5. Equivalence Certificate from Association of Indian Universities (refer to 'Categories of Students' Section for more details) submit in 'Equivalence Certificate' Upload Link.

The below mentioned original certificates/documents are required to be uploaded in 'Upload' Section of the Online Application Form by applicants of Undergraduate, Diploma and Certificate Courses:

- I. **Certificates/Documents to be uploaded in 'Qualification Document' link:**
 - a. HSLC or 12th or I & II PUC or Equivalent of 12 Years of schooling from a Recognized Board or University Mark Sheet.
 - b. Statement of Marks of Job Oriented Diploma with Diagnostic (If applicable).
 - c. Mark Sheets or Statement of Marks for All Years of a Degree or Diploma Course (If applicable).
 - d. Registration Certificate of State Nursing Council or Indian Nursing Council (If applicable).
 - e. Transfer Certificate from School/College/Institution, where the applicant last studied.
 - f. Migration Certificate from Board/Department of Pre-University Education/University, under whom the applicant last studied.
- II. **'Community Certificate' upload link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):**
- III. **'Domicile Certificate' link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):**
- IV. **'Sponsorship Certificate' link (Refer also to 'Student Categories' Section' of this Prospectus):**
- V. **'PWD Category' Upload Link:**
- VI. **'Work Experience Certificate' Uploaded Link:**
- VII. **'Date Of Birth' Upload Link:**

Kindly refer to the above mentioned sections under Enclosures for Postgraduate Online Application Forms.

Conduct of Online entrance test

- I. Eligible candidates for Online Entrance Test will be informed to download the e-hall ticket, which should be produced at the time of Online Entrance Test Centre.
- II. No individual intimation will be sent to candidates who are not selected and no correspondence on this subject will be entertained.
- III. **The candidates are requested to keep themselves updated by visiting the website regularly from time to time or keeping in touch with the Academic & Evaluation Section of NIMHANS on 080-26995013.**
- IV. Online Entrance test will be conducted in the following cities for Session 1:

For PG courses : Bengaluru, Chennai, Cochin, Delhi, Hyderabad, Kolkata and Pune.

For UG courses : Bengaluru, Chennai, Cochin and Hyderabad.

Online Entrance test will be conducted in the following cities for Session 2:

For PG courses : Bengaluru, Delhi, Kolkata and Pune.

- V. Candidates called for Online Entrance Test will have to make their own arrangements for travel and stay at the respective city where the test is conducted. Candidates called for interview/ Admission will have to make their own arrangements for travel and stay at Bengaluru, if required. No TA/DA will be paid by NIMHANS.
- VI. The question paper for Online Entrance test will contain multiple choice objective type questions. The duration of the test for each course will be 90 minutes and the number of questions to be answered is 100.
- VII. **There will be negative marking and 0.25 marks will be deducted for all wrong answers. No marks will be deducted for unanswered questions.**
- VIII. A single common Online entrance test of 60 minutes duration with 70 questions will be conducted for candidates applying for MD in Psychiatry, DM in Neurology and M.Ch in Neurosurgery courses with MBBS qualification followed by Online entrance test of 30 minutes duration with 30 questions for each domain [Candidates applying for any of the above three courses should appear for the entrance test of that particular course only].
- IX. Any changes in date, time, venue and or schedule of the Online Entrance Tests, Interview/ Admission will be announced on the website and notice boards of the Institute.
- X. A mock test demo will be hosted on the NIMHANS website 15 days prior to the Online Entrance Test.
- XI. The Online Entrance Test will be conducted for 2 days at all the test centres across the country.
- XII. In the event of unforeseen problem/force majeure, a re-exam will be held at a later date only for those who attended the abandoned exam. NIMHANS reserves the right to decide whether the re-exam relates to one or more cities, or one or more centre, or one or more courses.
- XIII. Possession/use of mobile phones/spy cameras/ Bluetooth and any other electronic devices is strictly prohibited on the premises of NIMHANS entrance test centres and candidates shall be liable for penal action for any such act.
- XIV. **Common Entrance Test will be conducted for-
MD in Psychiatry, DM in Neurology and M.Ch in Neurosurgery courses of 60 minutes duration with 70 questions for candidates applying with MBBS qualification followed by Online entrance test of 30 minutes duration with 30 questions for each domain [Candidates applying for any of the above three courses should appear for the entrance test of that particular course only]**

Separate Online Entrance Tests will be conducted for-

- DM in Neurology with PG qualification.
- M.Ch. in Neurosurgery courses with PG qualification.

Candidates possessing PG qualification in Medicine (MD/DNB) and Surgery (MS/DNB) will be considered only under PG category for admission to DM in Neurology and M.Ch. in Neurosurgery courses, respectively. If any candidate applies under the MBBS category, then his/her candidature will be disqualified.

XV. Separate Online entrance test will be conducted for MD in Psychiatry, DM in Neurology and M.Ch. in Neurosurgery courses for candidates with MBBS qualification from Academic Year 2019-20.

XVI. Separate entrance tests will be conducted for all other courses offered at NIMHANS.

XVII. Common Entrance Test will be conducted for-

1. 9 Postdoctoral Fellowship courses under Psychiatry (except in Geriatric Psychiatry and Addiction Medicine Courses) in two stages:

First Stage-Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) for 80 Marks

Second Stage-Clinical / Practical / Lab Based Assessment (OSCE) for 20 Marks

Choice of course will be given to candidates based on the order of merit in the entrance examination, the candidate securing highest marks will have the first option of selecting any of the applied courses from amongst 9 Postdoctoral Fellowship courses under Psychiatry.

2. 6 Postdoctoral Fellowship courses under Department of Neurology.
3. DM in Neuroanaesthesia & Neurocritical Care and Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuroanaesthesia & Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neurocritical Care courses.
4. DM in Neuropathology and Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuropathology Courses.
5. DM in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Postdoctoral Fellowship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Courses.
6. DM in Geriatric Psychiatry and Postdoctoral Fellowship in Geriatric Psychiatry Courses.
7. DM in Addiction Psychiatry and Postdoctoral Fellowship in Addiction Medicine Courses.

XVIII. There will be a common entrance test for candidates appearing for undergraduate courses, i.e., B.Sc. in Nursing, B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology and B.Sc. in Radiography

Announcement of results and pre-admission formalities

- I. Selection will be purely based on merit in the Online entrance test.
- II. If no eligible candidates are available against reserved seats, they shall be filled up from general merit category.
- III. A merit list will be prepared course wise and reserved category wise based on the marks scored by the candidates in the Online entrance test. Eligible candidates list will be notified for admission for all courses & interview in case of Ph.D. candidates. A separate merit list will be prepared for MD in Psychiatry & M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology for the seats reserved for Karnataka domiciles and separate merit list will be prepared for seats reserved for domiciles of Arunachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jammu and Kashmir, Manipur Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura & Uttarakhand in MD in Psychiatry.
- IV. In the case of two or more candidates obtaining equal marks in the Entrance test, their inter se merit will be determined as under:
 1. No. of attempts in the qualifying exam.
 2. If the number of attempts are same, candidates securing higher marks in the qualifying exam will be considered.
In case of non-medical courses, consolidated marks of all the years/semesters of the qualifying examination will be considered. In case of medical courses, marks of the qualifying examination Final year Part II of MBBS or final year MD/MS (if available) will be considered as the case may be.
 3. If marks are also same, then, age will be the criterion i.e., person who is senior in age shall be ranked higher.
 4. In the event of one of the candidates or all of the candidates have not been awarded marks in the qualifying exam relevant to the course, then, age will be the sole criterion i.e., person who is senior in age shall be ranked higher.
 5. In the event of same date of birth, candidate with lesser number of negative marks in the Online Entrance Test will be considered ranked higher.
- V. List of all the qualified candidates and those called for interview/admission will be notified on the Institute's website and notice board. No separate individual intimation will be given. Non-receipt of notice by any individual candidate will not vitiate the selection process having regard to publication of result as also schedule on the notice board and the website. The decision of the Director in all matters regarding selection will be final and no representation in any form will be entertained.
- VI. All the candidates who are selected for appearing before Selection Committee for Interview are required to qualify by obtaining a minimum of 50% marks to be eligible for admission to a Ph.D. course. Mere qualifying in Entrance test and interview does not entitle admission to a Ph.D. course. Selection is subject to availability of eligible guides in the respective departments.
- VII. Candidates who have cleared the UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT and AYUSH (specific reference to courses in Yoga and Ayurveda) (JRF/ SRF only) qualifying exams are exempted from entrance test. All other candidates should clear the Online Entrance Test with minimum of 50% Marks to become eligible for Interview.
- VIII. Preference of course if selected in multiple courses or willingness to join the course, should be provided by the candidate.

Admission / Joining and commencement of the course

- I. There will not be any entrance test for Post Basic Diploma in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing, Post Basic Diploma in Neuroscience Nursing and Diploma in Clinical Neurophysiology Technology.
- II. All applications received for DPN/DNN and CCNT courses shall be considered by a Committee constituted by the Director. Weightage in selection shall be given to those candidates sponsored by the Government and other Institutions.
- III. All applications received for DCNT course shall be considered by a Committee constituted by the Director and the applicants fulfilling the basic qualifications shall appear before the committee constituted by the Director.
- IV. After the Online Entrance Test, a list of candidates qualified for interview/ admission in the order of merit will be announced both on the website and the notice board of the Institute with the details of venue, date and time of interview/ admission.
- V. Biometric Verification—both finger print and photo verification, of all the candidates who attend interview/ admission will be performed.
- VI. No form of representations on behalf of any candidate/s will be entertained on the day of interview/ admission. If a candidate does not attend interview/ admission on the designated day as per the Schedule announced, will be marked as absent and his/ her candidature for the admission process will be cancelled. Such candidates will not be considered for the purpose of operating waiting list for the particular course/s.
- VII. After Biometric Verification of the candidate has been performed, candidates will be instructed to produce and submit the original certificates/documents for verification.
 1. A candidate should produce all necessary documentary proof of all claims made in the Online application form.
 2. Tie-breaking exercise will be carried out during this stage, hence a candidate who has been tied with other candidate/s will be informed of the rank or the status of the tie after this stage. Tie-breaking rules are detailed in Method of Selection Section.
 3. Candidates without proper documentation to support claims made in the Online Application Form, will be disqualified from interview/ admission Process.
- VIII. Candidates who qualify for Ph.D. course after Biometric Verification and Certificates Verification, will be called for interview in the order of merit under the particular course. Such candidates shall appear before a Selection Committee during this stage.
- IX. The candidates who have been selected under various categories should submit the Original Certificates/ Documents on the day of admission as shown under “**Enclosures**” along with requisite fee as shown under “**Fee Structure**” of the Prospectus.
- X. The fee is accepted only by Debit/ Credit Cards/ Demand Draft. No other means of payment is accepted.
- XI. In case a candidate does not report on the day of admission, the seat of such candidate will be allotted to the candidate in the waiting list in the order of merit.
- XII. **Any requests for extension in date of joining should be intimated to ‘Academic & Evaluation Section’ well in advance via email to ‘admissions@nimahns.ac.in’.** Such extensions are subject to the approval of the Competent Authority. A late joining fee of Rs. 100/- per day in addition to the fees as mentioned under ‘Fees’ Section of the Prospectus or as mentioned in Official Memorandum provided to the candidate, will be levied on the day of joining.

XIII. The Penalty for discontinuation of course is as shown below *: -

Period at which resignation is tendered/ accepted	Penalty for Medical courses [for Institute stipendiary students]	Penalty for Non-Medical courses [for Institute stipendiary students]
Less than 1 month of course commencement	Rs. 1,00,000/- penalty	Rs. 40,000/- penalty except B.Sc./Diploma Courses.**
After 1 month but less than 6 months of course commencement	Rs. 5,00,000/- penalty	Rs. 2,00,000/- penalty except B.Sc./Diploma Courses.**
Above 6 months	Rs. 7,00,000/- penalty	Rs. 2,00,000/- penalty except B.Sc./Diploma Courses.**

* Subject to approval by the Statutory Bodies of the Institute.

**Candidates joining B.Sc. Courses will be required to furnish Agreement Bond.

No Fees will be refunded on discontinuation of the course. No stipend will be granted for the month in which the candidate leaves the course.

Additional information

- I. The rules and regulations in this prospectus are subject to change in accordance with the decision of the Institute from time-to-time.
- II. All the candidates applying for admission to a course at NIMHANS have to give the following declaration:
"I fulfill all the eligibility criteria and I am applying for the courses at NIMHANS. I understand that my candidature will be cancelled, if I am found to have given wrong information. I also substantiate my claim by attaching necessary certificates".
- III. **All courses are conducted on a full time basis. Private practice in any form is prohibited. The candidates are strictly not permitted to undertake any other part time or correspondence courses.**
- IV. All candidates admitted to the Institute shall maintain good conduct, attend their classes regularly and abide by the regulations of the Institute.
- V. **Selected candidates should submit Transfer Certificate (from the College/Institute where the last qualification is attained) and Migration Certificate (from the University to which the College/Institute is affiliated where the last qualification is attained) at the time of admission.**
- VI. **All the Junior/Senior Residents receiving emoluments from the Institute and admitted to any course will be on contract service for the duration of the studies.**
- VII. As per the Circular Ref. No. KMC C.R./2014 dated 18.01.2014 from Karnataka Medical Council, all candidates admitted to NIMHANS for various courses, must write to Karnataka Medical Council to obtain Permanent Registration Certificate and submit it to AO(Academic & Evaluation Section) before the commencement of the course.
- VIII. All the selected candidates should produce a medical fitness certificate from a registered medical practitioner.
- IX. The candidate should complete the entire duration stipulated for the course. If the candidate had joined late, he/ she should make good of the number of days lost due to joining later after the completion of the course duration. The candidates in this extended period will not be provided with any financial emoluments/ stipendiary benefits from NIMHANS.
- X. **Activation of JRF & SRF of external candidates joining M.Phil. Course or Ph.D. Program at NIMHANS will be activated only after joining the course.**
- XI. **Candidates who have already completed one PDF course at NIMHANS shall not be eligible / allowed to apply for any other PDF course.**
- XII. **If any seats are vacant in July session, the same would be notified in January session. In case any candidate is found to have supplied false information or a false certificate or is found to have withheld or concealed some information, he/she shall be debarred from continuing the course and shall face such appropriate action initiated against him/her by the Director of the Institute.**
- XIII. All students have to mandatorily register on the www.amanmovement.org (OR) www.antiragging.in for the purpose of signing declaration for Anti-Ragging.
- XIV. **The decision of the Director of the Institute shall be final in all matters of selection of candidates for admission to the various courses and no appeal shall be entertained on this subject.**

Fee Structure

1. Fee Structure for Indian Nationals (PG Courses)

(All figures are in rupees)

Details	Amount per year	Course with duration in years									
		MD Course	M.Ch/DM Courses	DM/M.Ch Courses	PDF Courses	MPH Course	M.Phil. Courses	M.Sc. Courses	Fellowship Courses	Ph.D. Programs	PG Diploma
		3 Years	3 Years	6 Years	1 Year	2 Years	2 Years	2 Years	1 Year	3 Years	1 Year
Eligibility fee*	5,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	
	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Registration fee	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	
Tuition fee	75,000			-	-	75,000	-	-	-	-	
	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	-	-	-	-	-	
	18,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,000	
	10,000	-	-	-	-	-	10,000	10,000	10,000**	-	10,000
Laboratory fee	500	1,500	1,500	3,000	500	1,000	-	-	-	1,500	
	400						800		400		400
	300							600			
Gymkhana & recreation Fee	250	750	750	1,500	250	500	500	500	250	750	250
Library fee	1,000	3,000	3,000	6,000	1,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	3,000	1,000
Caution Money & Hostel Deposit	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Identification card fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
NHS card fee #	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Examination fee : Part I	4,500	4,500		4,500		4,500					
	2,250						2,250			2,250	
	2,000							2,000			
Part II	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500		6,500					
	2,250						2,250			2,250	
	2,000							2,000			
Part III	12,500		12,500	12,500							
Exit Examination Application fee	50	100	100	150		100	100	100		100	
Marks Card fee	100					200	200	200		200	
Hostel charges (Electrical and Water charges)***	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	
Utensil fee	30	90	90	180	30	60	60	60	30	150	60
Total		73420	81420	91310	58760	96840	25140	24440	18660	30380	23490

* Eligible Qualification obtained from University in a Foreign Country -Rs. 5,000/-, from University in State of Karnataka – Rs. 100/- and from University outside state of Karnataka- Rs. 500/-.

** Tuition Fees for Fellowship in Cognitive Behaviour Therapy Course is Rs. 18,000.

*** Rs. 280/- will be recovered from Stipend of the candidates who opt for Hostel Accommodation after first month of admission automatically.

2% of Basic Pay per month as NHS fee from sponsored candidates if opting for NIMHANS Health Scheme(NHS) Facilities to be paid for the entire year.

-Late joining fee of Rs. 100/- per day will be levied for candidates joining the course after the prescribed date, subject to approval of extension from Competent Authority.

2. Fee Structure for Indian Nationals (UG / Diploma Courses)

(All figures are in rupees)

Details	Amount per year	Course with duration in years					
		B.Sc. Nursing Course –for Unreserved OR OBC Category	B.Sc. Nursing Course –for SC OR ST Category	B.Sc. in Radiography / B.Sc. in Anaesthesia Technology	DPN/ DNN Course	DCNT Course	CCNT Course
		4 Years	4 Years	3 Years	1 Year	2 Years	1 Year
Registration fee	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	-	-	1,000
Tuition fee	35,000	35,000	-	-	-	-	-
	20,000	-	20,000	-	-	-	-
	10,000	-	-	10,000	-	-	-
Laboratory fee	300	1,200	1,200	900	-	-	-
Gymkhana & recreation Fee	250	1,000	1,000	750	250	500	250
Library fee	1,000	4,000	4,000	3,000	1,000	2,000	1,000
Caution Money & Hostel Deposit	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Identification card fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
NHS card fee #	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Examination fee : Part I	500	-	-	-	-	-	500
	750	-	-	-	750	-	-
	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250	-	-	-
Part II	750	-	-	-	-	750	-
	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250	-	-	-
Part III	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250	-	-	-
Part IV	1,250	1,250	1,250	1,250	-	-	-
Exit Examination Application fee	50	200	200	150	50	50	-
Marks Card fee	100	400	400	300	100	100	-
Hostel charges (Electrical and Water charges)***	1,500	-	-	-	1,500	-	1,500
	3,000	-	-	-	-	3,000	-
	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	-	-	-
Utensil fee	30	120	120	90	30	60	30
Total		58,120	43,120	30,140	8,880	11,660	9,480

Late joining fee of Rs. 100/- per day will be levied for candidates joining the course after the prescribed date, subject to approval of extension from Competent Authority.

3. Fee Structure for Foreign Nationals except from SAARC Countries

(All figures are in USD)

Sl. No.	Name of the Course	Tuition fee *	Registration fee
1	Ph.D. Programs	30,000	500
2	For super speciality courses:		
	a. DM/M.Ch. (6 years duration) Courses	60,000	1,000
	b. DM/M.Ch. (3 years duration) Courses	50,000	1,000
3	Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuropathology OR Postdoctoral Fellowship in Neuroanaesthesia Courses	30,000	1,000
4	M.Phil. Courses	20,000	500
5	M.Sc. in Psychiatric Nursing Course	15,000	500
6	B.Sc. in Nursing Course	20,000	
7	DPN OR DNN OR DCNT Courses		100

* Tuition fee to be paid in equal annual instalments. The amount indicated is for the entire duration of the course. All fees other than Tuition Fee is as applicable to Indian Nationals.

- The fees once paid will not be refunded at any cost
- The fees for SAARC Nationals applying for various courses at NIMHANS will be on par with Indian Nationals (in Indian Rupee).

Events observed at NIMHANS

Event	Day
Institute Day	14 th February
National Science Day (Birth commemoration of Sir. C.V. Raman)	28 th February
International Women's Day	8 th March
World Health Day (Commemoration of Foundation of World Health Organization)	7 th April
International Nurses' Day (Birth commemoration of Florence Nightingale)	12 th May
International Day of Yoga	21 st June
Teachers' Day (Birth commemoration of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan)	5 th September
World Suicide Prevention Day	10 th September
Hindi Diwas (Hindi Day)	14 th September
World Mental Health Day	10 th October
Graduation Day	29 th November
International Day for Persons with Disability	3 rd December
Vigilance awareness week	November/ December
Annual Convocation	December/ January

Student related Committees

1. Anti-Ragging Committee

Dr. Sai Laxmi Gandhi, Additional Professor & Head of Nursing and Chairperson of the Anti-Ragging Committee

Ragging is banned in this institution and if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the student concerned shall be given opportunity to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/her from the Institute.

The candidates along with their parents/guardians have to sign a declaration that they are aware about ragging being banned at this Institution and if found indulging in ragging, the student concerned shall be given liberty to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/ her from the Institute.

2. Grievance Redressal Committee

Dr. Shekhar P. Seshadri, Sr. Prof. & HOD of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry and Chairperson of Grievance Redressal Committee

3. Internal Complaints Committee

Dr. Suvarna Alladi, Prof. of Neurology and Chairperson of Internal Complaints Committee

The nomenclature of Sexual Harassment Committee was changed as Internal Complaints Committee under the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act 2013, on 07.10.2016.

4. Ethics Committees

Refer NIMHANS website www.nimhans.ac.in for details.

Student related Programs

1. Kannada Language Learning Program

Kannada is one of the oldest Dravidian languages. It is the Karnataka state's official language. It is desirable that Non-Kannada speaking PG students make efforts to learn this language for better communication with patients and their family members.

The Department of Publication organizes a three-month Kannada Language Learning Program in collaboration with the Department of Kannada & Culture, Government of Karnataka. Students are required to attend these sessions. As majority of the patients seen at NIMHANS speak Kannada, it is mandatory that students learn to comprehend and speak Kannada.

2. Orientation Lectures

Orientation Lectures are organized for all the newly admitted students by the Heads of the Departments in order to familiarize the students with the vast diversification of facilities under Basic, Behavioural and Neurosciences Divisions at NIMHANS

Annexures

I. Declaration Certificate Format

1. To be provided by the Applicant

- a. I agree to undergo the course on a full time basis and shall not engage myself in any kind of private practice during the period of the course. I will not pursue any part time course elsewhere unless permitted by the Institute.
- b. I agree that during my stay at the Institute, I shall not draw my pay/allowances or fellowships from any other source, if I am employed as a Resident.
- c. I declare that I shall abide by the Rules and Regulations of the Institute and those that are framed from time to time.
- d. I hereby declare that the information given in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In case any information given in this application proves to be false or incorrect, I shall be responsible for the consequences.
- e. I agree that I will not indulge in ragging and am aware that Ragging is banned in this Institution. If at any point of time, any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, and if I cannot give satisfactory explanation, the authority may expel me from the Institute.
- f. I also declare that if any information provided by me is found false, my candidature will be rejected at any point of time. Mere permission to write the Entrance Test does not mean that I am eligible for admission to courses at NIMHANS.

Place:

(Signature of the Applicant)

Date:

2. To be provided Parent/Spouse/Guardian of the Applicant

- a. I hereby declare that I am responsible for the timely payment of all dues to the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences, Bengaluru (NIMHANS), in respect of my son/daughter/ward/spouse _____ (Name of the Applicant) during the period of his/her study at the Institute and thereafter, until the accounts are cleared.
- b. I am also aware that Ragging is banned in this Institution, if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority and if my son/daughter/ward/spouse cannot give satisfactory explanation, the authority can expel him/her from the Institute.

Place:

(Signature of Parent/Spouse/

Date:

Guardian of the Applicant)

3. Forwarding note to be signed by the Employer under whom the applicant is employed (Applicable for Sponsored/Deputed Candidates)

- a. I certify that the application is being made with my permission and that there is no objection to release the applicant if selected for the courses, within the prescribed limit of time.
- b. I also certify that I shall inform the authorities of the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences, Bengaluru (NIMHANS), about the financial terms and remit salary, Leave salary, Deputation Allowances etc., to the Institute Account which will be paid to the Applicant for the period of the period of training from the Institute.

Place:

(Signature and Seal of the Employer)

Date:

II. Sponsorship Certificate Format

(Do not remove/alter any verse from the certificate)

This is to certify that:

1. Dr./Sri./Smt. _____ is a permanent employee with the _____ (*Name of the Government Organization*) and the date of joining service is _____.
2. The candidate is being sponsored / deputed for _____ (*name of the course*) at National Institute of Mental Health And Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru.
3. The candidate is being sponsored / deputed for the entire duration of the course, if selected.
4. The candidate will be paid all emoluments by the State/Central Government or Public Sector Undertaking of State/Central Government (*tick which is applicable*) and no expenses will devolve upon National Institute of Mental Health And Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru.
5. The candidate after getting training at National Institute of Mental Health And Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru, shall continue to be in regular service with the State/Central Government or Public Sector Undertaking of State/Central Government (*tick which is applicable*) and will work in the State/Central Government or Public Sector Undertaking of the State/Central Government (*tick which is applicable*).

Date:

Place:

**Signature with Seal of
Competent Authority**

III. OBC Certificate Format

Form of Certificate to be produced by Other Backward Classes Applying for Admission to Central Education Institutes under the Government of India.

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ Son/Daughter of Shri/Smt. _____ of Village/Town _____ District/Division _____ in the _____ State belongs to the _____ Community which is recognized as a backward class under:

Resolution No. 12011/68/93-BCC(C) dated 10/09/93 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 186 dated 13/09/93.

Resolution No. 12011/9/94-BCC dated 19/10/94 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 163 dated 20/10/94.

Resolution No. 12011/7/95-BCC dated 24/05/95 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 88 dated 25/05/95.

Resolution No. 12011/96/94-BCC dated 9/03/96.

Resolution No. 12011/44/96-BCC dated 6/12/96 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.210 dated 11/12/96.

Resolution No. 12011/13/97-BCC dated 03/12/97.

Resolution No. 12011/99/94-BCC dated 11/12/97.

Resolution No. 12011/68/98-BCC dated 27/10/99.

Resolution No. 12011/88/98-BCC dated 6/12/99 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 270 dated 06/12/99.

Resolution No. 12011/36/99-BCC dated 04/04/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 71 dated 04/04/2000.

Resolution No. 12011/44/99-BCC dated 21/09/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 210 dated 21/09/2000.

Resolution No. 12015/9/2000-BCC dated 06/09/2001.

Resolution No. 12011/1/2001-BCC dated 19/06/2003.

Resolution No. 12011/4/2002-BCC dated 13/01/2004.

Resolution No. 12011/9/2004-BCC dated 16/01/2006 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 210 dated 16/01/2006.

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the _____ District/Division of _____ State.

This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT) dated 08/09/93 which is modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004 Estt.(Res.) dated 09/03/2004.

Dated:

District Magistrate/ Deputy Commissioner
Seal

NOTE (Remove the below before printing):

- I. The term 'Ordinarily' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.
- II. The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:
 - i. District Magistrate / Additional Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / I Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional magistrate / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of I Class Stipendiary Magistrate).
 - ii. Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate / Presidency Magistrate.
 - iii. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
 - iv. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and / or his family resides.

IV. Bond to be executed by B.Sc. (Nursing / Radiography / Anaesthesia Technology students)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT I _____ (Name of Candidate) Son / Daughter of _____ (Name of Parent) residing at _____ (full address) in the district of _____ (State) at present undergoing B.Sc. in Nursing / Radiography / Anaesthesia Technology (*to strike which is not applicable*) course in NIMHANS (*hereinafter called 'the obligor'*) & Shri / Smt./ Miss _____ Son / daughter of Shri / Smt. _____ (First Surety) and Shri / Smt./ Miss _____ Son / daughter of Shri / Smt. _____ (Second Surety) (*hereinafter called "the sureties"*) do hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves and our respective heirs, executors and administrators to pay to the Director, NIMHANS (*hereinafter called "the Government"*) on demand for the sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakhs only) besides emoluments paid during the period of one year Compulsory Internship together with interest thereon from the date of demand at Government rates for the time being in force on Government loans or, if payment is made in a country other than India, the equivalent of the said amount in the currency of that country converted at the official rate of exchange between that country and India AND TOGETHER with all costs between attorney and client and all charges and expenses that shall or may have been incurred by the NIMHANS, Bangalore.

WHEREAS the obligor is allotted seat by NIMHANS, Bengaluru to undergo B.Sc. in Nursing / Radiography / Anaesthesia Technology (*to strike which is not applicable*) course from _____ to _____ (*kindly refer to concerned course in Prospectus to know about course duration*).

AND WHEREAS for the better protection of NIMHANS the obligor has agreed to execute this bond with such condition as hereunder is written.

AND WHEREAS the said sureties have agreed to execute this bond as Sureties on behalf of the above bounden _____.

NOW THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE WRITTEN OBLIGATIONS IS THAT in the event of the obligor Shri. / Smt. _____ (**failing to undergo one year's compulsory internship or discontinues the internship after the successful completion of B.Sc. course, the obligor and the sureties shall forthwith pay to the NIMHANS or as may be directed by the NIMHANS on demand the said sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakhs only)** besides emoluments paid / payable during the period of Compulsory Internship together with interest thereon from the date of demand at Government rates for the time being in force on Government loans or together with interest thereon from the date of demand at Government rates for the time being in force on Government loans.

And upon the obligor Shri. / Smt. _____ (Name of Parent) and, or Shri. / Smt. _____ (First Surety) and, or Shri. / Smt. _____ (Second Surety), the sureties aforesaid making such payment the above written obligation shall be void and of no effect, otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

PROVIDED ALWAYS THAT THE Liability of the sureties hereunder shall not be impaired or discharged by reason of time being granted or by any forbearance, act or omission of the NIMHANS or any person authorized by them (whether with or without the consent or knowledge of the sureties) nor shall it be necessary for the NIMHANS to sue the obligor before suing the sureties Shri. / Smt. _____ (First Surety) and Shri. / Smt. _____ (Second Surety) or any of them for amounts due hereunder.

PROVIDED ALWAYS and it is HEREBY SPECIFICALLY AGREED and DECLARED that the decision of the Government, as to whether the student has or has not performed or observed any of the obligations, terms and conditions herein before set out and recited shall be final and binding on the parties hereto.

The bond shall in all respect be governed by the laws of India for the time being in force and the rights and liabilities hereunder shall where necessary be accordingly determined by the appropriate Courts in India.

Signed and dated this _____ day of _____ two thousand and nineteen.

Signed and delivered by the obligor above named (ID & Address proof should be produced along with Agreement Bond)

Shri. / Smt. _____

In the presence of Witnesses: 1 _____

2 _____

Signed and delivered by the First surety (ID & Address proof should be produced along with Agreement Bond)

Shri. / Smt. _____

In the presence of Witnesses: 1 _____

2 _____

Signed and delivered by the Second surety (ID & Address proof should be produced along with Agreement Bond)

Shri. / Smt. _____

In the presence of Witnesses: 1 _____

2 _____

Certified that the above named sureties are solvent and acceptable.

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Signature of the Magistrate/Notary
 (With Seal)

ACCEPTED

DIRECTOR
NIMHANS, Bengaluru- 560 029

Please note (Remove the below before printing):

1. Out of the 02 securities mentioned above in the Agreement Bond, 01 surety should be 'parent' of the candidate. Both Parents (of the candidate) cannot be surety in Agreement Bond.
2. Agreement Bond should be executed in non-judicial stamp paper or e-stamp paper of value of Rs. 200/- , duly completed in all respects signed by Magistrate/Notary on all pages.
3. ID & Address Proof of the candidate and both sureties is required to be submitted alongside Agreement Bond at the time of joining the course.

Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Expansion
AYUSH	AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
B.Sc	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
B.Sc. MLT	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY
B.Tech	BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY
BAMS	BACHELOR OF AYURVEDIC MEDICINE AND SURGERY
BDS	BACHELOR OF DENTAL SCIENCES
BE	BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING
CAP	CHILD & ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY
CCNT	CERTIFICATE COURSE IN CLINICAL NEUROPHYSIOLOGY TECHNOLOGY
CCRAS	CENTRAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH IN AYURVEDIC SCIENCES
CCRYN	CENTRAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH IN YOGA & NATUROPATHY
CP	CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY
CPH	CENTRE FOR PUBLIC HEALTH
CPH Section	CLINICAL PATHOLOGY AND HAEMATOLOGY SECTION
CSIR	COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC & INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH
DBT	DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY
DCNT	DIPLOMA COURSE IN CLINICAL NEUROPHYSIOLOGY TECHNOLOGY
DM	DOCTORATE OF MEDICINE
DMLT	DIPLOMA IN MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY
DNB	DIPLOMATE OF NATIONAL BOARD
DNN	POST-BASIC DIPLOMA IN NEUROSCIENCE NURSING
DPM	DIPLOMA IN PSYCHIATRY
DPN	POST-BASIC DIPLOMA IN PSYCHIATRIC/MENTAL HEALTH NURSING
DRDO	DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION
DST	DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
ICMR	INDIAN COUNCIL OF MEDICAL RESEARCH
INC	INDIAN NURSING COUNCIL
JR	JUNIOR RESIDENT
JRF	JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW
M.Ch.	MAGISTER CHIRURGIAE
M.Phil.	MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY
M.Sc.	MASTER OF SCIENCE
M.Stat.(ISI)	MASTER OF STATISTICS (INDIAN STATISTICAL INSTITUTE)
M.Tech.	MASTER OF TECHNOLOGY
MA	MASTER OF ARTS
MBBS	BACHELOR OF MEDICINE, BACHELOR OF SURGERY
MCI	MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA
MD	DOCTOR OF MEDICINE
MLT	MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY
MOT	MASTER OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
MPH	MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH
MPT	MASTER OF PHYSIOTHERAPY
MS	MASTER OF SURGERY
MSW	MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
NABL	NATIONAL ACCREDITATION BOARD FOR TESTING AND CALIBRATION LABORATORIES
NACO	NATIONAL AIDS CONTROL ORGANIZATION
NCBS	NATIONAL CENTRE FOR BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
NIIR	NEUROIMAGING AND INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY
OCD	OBSESSIVE COMPULSIVE DISORDER
PDF	POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP
Ph.D	DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
PSW	PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORK
RCI	REHABILITATION COUNCIL OF INDIA
SAARC	SOUTH ASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION
SERB	SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD
SR	SENIOR RESIDENT
SRF	SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW
TMC	TRANSFUSION MEDICINE CENTRE
TSS	TALENT RESEARCH SCHEME
UGC	UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION