



TEERTHANKER MAHAVEER UNIVERSITY

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Minutes of Meeting of Board of Studies

The Board of Studies (BOS) meeting was conducted on 2nd May, 2026 in the committee room of College of Paramedical Sciences.

All the following members were present:

S. No.	Name	Designation	Department
1.	Prof.(Dr.)Navneet Kumar	Principal	Chairperson
2.	Dr.Kamal Pant	(External Expert) Chairperson, UPSAHC	-
3.	Prof.(Dr.)Ashish Chander	Internal Expert Professor and Head	Dept. of Ophthalmology TMMC & RC
4.	Prof.(Dr.)Pramod Suryakant Rao Dode	(Internal Member) Professor	Dept. of Forensic Medicine, TMMC & RC
5.	Prof.(Dr.)Ruchi Kant	(Internal Member) Professor and Head	Medical Lab Techniques
6.	Mr. Ravi Kumar	(Internal Member) Assistant Professor and Head	Forensic Science
7.	Dr.Rakesh Kumar Yadav	(Internal Member) Assistant Professor and Head	Optometry
8.	Mr Amit Bisht	(Internal Member) Assistant Professor and Head	Radiological Imaging Techniques

The meeting started with the welcoming of the chairperson and all the external members. The chairperson apprised the members about the objectives and agenda points of the meeting.



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Agenda

- I. Confirmation of the Minutes of Meeting dated on 26.12.25
- II. Revision in the Nomenclature of Allied and Healthcare Programs running in the College of Allied and Healthcare Sciences, Teerthanker Mahaveer University according to NCAHP guidelines (Annexure 1)

Discussions and Resolutions:

- It is recommended that the titles of the college's various programs adhere to NCAHP regulations with reference number TMU/PM/2026/2588, clearance from TMU's higher authorities, and NCAHP circular number Z/18/2024-AHS-DOHFW DEPARTMENT and will be effective from session 2026-27.
- Approval for the aforementioned Agenda is attached as Annexure 1 whereas details are provided under Agenda III, point A.

- III. Adoption of NCAHP syllabus for the programs of Allied and Healthcare Sciences running in the College of Allied and Healthcare Sciences, Teerthanker Mahaveer University according to NCAHP guidelines, from the session 2026-27 onwards.

Discussions and Resolutions: (Key points)

The following points were observed by the board to be examined and recommended as per the need of the program to be followed (Annexure 2).

A. Eligibility and Duration of the Allied and Healthcare Programs in accordance to NCAHP guidelines:

(File no. Z-1011/2026/NCAHP(AHS)/UGC/FTSNo.8384323)

S.NO.	Program	Eligibility (Qualifying Exam)	Admission Basis	Duration
1	B.MRIT (Bachelor of Medical Radiology and Imaging Technology)	Senior Secondary (10+2) with Physics, Chemistry & Biology	Merit of Senior Secondary (10+2)	Four Years (3 yrs theory+ 1 yr internship)
2	B.MLS / BMLS (Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science)	Senior Secondary (10+2) with Physics, Chemistry & Biology (Botany +	Merit of Senior Secondary (10+2)	Four Years (3 yrs theory+ 1 yr internship)



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		Zoology) with min. 50% marks		
3	B Optom (Bachelor of Optometry)	Senior Secondary (10+2) with Physics, Chemistry & Biology/Mathematics – min. 50% marks	Merit of Senior Secondary (10+2)	Five Years (4 yrs theory+ 1 yr internship)
4	M.MRIT (Master of Medical Radiology and Imaging Technology)	B.MRIT / BMRIT / B.Sc. Radiological Technology / B.Sc. Radiography or equivalent	University Entrance Exam	Two years
5	M.MLS / MMLS (Master of Medical Laboratory Science)	B.MLS (BMLS) on regular mode from recognised university	University Entrance Exam	Two years
6	M.Optom (Master of Optometry)	B.Optom with min. 60% marks (regular, full-time, on-campus)	University Entrance Exam	Two years

B. PG Specializations in All Programs as per NCAHP Guidelines:

1. Master of Medical Laboratory Sciences (MMLS)

- I. Medical Biochemistry
- II. Medical Microbiology
- III. Haematology and Transfusion Medicine
- IV. Histology and Cytology

2. Master of Medical Radiology and Imaging Technology (M. MRIT)

- I. CT Technology
- II. MRI Technology
- III. Breast Imaging Technology

3. Master of Optometry (M.Optom)

- Instead of specialization, elective courses are added starting from second semester onwards.

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C. Lateral Entry Provision:

- 2nd Year Diploma in concern discipline with 50% marks; max 10% of sanctioned strength

D. Assessment/Evaluation Criteria

- The evaluation pattern for all the programs of Allied and health care Sciences, consists of two components: Continuous Internal Evaluation and End Semester Examination. Weightage distribution of 30% as internal evaluation includes, assignments, practicals, presentations, and periodic assessments conducted during the semester. The external weightage of 70% assesses the overall theoretical and practical understanding of students at the end of the semester. This structure ensures a balanced and comprehensive evaluation system across all UG and PG programs.

E. Internship/ Dissertation:

Program	Internship / Dissertation	Total Duration	Stipend
B.MRIT (Sem 7 & 8)	Rotatory Clinical Internship	1 Year	Stipend amount must be paid to the students of all the programs by the institute as decided by the respective State Allied and Healthcare council
M.MRIT (Sem 4)	Dissertation	6 months	
B.MLS (Sem 7 & 8)	Lab Posting/ Research Dissertation	1 Year	
M.MLS (Sem 4)	Research Dissertation	6 months	
B.Optom (Sem 7 & 8)	Research Project – I and II	6 months each	
B.Optom (Sem 9 & 10)	Internship	1 Year	

- F. Course codes for Medial Laboratory Science are not available in the guidelines of NCAHP, therefore courses are recommended to be sequentially numbered until further notification.

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- G. Further, the BOS supported and recommended the future implementation of NCAHP guidelines in the PhD program (Annexure 2)

Note: The NCAHP guidelines contain further specifics in addition to the aforementioned main areas attached as Annexure 2.

IV. Nomenclature, syllabus and intake in diploma courses according to NCAHP guidelines. (Annexure 3)

Discussions and Resolutions:

- In accordance with letter no. F.NO.Z./103/2024-AHS-DOHFW DEPARTMENT, dated 08.04.2026, NCAHP has approved 17 competency-based courses in accordance with the NCAHP Act, 2021.
- The committee noted that NCAHP has approved the curricula for the following diploma programs:
- Curricula of only four diploma courses have been approved:

S.NO.	Diploma Nomenclature	Duration
1	Diploma of Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology (D.AOTT)	Two years six months
2	Diploma of Radiotherapy Technology (D.RT)	Two years six months
3	Diploma of Dialysis Technology (D.DT)	Two years six months
4	Diploma of Health Information Management (D.HIM)	Two years six months

- The committee further reviewed the status of diploma programs currently being offered at TMU. It was noted that TMU is presently running the following 15 diploma programs approved by UPSMF:

1. Diploma in Blood Transfusion Technician
2. Diploma in CT Scan Technician
3. Diploma in Emergency and Trauma Care
4. Diploma in Cardiology Technician
5. Diploma in MRI Technician
6. Diploma in Orthopaedic and Plaster Technician
7. Diploma in Audio and Speech Therapy Technician
8. Diploma in Neonatal Care Technician
9. Diploma in Intervention Radiology





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10. Diploma in X-Ray Technician
11. Diploma in Optometry
12. Diploma in Anaesthesia and Critical Care Technician
13. Diploma in Operation Theatre Technician
14. Diploma in Dialysis Technician
15. Diploma in Laboratory Technician

The committee also noted that admissions to the following six diploma programs have already been placed on hold with effect from the Academic Year 2026–2027:

1. Diploma in Emergency and Trauma Care
2. Diploma in Intervention Radiology
3. Diploma in Orthopaedic and Plaster Technician
4. Diploma in Blood Transfusion Technician
5. Diploma in Neonatal Care Technician
6. Diploma in Audio and Speech Therapy Technician

The committee discussed the existing diploma programs in light of the revised NCAHP guidelines and resolved the following w.e.f the A.Y. 2026–2027:

- The **Diploma in Anaesthesia and Critical Care Technician** program shall be merged with the **Diploma in Operation Theatre Technician** program. Henceforth, the program is recommended to be offered under the nomenclature as approved by NCAHP:

Diploma in Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology (D.AOTT)

- The curriculum, academic structure, and training pattern for the above-mentioned program shall be implemented strictly as prescribed under NCAHP guidelines.
- It was further resolved that the nomenclature of **Diploma in Dialysis Technician** shall be revised to:

Diploma in Dialysis Technology (D.DT)

- The Diploma in Dialysis Technology program is advised to continue to operate in accordance with the curriculum, standards, and regulations laid down by NCAHP.
- The committee also discussed the duration of diploma programs and noted that, as per the revised NCAHP norms, the duration of applicable diploma programs has been revised from **2 years to 2.5 years**. Accordingly, all concerned diploma programs shall adopt the revised duration structure, wherever applicable.

Further, after detailed deliberation and review of NCAHP norms, it was resolved that the admission to following six diploma programs shall be deferred from the Academic Year 2026–2027 till further notification from UPSMF or NCAHP:

1. Diploma in Laboratory Technician





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2. Diploma in Optometry
3. Diploma in X-Ray Technician
4. Diploma in CT Scan Technician
5. Diploma in MRI Technician
6. Diploma in Cardiology Technician

The BOS recommended the concerned departments and admission section to initiate necessary academic and administrative actions in compliance with the above resolutions.

V. Revision in the syllabus of M.Sc. Forensic Science (Annexure 4)

Discussions and Resolutions: (Key points)

1. Based on the feedback received from Faculty, employer and alumni, there is a need to revise the M.Sc. Forensic Science syllabus to meet the growing demand for specialization-based skilled professionals in industries and forensic organizations.
2. The 1st and 2nd semesters will remain common for all students to provide foundational and fundamental knowledge in forensic science.
3. Specialization-specific subjects will be introduced from the 2nd semester onwards based on the specialization opted by the students.
Specializations are as follows:
 - Digital & Cyber Forensics
 - Forensic Biology & DNA Technology
 - Forensic Chemistry & Toxicology
 - Forensic Physics & Ballistics
 - Fingerprints & Questioned Documents
4. There will be no change in the evaluation and examination scheme, and it will continue as per the existing university norms and regulations.
5. Internship/industrial training will be conducted during the final semester of the program to provide practical and professional exposure to the students.
6. Dissertation work will also be carried out during the final semester along with the internship/training program.
7. An External Co-Supervisor (if required) from the host internship institution/organization will be assigned to guide the dissertation work along with the Internal Supervisor from the department.
8. In reference to the DFSS Notice dated September 1, 2025 regarding inclusion of new qualifications in the recruitment rules of Forensic Science services, the proposed specialization structure and revised syllabus of the M.Sc. Forensic Science program are aligned with updated national requirements. The revised curriculum will help improve students' employability and eligibility for recruitment in forensic science laboratories and allied organizations.
9. Guidelines for the dissertation, along with a list of host organizations for students, are provided in **Annexure (8)** for further approval.

VI. External examiner list for odd session: 2026-27 (Annexure 5)



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Discussions & Resolutions

- External examiner list is recommended as such by all BOS members.

VII. Ratification of Value Added Courses for odd session: 2026-27 (Annexure 6)

Discussions & Resolutions:

- The aforementioned agenda is recommended as such by all BOS members

VIII. Any other matter with the permission of chair

- Ratification of Interdisciplinary Courses in odd session: 2026-27 (Annexure 7)

Discussions & Resolutions

- All BOS members support the aforementioned agenda and advise aligning the human resource requirements with the NCAHP recommendations for Allied Healthcare programs.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

External Expert: Dr. Kamal Pant

Internal Experts:

1.Prof. (Dr.) Rajul Rastogi , on leave

2.Prof. (Dr.) Ashish Chander

3.Prof. (Dr.) Pramod Suryakant Rao Dode

Internal Members:

1.Prof. (Dr.) Ruchi Kant

2.Dr. Rakesh Kumar Yadav

3.Mr. Amit Bisht

4.Mr. Ravi Kumar



Prof. Navneet Kumar (Chairperson)

Principal,