



COVID-19 management in A&N Islands through five fold strategy - Test, Track, Treat, COVID Appropriate Behaviour & Vaccination

413316 samples tested so far; Rate of Test Per Million stands at 1033290

Port Blair, July 4

The A&N Administration is strictly implementing the five-fold strategy of Testing, Tracing, Treatment, COVID-appropriate behaviour and Vaccination. To stop the chain of transmission of virus and reduce the number of positive cases various steps have been initiated. Since the outbreak of COVID-19 in A&N Islands, the testing has been augmented manifold and as on date, 413316 samples have been tested in A&N Islands. Further, the Islands Test Per Million (TPM) stands at 1033290. Apart from this, the District



Administration is also conducting mobile RAT testing in rural areas of the District. The incoming flight passengers are also being retested with RTPCR. The District Control Room regularly

monitors patients who are placed under home isolation by keeping track on the person's health status besides providing the required medicine. It is also reaching out to the rural populace through mobile RAT testing van.

As per health data, the new active case in the last 24 hours has come down to 4 while the total number of active cases during the 2nd wave (since 01.03.2021) has also come down to 21 in the entire Islands. Out of the total, 7482 confirmed cases of COVID since March 2020, 7333

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AYUSH Minister to launch Ayurveda Dataset on CTRI Portal today

Launch will mark a significant step towards worldwide visibility for Ayurveda based Clinical Trials

New Delhi, July 4 (PIB) Marking a significant step towards worldwide visibility for Ayurveda based clinical trials, the Ayurveda dataset on CTRI Portal will be launched online tomorrow by Ayush Minister, Shri Kiren Rijiju. This Ayurveda Dataset of CTRI has been jointly developed by ICMR and CCRAS, Ministry of Ayush. The Minister will also launch four more Portals, all developed by the Central Council for

Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS). CTRI is a primary register of Clinical Trials under WHO's International Clinical Trials Registry Platform (ICTRP) and creation of Ayurveda dataset in CTRI facilitates usages of Ayurveda terminologies to record clinical study meta data based on Ayurveda interventions. Until now the clinical trials in Ayurveda were dependent on terminology borrowed

from modern medicine. Now with the joint efforts of ICMR-National Institute of Medical Statistics and CCRAS, Ayurvedic terminology has become part of CTRI. The key feature of this digital platform is the provision of selection of the Ayurveda Health conditions from drop down of 3866 Ayurveda morbidity codes incorporated from the NAMASTE portal (a portal developed by the

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Tracking COVID in rural areas through RAT

Random test conducted on 102 persons at Nayasahar shows encouraging result; all samples found negative

Port Blair, July 4

The District Administration, South Andaman has taken various preventive measures following the outbreak of the second wave of COVID. To track the disease in rural areas, the District Administration, is making the Rapid Antigen Test (RAT)- a pillar to track COVID in rural areas thereby making testing easier, faster and accessible to people. More than 100 random RAT tests are



being conducted in rural areas on a daily basis. As part of this, the District Administration conducted mobile RAT screening at Nayasahar today. The random test conducted on 102 persons, showed encouraging result as all the samples tested were found negative, a press release from DC (SA) said.

Media briefing on COVID-19 held

Heartening to note active COVID cases coming down gradually: Secretary (Health)

Port Blair, July 4

The Secretary (Health), Shri Ram Niwas Sharma while addressing a COVID-19 media briefing held in the conference hall of IP&T here today stated that the number of active COVID cases in the Islands has come down to 20, of which 18 are from South Andaman and 2 from Nicobar is free from corona. He said during the RTPCR test conducted on 316 passengers who arrived here yesterday, no case has been detected. Similarly, no cases were detected from test conducted on 89 persons bound for Middle & North Andaman at Ferrargunj. The mobile testing team conducted test on 102 persons at Nayasahar and it is encouraging to note that all were found negative. Today, 3 flight with 522 passengers arrived and their RTPCR reports are awaited. Giving details about corona cases admitted in



G. B Pant Hospital, the Secretary said, the number of patients undergoing treatment has come down to 3 and all the three are on Oxygen support. As on July 3, 2021, 1,85,734 persons have been inoculated with Covishield vaccine doses in Isles. First dose

have been given to 1,57,972 beneficiaries covering 56.10 percent of the target population i.e. 2, 81,603 (Approx.). The second dose has been given to 27,762 beneficiaries, the percentage of which stands at 17.57%. He said, 39.49% population have been vaccinated

with first dose of Covishield till yesterday, out of the total population of 4,00,000. The number of eligible persons who have been inoculated with first dose in the age group of 45 plus is 1,04,598, out of the 1,04,603 target beneficiaries. He said that the number of target population in the age group of 18-44 to be vaccinated is around 1,77,000. So far, 53,374 beneficiaries in this age group have been vaccinated with first dose till July 3.

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Vaccination -a critical tool in the battle against COVID-19

286 beneficiaries above 45 years vaccinated in N&M Andaman District

Port Blair, July 4

As per the vaccination data available, today, a total of 286 beneficiaries in the age group of above 45 years were vaccinated with second dose in N&M Andaman District. Out of the 286 persons vaccinated, 190 were in the age group of 45-59 years while 90 were above 60 years. The vaccination drive is continuing smoothly in A&N Islands.

The online registration for the vaccination is done through CoWIN portal and Aarogya Setu App. Online registration is mandatory and no on-site registration is being done and people have been advised to reach the centres as per the time schedule provided to the

beneficiaries through the App. The vaccination drive for first dose for 18-44 years is being done at JNRM vaccination centre, Port Blair, Rangat, Mayabunder and Diglipur. In JNRM Center, the vaccination is being done through online registration while for other vaccination centers, it is

done through onsite. The general public have been requested to follow COVID Appropriate Behaviour while going for vaccination, a press release from DHS said.

improved the quality of school education but also enriched the lives of their students. All school teachers and Head of Schools working in recognized primary/middle/higher secondary schools run by State Government / UT Administration, local bodies, aided by State Government, central

'National Teachers Award' Last date for submission of self-nomination extended till July 10

Port Blair, July 4 The Government of India, Ministry of Education, Department of School Education & Literacy implements a Scheme of National Awards to Teachers to celebrate the unique contribution of some of the finest teachers in the country and to honor those teachers who through their commitment and hard work have not only

schools run by Ministry of Defence and Eklayva Model Residential Schools (EMRS) run by Ministry of Tribal Affairs and school affiliated to CBSE or CISCE are eligible for consideration for the award. Normally retired teachers are not eligible for the award but those who have served a part of this calendar year are

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Facilitating citizens in times of pandemic

Validity of fitness, permits, driving licenses, registration etc. extended upto Sept. 30

Port Blair, July 4

In view of lockdown and restrictions imposed by Andaman & Nicobar Administration to prevent the spread of COVID-19 and as per advisory issued by MORTH to facilitate citizen in availing

transport related services, the validity of fitness, permits (all type), driving licenses, registration or any other concerned documents whose extension of validity could not or was not likely to be granted due to

lockdown and which had expired since 1st February, 2020 or would expire by 30th September, 2021 will be treated as valid till 30th September, 2021, a press release from Transport Department said.

Tweets on COVID-19 Management by Administration

Shyam @Shyam12623694
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
Really appreciate to Covid control team for declining of case's and very soon our fellow tourism industry, daily wage worker's and others private employees will be operates in high intensity, thanks for A & N administration for all for islanders, my salute to health, police others

SASHI KUMAR @SASHIKUMAR239955
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
सोच बदल रहा है ।। कभी लोग अंको के पीछे भागते थे आज शुभ्य देखने के लिए तस्से है जो लोग positive को शुभ मानते थे। आज negative होने का डर नकार करते है। ठान ले जगर हम सब इस दौर से बाहर निकलने की वो दिन दूर नहीं जब होगा मुक्त कोरोना से ज़ीध हमारा।

Shahnaz Haleem @shahnaz_18
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
Its good to see reduction in positives cases hope we will be free from covid19 soon & life will be same but till then we must follow all the necessary protocols. We all islanders are thankful to the Hardwork & dedication of our frontline warriors & our Administration.

KAKASH PRAKASH @Skalidasan7
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
We are very happy because our government is taking very effective initiatives which helps to reduce covid cases in our island. I am sure due to our administration's hard work soon our island will be announced as covid free island. Thank you.

Sunay Kishan (skp) @Printhosk
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
It's a huge achievement for all islanders..thanks to our Administration for their wonderful job..keep going.

Sayid Ashraf @SayidAshraf2
Replying to @Andaman_Admin @MediaRN_ANI and @jitendra_narain
Good result today ... Let it continue. we still have to be very careful. Thanks to Islands Administration, Police, Doctors, Nurses and Covid Workers.

Help Administration in its fight against COVID-19

Spot persons violating COVID appropriate behaviour
(Not wearing mask, not following social distancing norms etc.)

Click pictures of violators and inform through WhatsApp on
A&N Police Helpline 3rd Eye Mobile no. **9531892228** or
District Administration South Andaman **9531888844**

Let's break the chain of transmission

#Together we win battle against COVID-19 pandemic in Isles

A&N Administration

COVID ALERT

FOLLOW COVID APPROPRIATE BEHAVIOUR EVERYDAY AND HELP KEEP COVID-19 AWAY

Total number of active cases in India: 485350
Deaths in India: 402005
Total no of active cases in Andaman since 1.03.2021: 21
Total Deaths since 1.03.2021: 66
Surge in a single day: 04

It is time to be alert & vigilant Follow COVID appropriate behaviour strictly

Call Control Room number for assistance: 240126, 232102, 1077, 1070

BADALKAR APNA VYAVAHAR, KAREIN CORONA PAR VAAR
Issued in public interest by A&N Administration

COVID-19 management in A&N...
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patients have been cured/discharged so far.
In South Andaman District, as on date, a total of 2 Containment Zones have been formed and the Administration is ensuring its strict compliance by making available the required facilities to facilitate the people residing inside the containment zones. Officers have also been deputed to maintain strict perimeter control and ensure that there is no movement of people in or out of these zones, except for medical emergencies and for maintaining supply of essential goods and services.

AYUSH Minister to launch Ayurveda...
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AYUSH Ministry) in which morbidity statistics pertaining to Ayurveda has been classified according to International Classification of Diseases standards. It means, now the information, results etc. of Ayurveda Clinical Trials will be available in Ayurvedic vocabulary in the clinical trials registry of India.
Why is the Clinical Registry important?
Clinical trials are being done continuously in the world for new drug discovery, treatment of diseases etc. The problem is that the results of these tests are not publicly available and due to this there is a possibility of not having accurate information about the trials. In view of this, the World Health Organization made it mandatory to create an online registry of clinical trials. In India this work is being done through CTRI and this registry is also part of the World Health Organization registry.
The four more portals that will also be launched tomorrow are AMAR, SAHI, e-MEDHA and RMIS. All of these are primarily developed by CCRAS while RMIS is a collaborative effort of ICMR and CCRAS.

Media briefing on COVID-19 held...
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The Director, ANIIMS, Dr. AK Mandal and Deputy Director, G.B Pant Hospital, Dr. Amitabha De were also present during the press briefing.

'National Teachers Award'...
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eligible. Educational administrators, inspectors of education, staff of training institutes, contractual teachers and shiksha mitras are not eligible for the said award.
Registrations for the self-nomination are now extended up to 10th July, 2021 which has to be made on the website of Ministry of Education <https://nationalawardstoteachers.education.gov.in>
Registrations will close on 10/07/2021, a press release received from Directorate of Education said here.

अंडमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

Health Bulletin For Containment Of नोवल कोरोना वायरस रोग (COVID-19)
(No. 461/04th July 2021)
COVID-19 STATUS OF ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS AS ON 04.07.2021

> Status of Cases :

Details of Second Wave since: 01.03.2021	
Active new case in last 24 Hours	04
Discharges in last 24 hours	03
Total confirmed cases	2488
Total Discharges	2401
Total Active case as on date	21
Total Deaths	66

Cumulative since March 2020

Details	On 03 rd July 2021	On 04 th July 2021	Total
Confirmed Cases	7478	04	7482
Cured/Discharged from Hospital	7330	03	7333
Death	128	00	128

> Clinical Management of Cases :

Name of District	Isolation Beds Available	Occupied	Vacant
North & Middle Andaman	286	02	284
South Andaman	5583	19	5564
Nicobar	507	00	507
Total	6376	21	6355

Total 02 containment zones formed in South Andaman District

> Status of Sample and Testing:

Total Samples sent till date	413316
Total Reports received till date	413316
Total Pending Reports	0
Rate of Testing Per Million	1033290
Cumulative Test Positivity Rate	1.81%
COWIN 1.0	

> Vaccination Status

Total population	4,00,000
Target Beneficiaries	2,81,603 (Approx)
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated so far	1,86,020
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated with 1 st Dose so far	1,57,978
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated with 2 nd Dose so far	28,042
% of population vaccinated	39.49

> Passengers screened at VSI Airport & Haddo Wharf

Details	From 25 th May 2020 to 03 rd July 2021	On 04 th July 2021	Total
Incoming Passengers			
a) VSI Airport	253603	530	254133
b) Haddo Wharf	1032	0	1032
Outward Passengers			
a) VSI Airport	266110	674	266784
b) Haddo Wharf	928	0	928

(On 04.07.2021, 522 passengers were retested by RTPCR at Airport)

24x7 CONTROL ROOM NUMBERS: 240126/ 232102 / 1077/ 1070
(Source: Directorate of Health Services)

National School Online Chess C'ship-2021 to begin today

60 players from various schools of A& N Islands registered for this event

Port Blair, July 4
The National School Online Chess Championship-2021 will begin from tomorrow (July 5) and serves as selection event for the Asian School Online Chess Championship scheduled to be held in the last week of July 2021. This National School event is held for various age group categories i.e. U-17, U-15, U-13, U-11, U-09 & U-07 for Open & Girls separately from 5th to 16th July, 2021.
The games will be held in rapid format that follow 15 minutes, plus a 10 second increment per move, per player which will be held over 9 rounds for two days. The tournament shall be played at Tornado platform under video supervision where the players are being watched by the arbiters through zoom.
More than 60 players/students from various schools of Andaman & Nicobar Islands have been registered for this prestigious event in



different age group categories. The U-17 Open & Girls School Chess Championship concluded today in which the players from these Islands have done reasonably well. Shrihaan Karmakar was the top scorer from Andaman who scored five points with five wins, A Arush scored 4.5 points with four wins and a draw, Sayansh Jindal, Lohitaksha & Y Ronnie Ronaldo scored four points each with four wins. Similarly, SPM Tarun scored four points with three wins and two draws, J.S. Virat scored 3.5 points with three wins & a draw and M Tanish scored three points with three wins, a press release from ANCA said.
Meanwhile, the U-10 Open Online National Chess Championship concluded today in which the players from these Islands have done reasonably well. Shrihaan Karmakar was the top scorer from Andaman who scored five points with five wins, A Arush scored 4.5 points with four wins and a draw, Sayansh Jindal, Lohitaksha & Y Ronnie Ronaldo scored four points each with four wins. Similarly, SPM Tarun scored four points with three wins and two draws, J.S. Virat scored 3.5 points with three wins & a draw and M Tanish scored three points with three wins, a press release from ANCA said.

Thunderstorm with lightning likely to occur in Isles

Port Blair, July 4
Thunderstorm with lightning and gusty wind (speed reaching 40-50 kmph) is likely to occur at one or two places over A & N Islands on July 6. On July 7, heavy rain (7-11 cm) is likely to occur at one or two places over A&N Islands. District Emergency Operation Centre at Helpline No. 1070 & Helpline No. 1077. For any emergency/assistance at sea, call Coast Guard SAR Agency at Toll Free number 1554, a press release from Directorate of Disaster Management said.

ONLINE STUDY SCHEDULE ON 05.07.2021

The following study contents is available at Cable TV, Doordarshan as well as in the Education Department's Official YouTube channel 'AN Education Dept Andaman'
The students, parents and all stakeholders are hereby requested to make use of this facility to the maximum extent for the benefit of enhancing teaching-learning activity during this lockdown period.

Class	Subject	Topic	YouTube Link	Media
II	Hindi	Oonth Chala	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dcl4dAPUgKw	All India Radio (9 a.m. - 10 a.m.)
III	English	Good Morning	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LsinyKXINPI	All India Radio (9 a.m. - 10 a.m.)
IV	EVS	Going to School	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QIP5uuQH0D4	All India Radio (9 a.m. - 10 a.m.)
V	Hindi	Fasion ka Tyohaar	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=embxCu4sXns	All India Radio (9 a.m. - 10 a.m.)
VI	Social	The Earth in the Solar System	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YDWsrmmwafY	---
VII	Hindi	Hum panchi Unmukt Gagan Ke	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NAsewFMgV0g	---
VIII	Science	Combustion and Flames-2	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BrGXrmfKslw	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
IX	Social Science	What is Democracy? Why Democracy?	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ARXcZDaTa4	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 10.30 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.
X	Maths	Quadratic Equations -I	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ynDBQnRk0UE	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. / DD 4 p.m.
XI	Maths	Sets-1	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Fs-JaUxo7g	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 11.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
XII	Biology	Human Reproduction -2	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8w9T8jVW0us	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 12 Noon and 8 p.m. / DD 4.30 p.m.
XII	Business Studies	Capital Structure	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=95Gw7mP2fw	Cable TV (City Cable TV) 12.30p.m. and 8.30 p.m.

Students who have missed the classes on Doordarshan/Cable TV can access the same contents on the department's online repository at <https://educationssis.andaman.gov.in/OnlineClass.aspx>

STAY SAFE WITH AGE OLD WISDOM OF AYURVEDA

AYUSH Home Remedies for Dry Cough/Sore Throat

Steam inhalation with fresh Mint leaves/caraway seeds can be practiced once in a day

Clove powder mixed with natural sugar/honey can be taken two to three times a day

Consult a Doctor if the symptoms persist

Directorate of Health Services and Andaman & Nicobar State AYUSH Society, A & N Administration

Let's Promote CHALLENGE
To Fight against COVID-19

Follow **3** EASY RULES

Handwash, Gargling, Steam

Stay Protected! Stay Safe from Coronavirus

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PBMC CONTROL ROOM

**ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
SECRETARIAT**

Port Blair, dated the 21st June, 2021.

PRESS NOTE

It is brought to notice of all concerned that the Draft Recruitment Rules for amendment to the post of Principal in the establishment of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Pahargaon, Port Blair is uploaded in the A&N Administration's website www.andaman.gov.in inviting claims/objections (if any), from the stakeholders on the Draft Recruitment Rules. The claims/objections or comments may be submitted to the undersigned within 30 (thirty) days from the date of publication of this Press Note. No claims and objections will be entertained after 30 (thirty) days of publication of this Press Note.

Assistant Secretary (Hr.Edn.)
F.No.8-36/2020/D-IV

**MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(Department of Higher Education)**

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the June, 2021.

G.S.R..... In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, with the approval of UPSC vide their letter No..... and in supersession of Notification No.96 dated 19th June, 2006, the President hereby makes the following rules regulating the method of recruitment to the Group 'A' post of Principal in the establishment of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Pahargaon under the Andaman & Nicobar Administration, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement:-

(i) These rules may be called the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Pahargaon under the Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Group 'A' post of Principal in Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Pahargaon Recruitment Rules-2020.

(ii) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the official Gazette.

2. Number of posts, classification and pay band and grade pay or pay scale:-

The number of post, its classification and pay band and grade pay or pay scale attached thereto shall be as specified in columns (2) to (4) of the said Schedule.

3. Method of recruitment, age-limit, qualifications etc.:-

The method of recruitment, age-limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said post shall be as specified in column (5) to (13) of the Schedule aforesaid.

4. Disqualification :- No person:-

- a) Who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living; or
- b) Who, having a spouse living has entered into or contracted marriage with any person, shall be eligible for appointment to the said post:

Provided that the Central Government may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

1. Initial Constitution:-

The incumbents holding the post of Principal/Director at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology under Andaman and Nicobar Administration, Pahargaon, Port Blair on regular basis vide MHRD Office Order No. 4-10/2010-TS-II dated 20.12.2011 before the commencement of these rules shall be deemed to have been appointed in accordance with the provisions of these rules.

6. Power to relax:-

Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, by order, for reasons to be recorded in writing and in consultation with the Union Public Service Commission relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

4. Saving:-

Nothing in these rules shall affect reservation, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, ex-Servicemen and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Government from time to time in this regard.

Joint Secretary (Admn.)

SCHEDULE

S.No.	Parameter	Proposed RR
1	Name of the Post	Principal
2	No. of Post	01 * 2020 (subject to variation depended on work load)
3	Classification	General Central Services Group 'A', Gazetted, Non Ministerial
4	Pay Band and Grade Pay/ Pay Scale	Level 14 Rs. 144200- Rs. 224100/- (AICTE Pay Matrix 2019)
5	Whether selection post or non-selection post	Selection
6	Age limit for direct recruitment	Not exceeding 50 years (relaxable for Govt. Servants upto 5 years in accordance with instructions / order issued by the Central Govt.). Note:- The crucial date of determining the age limit shall be advertised by UPSC/SSC
7	Educational and other qualifications required for the direct recruits	AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 5.2(f) (Page No. 14 to 15/Crs.) Direct Recruitment a) Ph. D. degree and First Class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch. b) At least two successful Ph.D. guided as supervisor / Co-Supervisor and minimum 8 research publications in SCI journals / UGC/ AICTE approved list of journals. c) Minimum 15 years of experience in teaching / research/industry, out of which at least 3 years shall be at the post equivalent to that of Professor. Notes: 1. This position shall be of contractual in nature for 5 years and can be extended for one more term depending upon the performance. 2. Performance assessment shall be carried out through a committee appointed by the affiliating University. 3. After completing the final term, the incumbent shall join back his / her parent organization in the previous designation from he / she has proceeded with the designation as Professor /Senior Professor as the case may be.

S.No.	Parameter	Proposed RR
		NOTE 1: Existing incumbents recruited as a Faculty with the basic minimum qualifications such as M.Sc.(Mathematics), M.Sc.(Biotechnology), M.Sc. (Electronics), M.Sc. (Computer Science & allied subjects), M.Sc. (Physics), M.Sc. (Chemistry), MCA, PGDM, AMIE /M. Com and any other similar qualifications which were considered eligible at the time of recruitment or taken admission in such courses before publication of the AICTE Gazette dated 13th March 2010 are to be considered as eligible for promotion as well as direct recruitment in the same or other institutions, subject to fulfillment of other eligibility criteria and higher qualifications as prescribed, if any, for various teaching posts. [AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 7.5 (Page No. 17/Crs.)] NOTE 2: (i). The exact branch of engineering in which the educational qualification and experience are required, will be indicated at the time of recruitment, [May refer AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 7.4 (Page No. 17/Crs.)] (ii) Equivalence for Ph.D is based on publication of 5 International Journal papers, each Journal having a cumulative impact index of not less than 2.0, with incumbent as the main author and all 5 publications being in the, authors' area of specialization. Alternatively, the person should have obtained at least two patents or contributed to the increased productivity in the place of work recognized at state or national level of elected as a Fellow of any of the national academies. However, the procedure of providing equivalence shall be devised by concerned affiliating university. [May refer AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 7.2(Page No. 16/Crs.)]

(iii) Experience at diploma institutions is also considered equivalent to experience in degree level institutions at appropriate level and as applicable provided scale of pay, qualification, experience and research contribution are same for the post under consideration as per AICTE notification dated 01.03.2019[May refer AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 2.26 (Page No-08/Crs)].
Future, count of past service will be as per clause 2.25 of AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019
iv) If a Class or division is not awarded, minimum of 60 percent marks in aggregate shall be considered equivalent to first class or division. If a Grade point is adopted the Grade Point Average will be converted into equivalent marks as below

Grade Point	Equivalent
6.25	55 percent
6.75	60 percent
7.25	65 percent
7.75	70 percent
8.25	75 percent

[May refer AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019, Clause 7.3 (Page No-16/Crs)].

8	Whether Age and Educational qualification prescribed for direct recruit will apply in case of promotees?	Not Applicable
9	Period of probation, if any	No Probation
10	Method of Recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or deputation/ absorption and percentage of the post to be filled by various methods	Direct Recruitment- On Contractual Basis
11	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ absorption, grades from which promotion/ deputation / transfer, grades from which promotion or deputation/ absorption is to be made	a) Deputation basis: i) Holding an analogous posts on regular basis ii) with 03 year's regular service in posts in the Level 14 as per AICTE Notification (Degree) 2019 and b) possessing the educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits under para 7 (May refer Clause 3.11.4 of DoPT - Notification dated 31.12.2010, Page No. 103/Crs.)
12	If a DPC exist, what is its composition	Group 'A' DPC (for confirmation of Direct Recruits): 1. Chief Secretary, A & N Admn. - Chairman 2. Secretary (Edn), A & N Admn. - Member 3. Secretary (Law), A & N Admn. - Member
13	Circumstances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment	Consultation with UPSC is necessary on each occasion

Responsibilities of Principal

Responsibilities include:

Reporting only to the top Management (Chairman and Secretary Education) of the institute and assisting them in the following functions of the institute.

1. Regulation / Monitoring
2. Development Functions
3. Strategic Functions
4. Leadership Functions
5. Visionary Functions

Regulation / Monitoring:

One of the important responsibilities of a Principal is regulation of academic and general administration and monitoring the systems, policies, procedures and functioning of the institution so as to fulfill the expectations of the governmental monitoring bodies such as All India Council for Technical Education, Department of Technical Education and the University; along with the expectations of the top management; students and their parents. The following are some of the important responsibilities coming under this category.

1. Monitoring the functioning of the academic and administrative staff and to see that they fulfill all their responsibilities as prescribed.
2. Monitoring the conduct of both administrative and academic staff in terms of their regularity, discipline and conduct.
3. Monitoring the student discipline and conduct (including attendance) and maintaining the decorum of the institution.
4. Monitoring effective teaching as per the prescribed curriculum and as per the teaching /institutional methodology suggested by the University / AICTE / Management.
5. Monitoring all the procedures to be followed by the office which include admission, fee collection, attendance, recruitment, salary payments, purchases and procurements, accounts and audit and any such other matter related to the administration of the college.
6. Monitoring all the liaisoning activities within the Institute & also governmental, corporate and other academic bodies / institutions.
7. Monitoring the conduct of meetings on behalf of institutions which include the meetings of staff, HoDs, Coordinators, College Academic Council and the Governing Council. Monitoring the procurement and purchase of the entire necessary infrastructure like furniture & fittings, lab equipment, books and any such other requirement for the institution as per the prescribed procedures.
8. Monitoring the auditing and inspections of the institution conducted by the regulator bodies such as AICTE, government, and university apart from the ones conducted by the top management.
9. Maintaining the infrastructure of the institution with the help of concerned staff and protecting the life and property of all those connected with the institution.
10. Maintaining cordial relations with all stakeholders who are connected to the institution both directly and indirectly.

Developmental Functions:

Principal also needs to take-up developmental functions which are very important for the development of the institution. The following are some of the developmental functions to be taken up by the Principal.

1. The Principal needs to locate, contact, attract and recruit the right kind of the faculty members suitable for the institution keeping in view the future needs of the institution.
2. Nurturing and facilitating the faculty and giving all the necessary guidance and support.
3. Identifying the core competencies of the institution either existing or probabilistic and projecting these core competencies.
4. Focusing on building an image for the institution at an overall level or in terms of a particular strength either in terms of a department or activities.
5. Developing the working and learning culture in the institution.
6. Developing the necessary infrastructure most importantly the library, laboratory with international ambience.

Strategic Functions

Principal needs to shoulder various strategic functions which are aimed at developing network and develop alliances which pay rich dividends in long term. The following are some of the strategic functions.

1. Developing a strong association with industry, research and consultancy establishments and signing Memorandum of Understandings aimed at improving specific strengths of the college.
2. Developing a strong industry support and getting the industrialists and business people on the governing council and other advisory bodies of the college.
3. Contributing to various governmental and non-governmental agencies resources from the side of the institution so as to gain long term association and commitment from these bodies.

Leadership Functions:

These are in fact the most critical functions of a Principal of an academic institution. With the fulfillment of these functions, the Principal will exhibit the true qualities of a leader by being a role model to all his / her colleagues. The following are some of the leadership functions.

1. The Principal shall Prove oneself as an excellent teacher and prove as one of the best among all his colleagues.
2. Take-up research, publication, consultancy & training and establish credentials as academician of international standard so as to gain acceptability among all the faculty members being a true academic leader.
3. To set high standards of discipline, commitment and involvement in-work pattern.
4. To inspire all his / her colleagues towards the achievement of the goals of the organization and leading them from the forefront.
5. Work with the staff at the ground level and understanding the problems and concerns of all the colleagues and taking care of their requirements.

Visionary Functions:

These functions are the ultimate functions of a Principal. The following are some of the visionary functions.

1. Developing a long term model for the institution and working for realizing this vision in close association with the top management.
2. Taking steps at regular intervals which facilitate towards realizing the vision.
3. Establishing necessary systems, procedures, and policies facilitating towards realizing the vision,
4. Under each of the heads mentioned above, the Principal could take up many more functions suiting to the requirement and needs to the institution from time to time.

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Ayurveda Preventive Measures for self care during COVID-19 Pandemic

In the wake of current spike in COVID-19 cases, enhancing the body's natural defense system (immunity) is important in maintaining optimum health. The Ministry of Ayush recommends the following self-care guidelines modified as per the available evidence for improving immunity.

Recommended Measures

I. General Measures

1. Drink lukewarm water frequently.
2. Spices like Haldi (Turmeric), Jeera (Cumin), Dhaniya (Coriander), Saunth (Dry ginger) and Lahsun (Garlic) are recommended in cooking.
3. Consumption of fresh Amla fruit (Indian gooseberry) or Amla products.
4. Gargling with warm water added with a pinch of turmeric and salt.
5. Food should be freshly prepared, and easily digestible.
6. Daily practice of Yogasana, Pranayama and meditation for at least 30 minutes as advised by the Ministry of Ayush National Clinical Management Protocol for COVID-19 prophylaxis.
7. Take adequate sleep (7-8 hours) and avoid day time sleep.

II. Ayurvedic Immunity Promoting Measures

Option-1:

1. Consume Chyavanprash 20 gm in divided doses on empty stomach with lukewarm water.
2. Golden Milk- Half teaspoon Haldi (turmeric) powder in 150 ml hot milk - once or twice a day.

Option-2:

1. Take Guduchi Ghanvati 500 mg/ Ashwagandha tablet 500 mg twice daily after meals with lukewarm water.
2. Golden Milk- Half teaspoon Haldi (turmeric) powder in 150 ml hot milk - once or twice a day.

Option-3:

1. Drink herbal tea/decoction (Kadha) made from 3 gm powder comprising Tulasi (Basil)-4 part, Dalchini (Cinnamon)-2 part, Shunthi (Dry Ginger)-2, Kalimirch (Black pepper)-1 part, mixed in 150ml hot boiled water once or twice a day. Add Gud (Jaggery)/Munakka (Raisin)/Choti Elaichi (Cardamom) to improve taste and flavor.

Note: Vasa (Malabar nut), Yashtimadhu (Licorice root), Guduchi (Giloy), may be added as per the Constitution (Prakriti) of individual/ Seasonal changes/ Geographical variation in consultation with Ayurveda Physicians.

2. Golden Milk- Half teaspoon Haldi (turmeric) powder in 150 ml hot milk once or twice a day.

III. Simple Ayurvedic Procedures

1. Nasal application - Apply Sesame oil / Coconut oil/ Cow Ghee or Anu Taila in both the nostrils in morning and evening.
2. Oil pulling therapy- Take 1 table spoon sesame oil or coconut oil in the mouth. Do not drink, swish in the mouth for 2 to 3 minutes and spit it off followed by warm water rinse. This can be done once or twice a day.

IV. During dry cough /sore throat

1. Steam inhalation with plain water OR fresh Pudina (Mint) leaves OR Ajwain (Caraway seeds) OR Karpur (Camphor) can be practiced once in a day.
2. Lavang (Clove)/Mulethi (Licorice) powder mixed with natural sugar/honey can be taken 2-3 times a day in case of cough or throat irritation.

* These measures generally treat normal dry cough and sore throat. However, it is best to consult qualified physicians if these symptoms persist.

The above measures can be followed to the extent possible as per an individual's convenience.

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