Symbiosis College of Nursing (SCON) PG PROSPECTUS 2024-25

Profile of the Director



Dr. Sonopant G Joshi
Director
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Dr. Sonopant G. Joshi - M.Sc. (N), M.Sc. (DM), Ph.D. has qualified P.C.B.Sc. (N) from Institute of Nursing Education J. J. Hospital, Mumbai. He completed his Doctorate in Management from Tilak Maharashtra University. He is an alumnus of Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University where he completed his masters in Community Health Nursing and a master's degree in Disaster Management. He has a commendable 32 years of rich teaching and admin experience. Dr. Joshi is one of the trained NAAC assessors and is the Member Secretary of the Institutional Ethics Committee – Symbiosis International University. He also is a visiting professor at the Kent State University, USA. He is a crucial member of professional bodies like Asian Association of Agricultural Medicine and Rural Health India (AAAMRHI), Indian Association of Occupational Health Nursing (IAOHN), Trained Nurses Association of India and the Society of Midwives India (SOMI). He has been awarded with prestigious honors like the Best Researcher Award by the Trained Nurses Association of India - 2020; The Scroll of Honor at the International Conference - Dubai -2017 and the Gold medal of Bombay Ambulance College – Mumbai – Specialist Instructors Course in First Aid –1998. Dr. Joshi is a Reviewer & Editorial Board Member of National/International Journals and has to his credit many SCOPUS indexed publications. He has written chapters in books published by IGI Global publication. He has written book titled 'Disaster Management for Health Care Professionals', which is popular among Nursing and Management students. He has published 35 research papers in various National and International Journals of High repute among these his 18 papers are in SCOPUS indexed journals. He was invited as a speaker at an International Conference in LONDON where he spoke on 'Challenges of Higher Education in India' in Oct 2018. He has completed funded research project in 2019. He is life member of various professional organizations. Presently he is also a Ph.D. supervisor of Symbiosis International University under public Health domain with 08 Ph.D. scholars including 02 International research scholars under his guidance.

Institute Profile

Symbiosis College of Nursing (SCON) was established in the year 2007 with an aim to create leaders in the nursing profession by providing unique, innovative Programme that are responsive to the market needs. SCON is recognized by Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi and Maharashtra Nursing Council, Mumbai & affiliated to Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune. SCON runs programmes like Bachelor of Science (Nursing), Post Basic Bachelor of Science (Nursing), Master of Science (Nursing) and Ph.D. (Nursing). The programme offered by SCON ensures numerous career avenues for a graduate and a postgraduate in the healthcare industry across the world. Symbiosis College of Nursing (SCON) is attached to the parent hospital - Symbiosis University Hospital & Research Centre (SUHRC) to provide necessary 'hands-on' clinical and para-clinical experience necessary for the students pursuing hospital based academic Programmes. Symbiosis College of Nursing thus aims to create a benchmark in nursing education in India. The overall aim of nursing programme is to prepare a graduate nurse to work as a frontline worker in the clinical, community areas, research facilities & educational arena. SCON is recognized as one of the top 10 promising Nursing Colleges by the highereducation review.com in the year 2018 and also is featured on Telegraph Online Edugraph as the best nursing institution in India in the year 2023.

Programme Profile:

Name of the Programme: Master of Science (Nursing)

Intake: 25 students

Specialties offered:

- 1) Medical Surgical Nursing 05 Seats
- 2) Obstetrics and Gynaecological Nursing 05 Seats
- 3) Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing 10 Seats
- 4) Community Health Nursing 05 Seats

Duration of the programme: 2 years' full time.

Selection Process:

- 1) College level Entrance Test
- 2) Personal Interview (PI)

IMORTANT: It is the responsibility of the candidates to ascertain whether they possess the requisite qualifications for admission. Having been admitted provisionally does not mean acceptance of eligibility. Symbiosis International (Deemed University) will decide final eligibility before admission.

Reservation of Seats: As per University norms.

Important Dates:

Activity	Date
Programme Registration Begins	April 01, 2024
Last date of Online registration	July 15, 2024
Last Date of payment of Registration fees	July 15, 2024
Written exam + Personal Interview	July 16, 2024
Announcement of First Merit list	July 17, 2024
Last date for payment of fees for candidates in the first merit list	Aug 01, 2024
Programme Commencement	Oct 01, 2024

^{*}Disclaimer: These dates are tentative and subject to change. If there are any changes in the important dates, it will be reflected on Institute website: www.scon.edu.in time to time.

Eligibility: As per Indian Nursing Council requirements

- The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife or equivalent with any State Nursing Registration Council.
- The minimum educational qualification shall be the passing of B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. (Hons.) Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing with minimum of 55% aggregate marks from an institution recognized by Indian Nursing Council.
- One year of work experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- Minimum one year of work experience prior or after Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- Candidate should be medically fit.
- 5% relaxation of marks for SC/ST candidates is given.

Documents required at the time of Admission

- Certificate of passing the qualifying examination.
- Mark list of 10th, 12th standard and qualifying examination.
- Transfer Certificate or School Leaving Certificate.
- Requisite Caste certificate issued by the competent authority, if applying for admission against reserved category.
- 'Gap' Certificate, if applicable.
- Certificate of change of name, if applicable, supported by documentary evidence like Government Gazette Notification.
- Character/Conduct Certificate.
- Experience Certificate and Relieving Order of the previous organisation.
- Aadhaar Card
- PAN card.

- Ration Card
- Birth Certificate
- Marriage Certificate in original.
- NOC from the Government organisation (in case the candidate is a government employee)

Orientation

Orientation to the programme is offered during the Induction programme. The programme is divided into Theory and Clinical blocks.

Theory

It is mandatory for the students to attend the classes in the college as well as at clinical field as per the course structure.

- Lecture cum demonstration,
- Seminars,
- Panel discussion,
- Field visits,
- Research Projects
- Online lectures using Microsoft teams, Google Meet, Zoom, Schoology etc.,

Clinical Field

Students are expected to write patient oriented assignments as outlined in the Programme Structure. Teaching pedagogies used in the clinical area for training are:

- Simulation
- Bed side clinics
- Case presentations
- Case studies
- Procedure demonstrations
- Projects

Teaching and learning Resources:

- ICT enabled classrooms
- Nursing Laboratories
- SCHS: Skill based and competency driven centre to align with the National agenda of skill development for quality education and skill development.

Library details:

SCON has a splendid learning resource center.

DETAILS OF LIBRARY COLLECTION

Sr. No.	Item type	Number
1.	Text Books	4285
2.	Reference Books	525
3.	General Books	600
	Total no. of collection	5410

Total Titles- 2749

Sr. No.	Item type	Number
1.	Denoted Books	213

JOURNALS, MAGAZINES AND DATABASES DETAILS

Item (PRINT)	Number
Total no. of journal (International)	5
Total no. of journal (National)	10
Magazine (print)	3
Total	18

Item (ONLINE)	Number
E-Journals (DELNET/EBSCO)	278
E-Books (DELNET)	375
E-Resources & databases	13
Total	666

Online databases:

- 1. Question Pro
- 2. Sage Research Methods core
- 3. Pearson E-book
- 4. E Research
- 5. EndNote (Service) 2016-17
- 6. Turnitin
- 7. Scopus
- 8. Jstor
- 9. Frost & Sullivan
- 10. Web of Science
- 11. Emerald Management E-Journal
- 12. Elsevier: Science direct Management
- 13. EBSCO

SCON has a book bank to help the poor and the needy students to cultivate the reading habit on nursing without spending from their pockets. Books are issued on loan basis for a whole year of study.

Facilities all as per INC norms

- 1) Class rooms for all 8 Batches
- 2) Common Rooms (for males and females)
- 3) Laboratories
 - a) Computer Lab
 - b) Nursing Foundation Lab with Simulation facility
 - c) Nutrition Lab
 - d) OBG and Pediatric lab with Simulation facility
 - e) Pre-clinical lab
 - f) Community Health Nursing Lab
 - g) AV aids
- 4) Conference Room
- 5) Multipurpose Hall
- 6) Library
- 7) Hostel
 - 3-sharing
 - Dormitory
 - Pantry
 - Record Room
 - Guest Room attach Toilet
 - Sick Room
 - Facilities for Indoor Games
 - Play Ground
 - Fire extinguisher
 - Facilities for Drying Clothes
 - Adequate & suitable furniture for each Area.
 - Adequate & safe Water supply
 - Hot Water Supply
 - Electricity/Inverter/Generator
 - Laundry
 - Safe disposal of Waste
 - Telephone Facilities.

Address of the New Campus

Symbiosis College of Nursing (SCON) Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Campus 4th Floor, Building No. 4, Hill Base,

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INSTITUTE PHOTOGRAPHS

MAIN ENTRANCE



MULTI-PURPOSE HALL



CONFERENCE HALL



CLASSROOM





NUTRITIONAL LAB





AUDIO VISUAL LAB







LIBRARY





FOUNDATION LAB





MCH IAB





Child Health Nursing lab





Community Health Nursing Lab



