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PART 1: NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF PHARMACEUTICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (NIPERs)

The Government of India, through Acts of Parliament, established NIPERs as “Institutes of National Importance” for imparting higher education, enabling research and development in Pharmaceutical Sciences. The following NIPERs function independently at different geographical locations in the country (in alphabetical order).

S.No.	Name of the NIPER	Official Website
1	NIPER Ahmedabad	https://niperahm.ac.in/
2	NIPER Guwahati	https://niperguwahati.ac.in/
3	NIPER Hajipur	https://www.niperhajipur.ac.in/
4	NIPER Hyderabad	http://www.niperhyd.ac.in/
5	NIPER Kolkata	https://www.niperkolkata.edu.in/
6	NIPER Mohali	https://niper.gov.in/
7	NIPER Raebareli	https://niperraebareli.edu.in/

The main objectives of NIPERs are to:

- Nurture and promote quality and excellence in pharmaceutical education and research.
- Offer Master’s and Doctoral programmes in the area of pharmaceutical and allied sciences.
- Develop a multi-disciplinary approach in carrying out research and training to generate academia and industry ready human resources.
- Act as a nucleus for interaction between academics and industry by undertaking sponsored, funded research and consultancy projects.

1.1 NIPER Ahmedabad



NIPER Ahmedabad (NIPER-A), an Institute of National Importance, is a centrally funded leading pharmaceutical and medical research and education institute established in the year 2007 under the aegis of the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India.

NIPER-A is recognized as home to state-of-the-art research and teaching facility with high-end industry-oriented instrumentation facility, Animal cell culture facility, Animal house and well-equipped interactive classrooms. NIPER-A at Gandhinagar has a lush green campus with on-campus boys' and girls' hostel, canteen and sports facility. NIPER-A has an outstanding track record of producing pharmacy professionals to serve the country. Presently, NIPER-A offers Master's and PhD programs in the Departments of Biotechnology, Natural Products, Pharmaceutics, Pharmaceutical Analysis, Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmacology & Toxicology, and Medical Devices.

NIPER-A was recognized by the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemical and Fertilizers to host a Center of Excellence in medical devices to cater to the need of domestic industries in developing indigenous medical devices, their testing and manpower training. The center is focused on developing implants, diagnostics and drug-device combinations.

NIPER-A with the support of BIRAC-DBT has also established a central bio-incubator facility that facilitates young pharmaceutical companies and young entrepreneurs to access research laboratories, technology platforms, specific services in management and even networking opportunities.

NIPER-A has highly competitive and experienced faculties with significant R&D

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experience from leading national and international universities and industries. NIPER-A faculty has been recognized as fellows by the national societies and are listed in top 2 % scientist of the world as per list released by Elsevier in the category of pharmacology and pharmacy. They have received numerous competitive research grants/projects from various government, non-government and international funding agencies. NIPER-A collaborates in R&D sectors with prestigious industries like Zydus Life Sciences, Sahjanand Medical Technologies (SMT), Nestle, Novartis India, Novugen Pharma, Oncogen Pharma, Novartis Healthcare Pvt. Ltd., Switzerland, Sahajanand Laser Technology Limited, Intas Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Sun Pharma, Mumbai, Green Surgicals, and Johnson & Johnson India, etc. Institute has established research collaborations and MoU with world's best educational institutes like INSERM France, University of Prince Edward Island Canada, Leicester school of pharmacy, De Montfort University Leicester (DMU), UK, IIT-Kanpur, IIT-Gandhinagar, Gujarat Biotechnology Research Centre (GBRC), SVNIT, Surat, CSIR-IICT Hyderabad, AIIMS Jodhpur and AIIMS Bhopal.

Students at NIPER-A have opportunity to understand the ecosystem of these leading industries and academic institutes, and have opportunity to work in joint research projects. NIPER-A team has an outstanding track record of publishing in high impact journals, and filing patents. Additionally, NIPER-A students get numerous opportunities of professional development by taking courses that are designed to enhance knowledge in pharmaceutical and biomedical sciences. Numerous students of NIPER-A have been honoured and awarded with various national and international awards.

The aim of NIPER-A is to establish state-of-the art facility to cater emerging educational and research needs of the state and country in the areas of APIs, novel formulations, biotechnological products, natural products, diagnostics and polymeric medical devices. The Institute envisages establishment of drug and medical devices testing facilities that will ensure support to the small and medium pharma industries and generate revenue for the Institute.

NIPER-A lays its commitment in building human resource for promoting research and development in the country and contribute towards '**Make in India**' and '**Atmanirbhar Bharat**' initiatives as a part of its national responsibility.

Further information about NIPER-A can be accessed through the Institute's official website (<https://www.niperahm.ac.in/>).

1.2 NIPER Guwahati



National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) by the Ministry of Education (MoE) 2025 has ranked NIPER Guwahati at 12th position amongst the Pharma Institutes in India. NIPER-Guwahati is the fifth Institute to be included in the list of the premier institutes under the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India. NIPER-Guwahati started functioning in September 2008 under the mentorship of Gauhati Medical College and Hospital. NIPER Guwahati is currently located in its permanent campus at Changsari (District-Kamrup, North Guwahati, Assam) with nine important departments viz., Pharmacology and Toxicology, Biotechnology, Pharmacy Practice, Pharmaceutics, Pharmaceutical Analysis, Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmaceutical Technology (Formulations), Medical Devices (also offering PG Diploma in Medical Devices), and Biopharmaceuticals. The Institute offers Master's and Doctoral courses for the Academic year 2026-27.

NIPER Guwahati's vision is to be an institution of excellence in promoting high-standard pharmaceutical education & research through the dissemination of knowledge for the ultimate benefit of society and the pharmaceutical industries. NIPER Guwahati focuses on research efforts spanning from drug discovery to drug delivery, based on cutting-edge translational pharmaceutical research, along with the medicinal value of local plants/herbs of the North East Region against various diseases. This institute has 10 premiere National Centres namely, (i) "GMP accredited Pilot Scale Extraction facilities for development of Herbal or Phytopharmaceutical products from the Medicinal Plants of NE India" (funded by Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt. of India); (ii) "Quality Assessment & Value Addition Centre for herbal industry in the North Eastern States of India" (funded by Ministry of Commerce, Govt. of India); (iii) National Centre for Pharmacoengineering (sponsored by DST, Govt. of India.); (iv) BIRAC-Bio NEST Incubation Centre (supported by BIRAC-DBT, Govt. of India), (v) Centre of Excellence in Tribal Health (sponsored by Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India); (vi) Advanced Computer-aided Design Centre (funded by MeITY, Govt. of India); (vii) Establishment of Animal Breeding and GLP Accredited Biological Screening and Toxicology Centre

(Funded by STINER Program, the Ministry of Development of North eastern Region (Do NER), Govt. of India), (viii) Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring Centre (supported by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India); (ix) Atal Incubation Centre (supported by Atal Innovation Mission, NITI Ayog, Govt. of India), and (x) Centre of Excellence on Phyto-pharmaceuticals and Herbal Products (supported by the DoP under PRIP Scheme). This is the first NIPER to receive such National centres/CoEs awarded by different Ministries.

SUPER COMPUTER PARAM EMBRYO @ NIPER-G: Students of NIPER-G have a unique opportunity and exposure to PARAM EMBRYO supercomputing HPC infrastructure housed in the Advanced Centre for Computer-Aided Drug Design (ACAD) at NIPER-G. It contains peak performance of 312 Teraflops for CPU and 1500 Teraflops of GPU computing power. Additionally, NIPER-G offers training in drug design, machine learning, database, web server development, and other pharmaceutical applications of AI (predictions of drug toxicity and drug and material properties). ACAD regularly organizes conferences, workshops, and training sessions to keep skills up-to-date and relevant to developments in research and job markets.

In NIPER Guwahati, more than 95% of the students are placed in various key Pharma Industries and rest opted for higher studies in premier Educational Institutions in India and abroad. The institute organized many conference/seminars/workshops, multiple outreach programs including Skill Development Programmes, and Science Societal Responsibility Workshops, etc., organized more than 100 lectures by Eminent National & International Speakers, entered into more than 60 MoUs with premier Institutes/Industries. In the last five academic years, i.e. from 2020-25, NIPER Guwahati had several significant achievements and the highlights areas follows: (a) Induction of young and dynamic faculty, (b) Established state of the art highly sophisticated analytical facilities with advanced instruments, (c) published more than 600 publications, (d) granted 11 Indian Patents, & 3 copyrights, filed 20 Patents, & 3 copyrights, (e) Guidance of Master Students projects by National and International faculties, (f) International Travel Awards, National Awards/Recognitions received by our Ph.D. & Master Students, (g) Secured more than 40 numbers of Government-sponsored Extramural Research Projects from DBT, DST, SERB, BIRAC, NMHS, ICMR, DRDO, etc., worth more than Rs.30 crores.

NIPER Guwahati provides separate hostel facilities for girls and boys (Note: It is mandatory for all Master's and PhD scholars to stay in the hostel provided by the Institute. If a student chooses to stay outside the campus, no House Rent Allowance (HRA) will be provided, as per Institute norms.). The hostels are well furnished, secured with state of the art facilities like NKN along with dual ISP 24x7 high-speed internet facility, gymnasiums, cafeterias, etc. NIPER Guwahati also encourages students to participate in Intra- and Inter-NIPER sports and other extracurricular activities to build confidence among them and make robust networking with other NIPERs students. It has its own permanent campus (after S.A.S. Nagar, Mohali) at Changsari, Kamrup (R), Guwahati, which is strategically located between AIIMS Guwahati and IIT Guwahati campus and students will have a unique opportunity to work in both medical and technological institutes in a

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collaborative mode. Newly admitted students will get an opportunity to initiate their quality education, advanced research career at the new campus with excellent hostel facilities & amenities, library facility, computer facility, central animal house facility, cell-culture facility, small-scale/pilot-scale industrial work shop facility, incubation facility, modern ized digital classroom facility, etc., in a green, clean & plastic-free campus. NIPER Guwahati is striving relentlessly to become an institute of excellence & eminence in promoting global standard Pharmaceutical Education & Research through the dissemination of knowledge for the ultimate benefit of the society and pharmaceutical industries.

Further information about NIPER Guwahati can be accessed through the institute's official website. (<https://www.niperguwahati.ac.in>).

1.3 NIPER HAJIPUR



Academic Block

Boys Hostel



New Girls Hostel

New Academic Block

About NIPER Hajipur

NIPER Hajipur was established in 2007 under the aegis of the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India, under the Parliament Act: NIPER Act 1998. In the year 2021, NIPER Hajipur attained the status of an “Institute of National Importance”. Its primary objectives are to provide excellence in pharmaceutical education and to conduct research for addressing the societal needs. NIPER Hajipur focuses on higher education and cutting-edge research in pharmaceutical science and its related fields.

The institute offers postgraduate (MS/M.Pharm/M.Tech) and doctoral (PhD) degrees in various specializations for the academic year 2026-27, as follows,

1. M. S. (Pharm) and Ph.D. in Pharmacology & Toxicology
2. M.Tech. and Ph.D. in Biotechnology
3. M.S. (Pharm) and Ph.D. in Pharmaceutics
4. M.S. (Pharm) and Ph.D. in Pharmaceutical Analysis
5. M. Pharm. and Ph.D. in Pharmacy Practice
6. M.Tech. & Ph.D. in Biopharmaceuticals
7. M.S. (Pharm) in Pharmaceutical Regulatory Sciences

Institute's Vision: To be nationally and internationally recognised as a premier Centre of Excellence in teaching, imparting and cutting-edge research in the area of pharmaceutical sciences and allied areas, with emphasis on encouraging entrepreneurship among students and faculty.

Highlights of the Institute

- NIPER Hajipur is ranked at 30th Place in NIRF 2025, which was a significant improvement from previous years.
- Since inception, 746 post-graduate degrees and 34 PhD degrees have been awarded.
- Research output of 690 publications, 26 MoUs and 14 patents has been recorded.
- There are 10 extra-mural research grants received by faculty from ICMR, DST-SERB, DST (Rare disease), CCRUM, DNDi, etc., of a total grant value of Rs. 469.25 lakhs
- The institute has developed state-of-the-art research facilities, including an Animal House, Central Instrumentation Facility, Cell Culture Facility, Pilot-Plant Formulation Unit, Confocal Imaging Facility and advanced cell culture facilities for 3D cell cultures; Organoids and Organ-on-a-chip.
- New building construction and expansion of infrastructure for academic, administration, auditorium and hostels are underway.
- Campus Medical Facility has been created to ensure 24x7 healthcare services.
- *Training and Placement Cell (TPC)* is available to cater for the needs of career development; the institute achieved about 95% placements for the graduated batch of 2025, reflecting strong industry linkage and employability of its graduates
- A significant number of Master's scholars achieved their higher education/research position in the USA, Europe, and National laboratories/Institutions, viz., CSIR-IICB, CSIR-IICT, NIPERs, NITs, NISERs, IITs, PGIMER, IISc, AIIMS, etc.

Programs and Specializations offered

The institute offers postgraduate programs (MS (Pharm.), M.Pharm., and M.Tech.) as well as doctoral (Ph.D.) programs in Pharmacology and Toxicology, Biotechnology, Pharmacy Practice, Pharmaceutics, and Pharmaceutical Analysis. Additionally, the institute is introducing postgraduate degree program (M.S. (Pharm.) in Pharmaceutical Quality & Regulatory Science and restarting the M. Tech in Biopharmaceuticals from the academic year 2026–27. The academic regulations and program structure are governed by the NIPER Act and its Ordinances, while admissions are conducted through NIPER-JEE.

Departments & Research Focus

Pharmacology and Toxicology: The department's goal is to conduct cutting-edge research to provide new insights into these areas. The department aims to foster a rigorous scientific attitude to equip students with the skills essential to serve in drug research and health care-related professions in the most effective manner possible, thereby improving patient quality of life.

Biotechnology: This department started from the inception of the Institute, and is dedicated to conducting research and providing skills to scholars on recombinant DNA technology, drug delivery, stem cell biology, and mechanism study of disease

progression in response to treatment options for cancer, neurodegenerative diseases, leishmaniasis, bacterial/ fungal diseases and rare diseases. The scholars are trained in advanced cell culture techniques such as organoids, spheroids, and organ-on-a-chip models, as well as in the production and purification of therapeutic enzymes, monoclonal antibodies, etc.

Pharmacy Practice: The Department is committed to achieving excellence in education, practice, and research. The primary goal is to equip pharmacists with the knowledge, skills, and values required to provide quality patient care, incorporating evidence-based medicine, critical thinking, and compassion. The department also places strong emphasis on community service and on scholarly, innovative teaching. By fostering a culture of continuous learning and professional development, the department is dedicated to advancing the pharmacy profession and contributing to the wider healthcare community.

Pharmaceutics: The vision of the Department of Pharmaceutics is to establish a state-of-the-art laboratory and to achieve manufacturing excellence in cutting-edge technologies in drug delivery science and pharmaceutical product development, to teach, train, and develop highly skilled manpower for developing national and global healthcare systems. Research focuses are pharmaceutical product development for complex drugs and dosage forms, biopharmaceutics and pharmacokinetics modelling and simulations, and nano-enabled drug delivery systems.

Pharmaceutical Analysis: Committed to excel in precise analytical technologies through adopting advanced analytical techniques, and to ensure the concrete outcome through society's needed research. The focused research areas are mass spectrometry-based proteomics, metabolomics, PTMs, in diagnostic and drug discovery research; AQbD and computational-based LC-MS/MS, GC-MS/MS, HPLC, LC-ICP-MS methods; biological characterisation; stability/impurity/genotoxicity profiling; and phytochemical product standardisation.

Biopharmaceutics: The specialization of Biopharmaceutics at NIPER Hajipur has been established to address national and global needs in the biopharmaceutical sector by imparting high-quality education and training in the design and development of products such as monoclonal antibodies, biosimilars, recombinant proteins, and vaccines. The department focuses on key research areas, including antibody generation via fermentation and hybridoma technology; phage and yeast surface display with antibody engineering; therapeutic protein development using bacterial, fungal, and baculovirus expression systems; and biochemical engineering, fermentation technology, and downstream processing.

Pharmaceutical Quality Science: This specialisation program is planned to be offered from the academic session 2026-27. This program specialises focuses in developing skilled manpower to act as an interface between the pharmaceutical industry and regulatory authorities, with a primary focus on pharmaceuticals, biologicals, medical devices, and cosmetics. This program is planned to be offered through industry collaboration for teaching and training/internship activities. The second year of this program is fully delivered at an industry site through project work/internship with identified mentors from the regulatory affairs division of the pharma/bio-pharma industry. The key focus areas will be registration & approvals,

regulatory intelligence, CMC, handling of pre-clinical and clinical data, compliance strategy to a changing regulatory environment, post-marketing activities, health authority liaison, etc.

Central facilities

Central Instrumentation Facility (CIF): The CIF has been equipped with sophisticated instruments, including UPHLC/Nano-LC-Q-orbitrap MS, GC-MS/MS, LC-ICP MS, ITC, DSC, DLS, Biochemical analyzers, FACS Sorter, Confocal imaging, RT-PCR, Microbial/Mammalian Cell Culture facility, HPLC (Detectors: UV/PDA/RI/FD/ELSD/CAD), Semi-HPLC-PDA/CAD, UV-Visible/FT-IR/NIR (DRS) Spectrometers, Spectrofluorimeter, etc. Also, CIF provides facility support to various researchers from academia, Industry, start-ups, MSMEs, etc., at prescribed charges.

Central Animal House: The state-of-the-art animal facility is housed in a single-level building, as per the requirements of CCSEA, Govt. of India, and is suitable for preclinical experiments in small animals. A regular veterinarian is available to ensure the quality of animal experiments. The animal house is designed to house each animal species in separate rooms, with quarantine areas equipped with an AHU and free of noise and social stress. The facility boasts dedicated imaging equipment, a variety of mazes for behavioural studies, surgical suites for both recovery and non-recovery procedures, IVCs, etc.

Centre of Excellence (CoE) in Biological Therapeutics: The Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilisers, has recognised and funded NIPER-Hajipur to establish the Centre of Excellence for “Biological Therapeutics”, which will function as a separate entity and function under the PRIP scheme. The CoE of NIPER Hajipur aimed to develop cost-effective biosimilars/biologics, such as monoclonal antibodies, therapeutic enzymes, peptides, and small-molecule cocktail products, in collaboration with industry.

1.4 NIPER Hyderabad



NIPER Hyderabad (NIPER-Hy) is one of the leading "Institutes of National Importance" in the area of Pharmaceutical Education & Research. NIPER-Hy has secured 2nd rank under Pharmacy Category in NIRF India rankings 2024 by MoE, Government of India. The Institute has been functioning with a vision to serve as a leading global institution in the field of Higher Education and Research in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Medical Devices and Management. Its mission is to be one of the principal sources of professional manpower in the field and to strengthen the Indian Pharmaceutical industry to obtain quality products at affordable prices. Hyderabad, the capital of Telangana State has emerged as the "Bulk Drug Capital of India" and "Vaccine Capital of the World." Hence, undoubtedly NIPER-Hy has a considerable prime location advantage. Telangana State has nearly 200 Bulk Drug & Intermediate Manufacturing and 400 Formulation Units, Genome Valley and Medical Device Park, most of which are clustered around Hyderabad, spread in a radius of 60 km. The remaining manufacturing units/business enterprises are spread all over Hyderabad, Ranga Reddy, Medak and Nalgonda districts of Telangana. About 35% of US-FDA-approved facilities in India are situated in the State of Telangana. The Pharmaceutical industry in Telangana provides employment directly to more than 1,00,000 people and indirectly to more than 5,00,000 people in India.

NIPER-Hy stands unparallel in both Education and Research in the field of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Medical Devices, & Management. The institute is well equipped with the state-of-the-art facilities for carrying out advanced research in the areas of pharmaceutical importance. Our Central Instrumentation Laboratory is well equipped with sophisticated instruments like NMR, LC-MS, GC-MS, ICP-MS, HPLC, Preparative HPLC, UPLC, FT-IR, FE-SEM, Spray dryer, Ultracentrifuge, Particle size and Zeta analyzer, Hot Stage Microscope, DSC, TGA, Powder XRD, Rheometer, Confocal Laser Scanning Microscope and many more.

A well-established Animal House, Cell Culture Laboratory in addition to BSL 2 and 3 facilities are available in NIPER-Hy, for carrying out advanced research in cancer nanobiology, novel drug screening, and vaccine characterization. The campus also has a Central Library, Computer Laboratories, and a Pharma Innovation and Incubation Centre (Avishkaran- BioNEST). NIPER-Hy has published more than 1200 research papers in peer-reviewed international/national journals, in the field of Drug Discovery, Computer-Aided Drug Designing, Novel Process

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Development for Bulk Drugs, Nanotechnologies in Drug Delivery, Drug Metabolism, and Pharmacokinetic Studies, etc. 30 patents have been filed by the institute, out of which 8 have already been granted. "Many of the faculty members have considerable experience and expertise in carrying out translational projects from concept to commercialization". The institute has received more than 71 research projects from several government funding agencies like DST, DBT, Ayush, ICMR in addition to international funding from University of Manchester-UKIERI, Hebrew University of Jerusalem-Israel, etc. to carry out research in different areas of Pharmaceutical Sciences.

NIPER-Hy has received a large number of industry sponsored projects, providing technological solutions towards R&D challenges. NIPER-Hy Faculties have received several prestigious awards, such as the Angelika Bierhaus award from NEURODIAB, IDMA Young Pharmaceutical Analyst Award, OPPI award, Young Scientist award from Telangana Academy of Sciences, 'FICCI Award of Excellence - Women in R&D, Dr. K. N. Sharma oration award, ICMR-Shakuntala Amir Chand Award etc. Four faculty members have been listed among top 2% World Scientist rankings in the field of Pharmaceutical Sciences. The Institute has established many research collaborations with reputed national and international institutes and universities. We have also entered into MoUs with leading institutes like IIT-BHU, Varanasi, National Institute for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (Ni-MSME), Hyderabad, and National Research Institute of Unani Medicine for Skin Disorders (NRIUMSD), Hyderabad and Research and Innovation Circle of Hyderabad (RICH), Hyderabad.

NIPER-Hy organizes several conferences, symposiums, trainings, webinars, workshops, FDPs, EDPs every year. Students are encouraged to participate in various co-curricular and extra-curricular activities, including events both on and off campus that will enrich their learning experience. NIPER-Hy also boasts of having an excellent placement record. Our students are placed in several leading and prestigious pharmaceutical companies all over India. The major ones include Novartis, Dr. Reddy's Laboratory, Johnson & Johnson, Eli Lilly, Roche Pharma, Ferring, Syngene, Cognizant, Evalueserve, Cipla, Sun Pharma, Credo Life Sciences, Macleods Pharmaceuticals, Sai Life Sciences, GVK Bio, Freyr Solutions, WNS, Vivo Biotech, IQVIA and several others. Every year, 90-100% of the students get placed through campus placements. Many of the students also pursue higher studies in various national and international institutes and universities of repute.

The students of NIPER-Hy are provided accommodation at NIPER hostel (located at IDPL Township), around 2 Km away from NIPER campus situated in Balanagar, Hyderabad. Boys and Girls students are accommodated in two different hostels. Students live in pleasant surroundings of intellectually stimulating environment. The NIPER-Hy campus and hostels are Wi-Fi enabled and have various facilities like gymnasium, cafeteria, and other recreational options. Round the clock security for NIPER hostels and NIPER campus is provided and is monitored by the NIPER Hyderabad administration. **(NOTE: Due to limited available hostel accommodation, only the non-local students from post graduate courses will be given preference).**

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NIPER-Hy has consistently produced excellent results and placements and its alumni can be found in distinguished organizations in India and overseas. In brief, we believe in "Think Big, Act Bold, Start Simple, and Perform to the Best...". If these goals align with yours, you are welcome to NIPER-Hy, and we will help you realize your dreams!

Further information about NIPER-Hy can be accessed through the official website of the institute (<http://www.niperhyd.ac.in/>).

1.5 NIPER Kolkata



National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) by Ministry of Education (MoE) 2025 has ranked NIPER Kolkata (NIPER-K) at 29th position amongst the Pharmacy Institutes in India. NIPER-K was established in 2007 and holds a unique position amongst other NIPERs on two counts: its location in the intellectually vibrant city of Kolkata, and its campuses at Maniktala and Panihati. Being surrounded by a number of national laboratories, well-renowned research institutes, and universities, NIPER-K thrives on collaboration and knowledge exchange. Since its inception, the Institute has been dedicated to nurturing researchers/scholars as future leaders, academicians, and industry personnel who are capable of making a difference in the pharmaceutical academic/industrial sectors. Enduring the principles of integrity, excellence, accountability, and transparency, NIPER-K continues to build a legacy of impact in both national and international scientific arenas.

Objectives

- To provide the highest quality education in the areas of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Biopharmaceuticals and Medical Devices.
- To nurture leaders and train future academicians, entrepreneurs and scientists for the pharmaceutical industry.
- To promote innovative and translational research in new and emerging areas of Pharmaceutical Sciences.
- To establish centers that serve India's pharmaceutical, biopharmaceutical, and medical device industries, while supporting research and teaching.
- To inculcate entrepreneurship by providing industry-institute interaction.

Currently the institute is offering Postgraduate programs in ten departments namely, Medicinal Chemistry, Natural Products, Pharmacoinformatics, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Pharmaceutics, Pharmaceutical Analysis,

Biotechnology, Biopharmaceuticals, Medical Devices & Medical Technology.

Placement: Our students are placed at various Pharmaceutical Industries including Biocon Bangalore, Aragen Hyderabad, Audree (Hetero Group) Hyderabad, Airis Pharma Hyderabad, WNS Gurgaon, Vivo Biotech Hyderabad, Jubilant Bangalore Sravathi Bangalore, Natco Hyderabad, MC Analytics Bangalore, Suven Life Sciences Bangalore, TCG Life Science Kolkata, Sci Life Science Hyderabad, Ferring Pharma Hyderabad, Macleod Mumbai with package of upto 6 Lakh/annum.

MOUs: The Institute has active MOUs with premier academic and research institutes like CSIR-IICT Hyderabad, IISER-Kolkata, CSIR-IICB Kolkata, CSIR-CDRI Lucknow, IBSD Imphal, CSIR-CLRI Chennai, JNCASR-Bangalore, DNDi Geneva, Switzerland, Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea etc. Industrial MOUs include Chembiotech (TCG life Sciences Pvt Ltd.), Kolkata, Vishwa-Syntharo Pharma Chem Pvt. Ltd. Chennai, Clearsynth Labs Ltd., Mumbai, Beyond Antibody LLP, Bangalore, Leumas Fermedicius Labs Private Limited, Bengaluru, Sarvotham Care Ltd. Secunderabad.

Instrumentation Facility: The institute is equipped with state-of-the-art instrumentation facilities necessary for research in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Biopharmaceuticals and Medical Devices, with major instrumentation facilities like NMR, LC-MS, Animal Imaging, confocal microscopy, flow reactor, ultracentrifuge, Spray dryer, Real time PCR, DSC, SEM, TGA, Zetasizer, Rheometer etc. It has its own animal house and cell culture facilities.

Center for Marine Therapeutics: The institute has established Centre for Marine Therapeutics in collaboration with other research institutions to accelerate targeted drug discovery based on marine bioresources and to address the major challenges in the treatment of drug-resistant cancer, bacteria and viruses with a funding support of Rs. 30 Cr from the DST & DoP.

Centre of Excellence on Flow Chemistry and Continuous Manufacturing: NIPER-K is in the process to establish "state-of-art" facility for flow chemistry and continuous manufacturing for the development of quality API and pharmaceutical formulations.

Note: Institute will charge miscellaneous fees for making transportation arrangements from Hostel to Institute. Further information about NIPER-K can be accessed through the official website of the institute (<https://www.niperkolkata.edu.in/>).

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1.6 NIPER Mohali



NIPER Mohali (NIPER-M), is an autonomous institute established under the aegis of Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India. It holds the distinction of being the first national-level institute dedicated to pharmaceutical sciences, with a mission to emerge as a center of excellence for advanced studies and cutting-edge research in the field.

India's pharmaceutical industry is a global leader in the production of generic medicines. To strengthen its position in drug discovery and development while maintaining excellence in formulations and biological sciences, the Government of India recognized the need for a highly skilled talent pool. As a result, NIPER-M was established in 1991 as a registered society under the Societies Registration Act, 1860. Its significance was further solidified when it was granted statutory recognition under the NIPER Act of 1998, officially designating it as an "Institute of National Importance."

NIPER-M is a member of the Association of Indian Universities. Since its inception, 3877 Master's, 873 MBA, and 440 Ph.D. students- The institute is involved in cutting-edge research in various nationally recognized disease areas, very well documented and exemplified by the publication of 3870 research papers and filing of 285 patents, out of which 134 have been granted.

The aims of NIPER Mohali include

1. **Teaching activities:** M. Pharm., M.S. (Pharm.), M. Tech., MBA (Pharm.) courses are being offered. In addition, PhD programmes are run in different disciplines.

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2. **Research and Development activities:** Sponsored research projects/ consultancy / project handling/upscaling.
3. **Support to industry:** The Institute supports the industry through its service centers, viz. Central Instrumentation Laboratory, National Toxicology Centre, Small & Medium Pharmaceutical Industry Centre, Technical Development Centre, National Bioavailability Centre, Centre of Infectious Diseases, CPIE, Library & Information Centre, etc.

NIPER-M offers a diverse range of Master's programs in cutting-edge pharmaceutical and biomedical disciplines. These include Biotechnology, Biopharmaceuticals, Medical Devices, Medicinal Chemistry, Natural Products, Pharmaceutical Analysis, Pharmaceutical Management, Pharmaceutical Technology, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Pharmaceutical Quality & Regulatory Sciences, Pharmaceutics, Pharmacy Practice and Pharmacoinformatics. The institute is dedicated to producing highly skilled postgraduate professionals who contribute significantly to academia and pharmaceutical industries.

The exceptional academic and research excellence of NIPER-M students, at the Master's level, has been widely recognized through numerous prestigious awards and distinctions. Further underscoring its innovation-driven approach, the institute was honored with the Thomson Reuters Innovation Award (Government Sector) in 2011. In addition, several technologies developed within its various centers and departments have been successfully licensed out for industrial applications in the pharmaceutical sector.

In a significant stride toward addressing global health challenges, NIPER-M has recently established a Center of Excellence for Antibacterial and Antiviral Drug Discovery and Diagnostics. This initiative further strengthens the institute's contributions to advanced therapeutic and diagnostic research.

The campus is well-equipped with state-of-the-art scientific infrastructure, fostering an environment conducive to cutting edge research. Additionally, NIPER-M offers modern amenities and separate, well-furnished hostels for male and female students, ensuring a comfortable and enriching academic experience. With its strong academic foundation, industry linkages, and a thriving research ecosystem, NIPER-M continues to play a pivotal role in shaping the future of pharmaceutical sciences and healthcare innovations.

Further information about NIPERM can be accessed through the institute's official website (<https://www.niper.gov.in>).

1.7 NIPER Raebareli



National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER)-Raebareli is an autonomous Institute of National Importance established in 2008 under the aegis of the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilisers, Government of India, to provide leadership in Pharmaceutical Sciences and related interdisciplinary research areas. In the 2025 National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), NIPER-Raebareli has been ranked 17th among Pharmacy institutes in India. Since July 2018, NIPER-Raebareli has been functioning from the transit campus at Sarojini Nagar, Lucknow. The transit campus of NIPER-R spans 5 acres and includes academic and administrative blocks, separate hostel blocks for boys and girls, and a cafeteria. The institute's new campus is nearing completion and spans 48.5 acres, with an additional 52 acres proposed for development in the second phase.

Academic Courses

NIPER-Raebareli offers M.S. (Pharm) programs with the specialisations of M.S. (Pharm) in Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmaceutical Analysis, Pharmaceutics, Regulatory Affairs, Pharmacology and Toxicology, and Regulatory Toxicology, respectively, and two M.Tech. programs in Biotechnology and Medical Devices. It also offers PhD programs in four disciplines, including Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmaceutics, Pharmacology and Toxicology, and Biotechnology.

Thrust Research Area

NIPER-Raebareli is actively working to address therapeutic needs in neglected diseases, including tuberculosis. Various research programs in the Department of Medicinal Chemistry are aimed at the design and synthesis of novel antitubercular agents and at developing treatments for neurodegenerative diseases such as Alzheimer's. The Pharmaceutical Analysis program focuses on developing qualitative and quantitative assessments of the safety and purity of drug molecules through analytical method development, validation, and stability studies using advanced instruments such as 500 MHz NMR, LC-MS, HRMS, HPLC, UV-Vis, and FTIR. The Department of Pharmaceutics is actively engaged in

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creating nanoformulations for BCS class II & IV drugs and peptides. The primary objective of developing these nanoformulations is to target the brain using various novel drug-delivery mechanisms, such as nanoemulsions, drug nanofibers, polymeric drug nanoparticles, pharmaceutical nanocrystals/cocrystals, and mesoporous silica nanoparticles. The Regulatory Affairs program focuses on regulatory requirements across countries regarding legal, safety, and quality standards for pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and biotechnology products. The Department of Pharmacology & Toxicology's primary research focus is to understand the mechanistic pathways associated with neurodegenerative disorders such as Parkinson's and Alzheimer's disease. The mechanisms driving the neurological consequences of arsenic, copper, and pesticide exposure are also a focus, along with the development of treatment approaches for neurodegenerative diseases, in the Regulatory Toxicology program. The core research area of the Department of Biotechnology focuses on the identification and development of naturally derived metabolites and bioactive peptides for the treatment of diabetes, cancer, and related conditions. The department is focused on the development of novel RNA-based therapeutic interventions, understanding protein misfolding and aggregation, and developing polymer nanodrugs and antibodies targeting tumours/cancers. The M.Tech Medical Devices program explores In-Vitro Diagnostics and biomaterial-based devices. Nearly 700 research/review papers have been published in the last 5 years in peer-reviewed high-impact journals of international repute, including *Green Chemistry*, *International Journal of Biological Macromolecules*, *Acta Biomaterialia*, *Apoptosis*, *Brain Behavior and Immunity*, *Free Radical Biology and Medicine*, *Environmental Research*, *ACS Catalysis*, *Current Environmental Health Reports*, *Drug Discovery Today*, *European Journal of Medicinal Chemistry*, *Journal of Controlled Release*, *Pharmacological Research*, *Advances in Colloid and Interface Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, *Medicinal Research Reviews*, *Ageing Research Reviews*, *Advanced Healthcare Materials*, *Chemical Engineering Journal*, *Clinical Cancer Research*, *Cytokine & Growth Factor Reviews*, *Journal of American Chemical Society*. Different faculties are running various extramural and industry-sponsored consultancy projects across the Institute's departments. The institute has filed 43 patents since its inception, of which 14 have been granted.

Internship, Training and Placements: NIPER-Raebareli has a dedicated Internship, Training and Placement cell that actively provides our students with the best internship, training, and employment opportunities. In the academic year 2024-25, students of NIPER-R were recruited by several leading pharmaceutical companies, including AstraZeneca, Sun Pharma, Dr Reddy's, Jodas Expoin, Glenmark, Aragen, Sai Life Sciences, CI Scientist, Cadila, and Heterolabs. The prime campus recruiters at NIPER-R include several prominent pharmaceutical companies, including Macleods, Aragen, INTAS, and Sun Pharma. Additionally, more than 30% of students have been admitted to PhD programs at renowned national and international universities.

Research Facilities: Major Instruments

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500 MHz NMR	3D bioprinter
Atomic Force Microscope	Freeze Dryers
Scanning Electron Microscope	T maze and Elevated Plus maze
HPLC and Preparative HPLC	Rodent Anaesthesia System
DSC	In vivo Animal Imaging System
FT-IR	Animal motion tracking system
Eight station jacketed Franz Diffusion Apparatus	In Vitro cell culture facility
Malvern Master Sizer (Hydro 2000)	Confocal Microscopy
Tablet coating machine	Biochemistry Analyzer
qPCR and RT-PCR	Passive/Active Avoidance
Multi-mode Reader Microplate/ELISA Reader	Digital Stereotaxic Apparatus
Microtome and Vibrotome	Animal House Facility
Fluorescent Microscope	Chemidoc

Further information about NIPER Raebareli can be accessed through the institute's official website (<http://niperraebareli.edu.in/>).

PART 2: MASTER'S PROGRAMMES OFFERED BY VARIOUS NIPERs

In the upcoming academic year (2026-27), NIPERs will offer various academic programmes in different specializations. The following is the list of Master's Programmes offered by various NIPERs for the academic year 2026-27. Not all programmes are offered by all NIPERs; candidates are advised to consult section 2.2 and the updated website of NIPER JEE 2026 for the programmes offered by each NIPER.

2.1 Eligibility for Master's Programmes Offered by NIPERs

M.S. (Pharm.) Programmes	
S. No.	Specialization
1	Medicinal Chemistry Eligibility: B.Pharm. / M.Sc. (Organic Chemistry)
2	Natural Products Eligibility: B.Pharm./M.Sc. (Organic Chemistry)
3	Traditional Medicine Eligibility: B.Pharm./B.A.M.S./M.Sc. (Botany)
4	Pharmaceutical Analysis Eligibility: B.Pharm./M.Sc. (Organic/Analytical Chemistry)
5	Pharmacology and Toxicology Eligibility: B.Pharm./B.V.Sc./M.B.B.S./M.Sc. (Pharmacology)
6	Regulatory Toxicology Eligibility: B.Pharm./B.V.Sc./ M.Sc. (Pharmacology/ Toxicology /Life Sciences/ Biochemistry/ Medical Biotechnology/ Zoology)/ M.B.B.S.
7	Pharmaceutics Eligibility: B.Pharm.
8	Pharmacoinformatics Eligibility: B.Pharm./B.Tech. (Bioinformatics)/M.Sc. (Organic/ Physical/Pharmaceutical Chemistry/Biochemistry/Biotechnology/ Molecular Biology/Bioinformatics/ Microbiology)
9	Regulatory Affairs Eligibility: B.Pharm./B. Tech./B.E. (Biotechnology/ Biomedical Engineering/Chemical Engineering or equivalent), M.B.B.S./BDS/ B.V.Sc./M.Sc. (Biotechnology/ Microbiology/Food Science/Life Sciences/Chemical Sciences/Pharmacology/Toxicology)

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10.	Pharmaceutical Regulatory Sciences Eligibility: B.Pharm./B. Tech./B.E. (Biotechnology/Biomedical Engineering/ Chemical Engineering or equivalent), M.B.B.S / BDS / B.V.Sc./M.Sc. (Biotechnology/ Microbiology/Food Science/ Life Sciences/Chemical Sciences/Pharmacology/Toxicology)
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Master of Pharmacy (M.Pharm.) Programmes		
S. No.	Specialization	Eligibility
1	Pharmaceutical Technology (Formulations)	B.Pharm.
2	Pharmacy Practice	
3	Clinical Research	
Master of Business Administration (Pharm.) Programme		
S. No.	Specialization	Eligibility
1	Pharmaceutical Management	B.Pharm./B.Tech. (Chemical Engg. or equivalent) M.Sc. (Chemical/Life Sciences)
Master of Technology Programmes (M.Tech.)		
S. No.	Specialization	
1	Biotechnology/ Biopharmaceuticals/ Pharmaceutical Technology (Biotechnology) Eligibility: B.Pharm. /M.Sc. (Biological Sciences/Biotechnology/Microbiology) / B.Tech. (Biotechnology) / M.Sc. (Life Sciences)	
2	Pharmaceutical Technology (Process Chemistry) Eligibility: B.Pharm./M.Sc. (Organic Chemistry)/B.E./B.Tech. (Chemical Engineering)	
3	Medical Devices/Medical Technology Eligibility: B.Pharm./ M.B.B.S / BDS / B.V.Sc / B.E or B.Tech (Biotechnology / Biomedical / Biophysics / Electronics / Instrumentation / Mechanical / Biochemical / Health Sciences or allied subjects) / 4-year BS course (Chemistry/ Mathematics & Computing/Physics/Programming/Data Science) / Post Graduation in Chemical Sciences / Life Sciences / Material Sciences / Physical Sciences / Biotechnology / Biomedical / Biophysics / Electronics / Instrumentation / Biochemical / Health Sciences / Medical Science &/or Technology or allied subjects as applicable in GATE/ NET.	

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2.2 Seat Availability in Master's Programmes in various NIPERs/departments/disciplines are displayed in the Table below:

A) SEAT AVAILABILITY WITH FELLOWSHIP at NIPERs

S.No.	Name of the Programmes	Course/Discipline	Ahmedabad	Guwahati	Hajipur	Hyderabad	Kolkata	Raebareli	Mohali
MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHARM.) [M.S.(Pharm.)]									
1	M.S.(Pharm.)	Medicinal Chemistry	✓	✓	X	✓	✓	✓	✓
2	M.S.(Pharm.)	Natural Products	✓	X	X	✓	✓	X	✓
3	M.S.(Pharm.)	Traditional Medicine	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
4	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutical Analysis	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmacology & Toxicology	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
6	M.S.(Pharm.)	Regulatory Toxicology	X	X	X	X	X	✓	✓
7	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutics	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
8	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmacoinformatics	X	X	X	✓	✓	X	✓
9	M.S.(Pharm.)	Regulatory Affairs	X	X	X	X	X	✓	X
10	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutical Regulatory Sciences	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
MASTER OF PHARMACY [M. Pharm.]									
1	M.Pharm.	Pharmaceutical Technology (Formulations)	X	✓	X	X	X	X	✓
2	M.Pharm.	Pharmacy Practice	X	✓	✓	X	X	X	✓
3	M.Pharm.	Clinical Research	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
MASTER OF TECHNOLOGY [M. Tech.]									
1	M.Tech.	Biotechnology / Pharmaceutical Technology (Biotechnology)	✓	✓	✓	X	✓	✓	✓
2	M.Tech.	Pharmaceutical Technology (Process Chemistry)	X	X	X	✓	X	X	✓
3	M.Tech.	Medical Devices	✓	✓	X	✓	✓	X	✓
4	M.Tech.	Biopharmaceuticals	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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B) SEAT AVAILABILITY WITHOUT FELLOWSHIP at NIPERs * (Admission through NIPER JEE 2026)

S.No.	Name of the Programmes	Course/Discipline	Ahmedabad	Guwahati	Hajipur	Hyderabad	Kolkata	Raebareli	Mohali
MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHARM.) [M.S.(Pharm.)]									
1	M.S.(Pharm.)	Medicinal Chemistry	X	X	X	X	X	✓	✓
2	M.S.(Pharm.)	Natural Products	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
3	M.S.(Pharm.)	Traditional Medicine	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
4	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutical Analysis	X	X	✓	X	X	✓	✓
5	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmacology & Toxicology	X	X	✓	X	X	X	✓
6	M.S.(Pharm.)	Regulatory Toxicology	X	X	X	X	X	✓	X
7	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutics	X	X	✓	X	X	✓	✓
8	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmacoinformatics	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
9	M.S.(Pharm.)	Regulatory Affairs	X	X	X	X	X	✓	X
10	M.S.(Pharm.)	Pharmaceutical Regulatory Sciences	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
MASTER OF PHARMACY [M. Pharm.]									
1	M.Pharm.	Pharmaceutical Technology (Formulations)	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
2	M.Pharm.	Pharmacy Practice	X	X	✓	X	X	X	X
3	M.Pharm.	Clinical Research	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
MASTER OF TECHNOLOGY [M. Tech.]									
1	M.Tech.	Biotechnology	X	X	✓	X	X	✓	✓
2	M.Tech.	Pharmaceutical Technology (Biotechnology)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3	M.Tech.	Pharmaceutical Technology (Process Chemistry)	X	X	X	X	X	X	✓
4	M.Tech.	Medical Devices	X	X	X	X	X	✓	✓
5	M.Tech.	Medical Technology	X	X	X	X	✓	X	X
6	M.Tech.	Biopharmaceuticals	X	X	X	X	X	✓	✓
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (PHARM.)									
1	M.B.A. (Pharm.)	Pharmaceutical Management	X	X	X	✓	X	X	✓

***No financial assistance will be provided for these courses.**

Note: The exact availability of seats in each department of respective NIPERs (Seat Matrix) will be displayed on the website before counselling.

Few supernumerary seats are available as per details given below:

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- b) 5% of the seats over and above are reserved for candidates sponsored by the Government Departments/ Research and Development Organizations/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Reputed Private Pharmaceutical Enterprises.
- c) Not less than 3% of the seats over and above are reserved for PwBD category.
- d) Seats are available for Self-Financing Foreign Nationals and Foreign Nationals under various scholarship schemes of the Ministry of Education/Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India. 5% of the seats over and above are reserved for Foreign Nationals/OCI/PIO (who have secured OCI/PIO card on or after 04.03.2021) categories.

2.4 General Eligibility for NIPER JEE 2026

The candidate should have qualified GPAT/GATE/NET/or any other National Fellowship and should possess a valid score card for the same. In addition to the above-mentioned, candidates should have cleared subject-wise qualifying degree with a minimum of 60% marks in aggregate or CGPA of 6.75 on a 10-point scale wherever grades are awarded or equivalent. Percentage of marks or CGPA so calculated will be based on the norms fixed by the concerned University/ Institution or aggregate marks or CGPA scored by the candidate for all years of the qualifying degree, in case the University/ Institution has not prescribed any norm for calculating such percentage or CGPA.

2.5 For students 'awaiting' final year results:

All candidates who are completing their final semester examinations on or before 31st July, 2026, are eligible to apply.

For such candidates ('awaiting' final result), the following documents must be submitted at the time of counselling in addition to other required documents/Annexures: -

1. A Bonafide certificate issued by the Head of the concerned College/University, stating that the candidate has appeared in the final semester examination of the qualifying degree.
2. An undertaking on a non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100/- by the candidate, stating that in case the final result is not declared by the College/University till 15th Sept. 2026 and/or the candidate fails in the qualifying exam, the candidate will have no claim to the allotted seat.

2.6 Relaxations in Eligibility Criteria

- a) Relaxation in CGPA to 6.25 (on a 10-point scale) or in marks to 55% or equivalent in the eligibility criteria is allowed for SC and ST candidates.

- b) Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PH/PwBD candidates) are permitted relaxation in the eligibility requirement of CGPA to 5.75 (on a 10-point scale) or to 50% marks or equivalent. No relaxation beyond this will be allowed, even if they belong to the SC/ST category.
- c) GPAT/GATE/NET/ any other National Fellowship requirement is relaxed for the following categories of candidates: Candidates holding B.V.Sc./M.B.B.S./B.A.M.S./B.D.S. degree/ Foreign Nationals/Sponsored candidates (as described in sections 2.2b and 2.6).

2.7 Reservation

- Provision for reservation shall be made as per the rules of the Govt. of India in force.
- SC and ST candidates should upload a scanned copy of the original caste certificate signed by the Tehsildar/Distt. Magistrate, when filling the online application form.
- Reservation for Economically Weaker Sections (EWS): The benefit of reservation will be given only to those General category candidates who satisfy the conditions given in the OM No. 20013/01/2018-BC-II dated January 17, 2019, issued by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. (As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 1**)
- The criteria for EWS will be as per the prevailing norms and/or notifications of Government of India.
- Other Backward Caste (OBC) candidates should upload a scanned copy of the original valid caste certificate and certificate of income (showing the non-creamy status of the candidate as per OM no. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res) dated 9th March 2004 of the Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension (or any subsequent order issued by the Government of India in this regard) signed by Tehsildar/Distt. Magistrate. Candidates applying under this category should note that only a recent income certificate (not more than one year old) shall be valid. Also, the OBC caste certificate produced by the candidate should be valid for admission to Central Government Institutions. OBC certificate showing validity only for a particular state shall not be acceptable. Also, the caste certificate issued before March 2004 should be duly updated with an endorsement by an authorized officer not below the rank of a Tehsildar. (As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 2**)

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- Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) candidates should furnish a medical certificate indicating a minimum of 40% of physical defect or deformity duly signed by a 'Medical Board' and countersigned by the Chief Medical and Health Officer of a Government Hospital (As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 3** (Appendix I/II, whichever is applicable)).

Note:

1. The required formats of the respective categories are attached as Annexures at the end of this brochure.
2. In case any candidate fails to submit digital caste certificates at the time of submission of online application, the candidate needs to submit a self-undertaking on a non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100/- as per the **Annexure 4**. Such candidates need to submit a digital certificate at the time of counselling.
3. Failure to submit the above will result in the candidature being considered under the General Category only, and the candidate will need to pay the balance of the application fee.

2.8 Sponsored Candidates

- Candidates must be sponsored by Government departments/research and development organizations/ public sector undertakings/ reputed private pharmaceutical enterprises as per norms.
- Reputed Private Pharmaceutical Enterprises shall mean "Industry/ Government sponsored, a Trust, a Private Limited Company and a Partnership/ LLP Company".
- A self- employed person/small-scale entrepreneur with a drug manufacturing license and 3 years' experience of running a pharma unit (income tax returns for 3 years should be provided for their consideration under this eligibility).
- The industry sponsoring a candidate should have an annual turnover of Rs. 100 crores (for Private Limited Company); 10 crores (for Partnership/Limited Liability Partnership Company); 2 crores (for self-employed), respectively. Besides the above, candidate should be one whose provident fund is deducted by the employer.
- Candidate must submit a Sponsorship certificate from sponsoring organization in the form of an undertaking that the sponsored employee shall be treated on duty and paid his or her usual salary and allowances for the period of studies/research at any of the NIPERs. Such employees shall be fully relieved

by the employer for studies/research. Certificate shall be provided in the form as provided at **Annexure 5**.

- The candidate should have completed two years of service on the date of application/online registration in a pharmaceutical/biological/chemical/allied organization. A salary statement for the last two years shall be required.
- Candidates seeking admission based on study leave must show proof that he/she will be/has been granted leave for the study period in the Institute.
- Where an employer wishes to withdraw the sponsorship, such employer shall be required to give genuine reasons for the withdrawal. The student will then be allowed to put forth his or her side of the issue. Where the Dean and Director are satisfied that the student has violated any terms and conditions of the agreement with the employer, such person shall cease to be a student of the Institute. Where a student has not violated any terms and conditions of the agreement with his employer, he or she shall be allowed to complete his or her studies. No fees shall be refunded in any situation.
- No placement assistance shall be provided to the candidates sponsored by public/private sector undertakings, government departments, or research and development organizations.
- Selected candidates shall be admitted to the programme based on the merit in the entrance exam, after he/she deposits fee for first semester at the time of his/her admission as per details provided under "Payment of Fees" head (Section 4.1 of the brochure).
- No financial assistance will be provided by any NIPER to the sponsored candidates.

2.9 Admission of Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizen of India (OCI)/ Person of Indian Origin (PIO)

Definitions

- **Foreign Nationals:** Candidates who are NOT citizens of India (by birth or naturalized) are considered as **FOREIGN NATIONALS**.
- **Overseas Citizen of India (OCI)/ Person of Indian Origin (PIO):**
 - (a) Overseas Citizens of India / Persons of Indian Origin (OCI/PIO) candidates who have secured OCI/PIO card on or after 04.03.2012.
 - (b) As per the decision dated February 03, 2023, passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) 891 / 2021, the OCI/PIO candidates who

have secured OCI/PIO card before 04.03.2021 shall be considered as Indian Nationals.

Identity Proof

Identity proof of the candidate is required in the form of Citizenship Certificate/ Foreign Passport and/or OCI/PIO Card, whichever is applicable.

Eligibility

- The admission of Foreign Nationals shall be based on satisfying the prescribed academic qualifications. Only those students who have qualified from "Foreign Universities" or "Boards of Higher Education" recognized as equivalent by the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) are eligible for admission. When required, a reference will be made to the AIU to check equivalence. If the University or Board or programme is not included in the equivalence list, the candidate must obtain an equivalence certificate to this effect from the AIU (www.aiu.ac.in) by paying the requisite fee. Submission of an equivalence certificate from the AIU is mandatory for Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizens of India (OCI)/Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) who have qualifying degrees from a foreign University.
- Foreign Nationals having qualifying degree from Indian Universities may also apply.
- On the recommendation of the Ministry of Education/ Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, eligible Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizens of India (OCI)/ Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) under various scholarship schemes shall also be considered for admission.

2.10 Exemptions from NIPER JEE 2026

- Candidates who possess citizenship of a country other than India and hold a valid passport of that country shall be eligible to apply under the foreign student category. They are exempted from taking NIPER JEE 2026.
- OCI/PIO card holders who have secured OCI/PIO card after 04.03.2021.

2.11 Admission Process

- The application for admission shall be made on the Study in India Portal (<https://studyinindia.gov.in>), and the offer letter will be provided after verifying the educational qualifications and screening of received applications.
- The merit of the Foreign National/OCI/PIO Category (who have secured OCI/PIO card on or after 04.03.2021) will be drawn based on the percentage

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of marks/CGPA in all (examinations equivalent to Indian Class X, XII, Bachelor's degree, Master's degree, whichever is applicable) qualifying exam.

- All foreign students must qualify the interview in English language by the respective NIPERs for confirmation of admission. However, marks of the interview shall not be included for admission to any course.

2.12 Seat Allocation Policy

- Seats for Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizens of India (OCI)/ Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) shall be over and above the notified seats for Indian students.
- The unfilled seats under Foreign National and OCI/PIO categories shall not be filled with Indian students.
- At the time of seat allocation, the OCI/PIO candidates who have secured OCI/PIO card before 04.03.2021 shall be considered for the seats in the common list.

2.13 VISA and FRRO Registration

- All applications of Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizens of India (OCI)/Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) must follow the rules of VISA/FRRO mandatorily.
- Financial assistance will **NOT** be provided by NIPERs to the selected Foreign Nationals/ Overseas Citizens of India (OCI)/ Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) except OCI/PIO card holders who have secured OCI/PIO card before 04.03.2021 ("Indian National" as per Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) 891 / 2021) and who will qualify NIPER JEE 2026.

PART 3: EXAMINATION PROCESS

3.1 Schedule of NIPER JEE 2026

S.No	Event	Date(s)	Day(s)
I.	Commencement of online Application	16-04-2026	Thursday
II.	Last date for online application	23-05-2026 11:50 PM	Saturday
III.	Correction of Form (if any)	25-05-2026 to 26-05-2026 11:50 PM	Monday to Tuesday
IV.	Start of downloading of hall tickets	08-06-2026	Monday
V.	CBT NIPER JEE 2026	13-06-2026	Saturday
VI.	Declaration of Merit List of CBT	Will be updated on NIPER JEE 2026 webpage	
VII.	Group discussion/Interview of MBA (Pharm.) candidates		
VIII.	Counselling		

CBT: Computer-based test

3.2 Application Procedure

Applicants (Indian nationals and those belonging to OCI/PIO category who have secured OCI/PIO card before 04.03.2021) shall apply online on <https://niper.gov.in/niperjee2026> as per instructions given on the website. The process of online application shall commence from **16-04-2026 onwards and will continue till 23-05-2026** (The proposed dates are tentative, and any change will be updated on the NIPER Mohali / NIPER JEE 2026 website). The webpage for the online application form can be accessed through the link provided on the official website of NIPER Mohali / NIPER JEE 2026 (<https://niper.gov.in/niperjee2026>). The online application process comprises of following steps:

Step 1: Fill in all the details in your online Application Form

Step 2: Preview your duly filled in Application Form

Step 3: Payment of Application Fee

Step 4: Verify your details and submit your Application Form

Step 5: Take the printout of the Application Form and submit at the time of admission.

- While filling the online application form, please choose the email ID you access frequently, as all communications from the NIPER JEE Office will be

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sent to that email ID only (do not use anybody else's email address). NIPER JEE 2026 office is in no way responsible in case wrong email ID or mobile number is registered.

3.3. Application Fees

S. No.	Programme	Category	*Fees *(₹)
	M.S. (Pharm.)/ M.Pharm./ M.Tech./ MBA (Pharm.)	Gen/OBC/PwBD/EWS	4,000/-
		SC/ST	2,000/-

*Transaction charges may apply as per the bank policy.

Note:

1. NIPER JEE 2026 will be conducted as a single exam ONLY for all the Masters programmes including M.S. (Pharm.)/ M. Pharm./M.Tech./MBA (Pharm.) courses. Those who are interested in joining MBA (Pharm.) programme need to opt YES option at the appropriate place while filling the online application form.

3.4 Requirements before filling online application form

Before starting the application process, please keep the following documents/information ready:

- Personal information (name, date of birth, email, mobile number, etc.)
- Address for communication (including PIN code)
- Qualifying degree details (Registration number of the student in previous university, Marks, College name and address, Postal Code)
- Candidates must have qualified GPAT/GATE/NET or other National examination and should submit their valid scorecard.
- Scanned copy of Aadhar card/Passport/Voter ID/Driving License (file size: < 500kb, pdf)
- Choice of examination centers
- Good quality image of your photograph (file size: < 50kb, JPG, JPEG)
- Good quality image of your signature (filesize: < 30kb, JPG, JPEG)
- Your net-banking login and password to pay the application fee via online mode. In case you are making the payment through debit card/credit card, you must have the information like debit card/credit card number, password, CVV number, registered mobile number ready with you.

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- The candidates will be required to upload scanned copies of the following documents in original, failing which, the candidature shall be summarily rejected:
 - a) Matriculation Certificate as a proof of age and correct name (file size: < 500kb, pdf)
 - b) Mark sheets of all the semesters of the qualifying degree. Candidates who are appearing for the final qualifying degree must upload all mark sheets up to the pre-qualifying examination in a single PDF only (file size: up to 1MB, pdf)
 - c) Certificate of reservation for SC/ST, if applicable (file size: < 500kb, pdf)
 - d) Certificate of reservation for EWS category, if applicable (file size: < 500kb, pdf): As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 1**.
 - e) Certificate of reservation and certificate of income (showing non-creamy layer status of the OBC candidates as provided in OM No. 36033/3/2004- Estt. (Res) dated 9th March, 2004 of the Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension or any subsequent order issued by the Government of India in this regard) (file size: < 500kb, pdf): As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 2**.
 - f) Certificate of disability, if applicable (file size: < 500kb, pdf): As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 3**.
 - g) UNDERTAKING from the Candidates in lieu of non-submission of any reservation document: As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 4**.
 - h) Certificate of sponsorship, if applicable (file size: < 500kb, pdf): As per the format enclosed in **Annexure 5**.
 - i) Aadhar Card (file size: < 500kb, pdf)
 - j) Passport sized photograph (file size: < 50kb, JPG, JPEG)
 - k) Signature (file size: < 30kb, JPG, JPEG)

Note:

1. Qualification of GPAT/GATE/NET/any other National Fellowship is an essential qualification for admission to all Master's programmes at NIPERs.
2. All the candidates 'awaiting' final year result must submit bonafide certificate and undertaking as per instructions in section 2.5.
3. If a candidate fails to submit the caste/PwBD certificate at the time of application, he/she must provide an undertaking in the prescribed format as per **Annexure 4**. Failure to upload a valid caste/PwBD certificate before the online counseling will result in the candidate being considered under

the General category. For the former, the candidate will be required to pay the application fee accordingly, prior to allotment of seat.

The detailed instructions for filling the online application form are provided in the “Instructions for Online Application” document available on the application web-page, which could be accessed through the link provided on the official website of NIPER JEE 2026 (<https://niper.gov.in/niperjee2026>). Candidates are required to read all the instructions thoroughly and carefully before filling the online application form.

3.5 Hall ticket

- The Hall ticket can only be downloaded from the portal linked with NIPER JEE 2026 website, after logging in using the applicant’s credentials.
- Hall tickets will NOT be sent by post. The candidate should bring a printout of the downloaded Hall ticket to the examination centre along with the original and valid photo identification (No photocopy / scanned copy/ expired ID is permitted). It may be noted that the candidate may carry one of the following IDs to the examination centre: Driving License, Passport, Voter ID and Aadhar card.
- Candidates applying under PwBD category need to carry proof of the same along with the hall ticket for availing additional time /assistance during the exam (**Appendix I & Appendix II**). If the candidate fails to submit disability certificate (**Annexure 3**) at the time of examination, he/she will be treated under General category.

3.6 Important Information for NIPER JEE 2026

- Login to the portal using your Application ID and password. Keep this information safe and do not disclose it to anyone.
- Applicants are advised to check the eligibility criteria (section 2.1) thoroughly before filling the application form.
- In case an applicant appears in the entrance test but otherwise does not fulfil the minimum eligibility requirement, NIPER JEE 2026 and/or the admission-granting Institute reserves the right to refuse or cancel admission at any point of time if it is found that:
 - o The minimum eligibility requirement is not fulfilled.
 - o Suspicious documentation has been made, or evidence has been suppressed.
 - o Any other reason for disqualification.

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- In case of any dispute arising because of any typographical mistake or otherwise while filling up the application form, the decision of the Chairman, NIPER JEE 2026 shall be final and binding on the candidates.
- No application fee will be refunded in any of the above cases.

3.7 Venues of NIPER JEE 2026

The online test will be conducted in the following cities and the exact details of exam centres in the respective cities will be provided in the hall ticket.

S. No.	Test Centre City	S. No.	Test Centre City
1.	Ahmedabad	12.	Lucknow
2.	Bengaluru	13.	Mumbai
3.	Bhopal	14.	Nagpur
4.	Bhubaneswar	15.	Nasik
5.	Chandigarh/Mohali	16.	New Delhi
6.	Chennai	17.	Patna
7.	Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar	18.	Pune
8.	Guwahati	19.	Thiruvananthapuram
9.	Hyderabad	20.	Vijayawada
10.	Jaipur		
11.	Kolkata		

Note:

1. The above centres are tentative and may change based on the number of applications received with choice of these cities.
2. Candidates are requested to choose three nearest cities from the above table as their preferred centres carefully. The exam centre will be allotted based on the availability of the centres and the candidate's preference although there is no guarantee that the candidate will get the examination centre of his/her choice.
3. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the NIPER JEE 2026. Candidates must make their own arrangement for stay during the online test (if required).
5. Candidates are advised to reach the city of the allotted test centre one day before the date of examination and arrange to stay for one more day post exam if required to avoid any unforeseen event like natural calamities,

technical glitches etc. NIPER JEE 2026 is in no way responsible for such unforeseen events.

3.8 About the Entrance Test

The permission granted to the candidates to appear in online test /counselling is merely provisional. Final consideration of the candidature is subject to fulfilment of the eligibility criteria to be verified at the time of admission at the respective NIPERs.

- a. There will be a common question paper for candidates appearing for admission to M.S. (Pharm.)/ M.Pharm. /M.Tech./ MBA (Pharm.) Programmes.
- b. Exact time of the exam will be specified in the hall ticket.
- c. The question paper will consist of 200 multiple choice questions under two sections. **Section A** will comprise of 80 questions from General English, Aptitude, Reasoning, General Knowledge, etc. **Section B** will comprise of 120 questions mainly from the syllabi of B. Pharm.
- d. The duration of the examination will be 150 minutes without any break.

3.9 Instructions for all candidates on exam day

- Candidates MUST carry a printed copy of the **downloaded NIPER JEE 2026** hall ticket and their **valid original photo identity card** (any one of the following: Aadhar Card, School/College/Institute ID, Driving License, Voter ID, Passport with passport size photograph) for attending the examination. Only candidates with valid hall tickets and photo-id cards will be allowed to appear for the examination.
- The candidate's identity will be verified at the examination centre by invigilators as well as NIPER JEE 2026 representatives. If the identity of the candidate is in doubt, the candidate may not be allowed to appear for the examination. However, the NIPER authorities, at their discretion, may provisionally permit the candidate to appear for the examination after completing certain formalities. No extra time will be allowed to complete the examination in lieu of the time taken to complete these formalities. In such cases where the candidate is permitted to appear for the examination provisionally, the decision of the Chairman, NIPER JEE 2026, on the issue shall be final.
- Using unfair means or impersonation in attending the examination is a serious offence and will lead to disqualification of candidature from NIPER

JEE 2026 and all admission-related processes. It may also lead to legal action against the candidate.

- All candidates shall be subjected to extensive and compulsory frisking before entering the Examination Centre.
- Only pens, pencils, drinking water in transparent bottle, hardcopy of hall ticket and an original photo identity card will be allowed to be taken inside the examination hall.
- The following items will **NOT** be allowed inside the examination centre: watches, mobile phones, Bluetooth devices, earphones, microphones, pagers, health bands or any other electronic gadgets, any printed/blank/handwritten paper, log tables, writing pads, scales, eraser, geometry/pencil-boxes, pouches, calculators, pen drives, electronic pens/scanner, wallets, handbags, camera, goggles or such similar items.
- Candidates are advised **NOT** to wear items containing metals such as ring, bracelet, earrings, nose pin, chain/necklace, pendant, badge, brooch, clothes with big buttons. They are also advised to wear open footwear like chappals and sandals.
- Any other item which could be used for unfair means, or for hiding communication devices like a microchip, camera, Bluetooth device, etc., is not permitted.
- Candidates must report to the examination centres well in advance, and carry out the requisite formalities which will be mentioned in the hall ticket.
- Candidates arriving at the examination centre after commencement of the examination will not be allowed to take the examination under any circumstances.
- Candidates are required to be present in the examination hall for the entire duration (150 minutes).

3.10 Marking Scheme of NIPER JEE 2026

- a. Each question will carry 0.5 mark.
- b. For each incorrect answer, 0.125 mark will be deducted from the total score.
- c. No marks will be given/deducted for un-answered questions.

- d. In case a question is dropped due to some technical error, full marks shall be given to all the candidates irrespective of whether the question has been attempted or not. The decision of the Chairman, NIPER JEE 2026, in this regard shall be final.

3.11 Declaration of the results of NIPER JEE 2026

- a. The NIPER JEE 2026 results will be declared on the official website of NIPER Mohali (<https://niper.gov.in/niperjee2026>).
- b. Rules for TIE-BREAKING Policy
- In case of tie between two or more applicants due to same score in the written exam or final score (written exam + group discussion (GD)/interview) of NIPER JEE 2026, their scores will be calculated upto four decimal points and prior rank will be given to the candidate having the higher score. However, after calculating the score upto four decimal points if the tie remains, the following criteria will be used.
 - Score in Section B of the exam; followed by
 - Candidates with lower number of incorrectly attempted questions in the entire exam (Sections A+B); followed by
 - Candidate with lower number of incorrectly attempted questions in Section B of the exam; followed by
 - Seniority of age; followed by
 - Application number in ascending order

PART 4: ADMISSION PROCEDURE FOR MASTER'S PROGRAMMES

- a) Admission to M.S.(Pharm.), M.Pharm. and M.Tech. programmes will be conducted through counselling procedure. Counselling will be based on merit of the candidates in written examination of NIPER JEE 2026 conducted for admission to M.S. (Pharm.)/ M.Pharm./M.Tech. category.
- b) Admission for MBA (Pharm.) programme is based on combined merit in the common entrance exam (85%) and Group Discussion (GD)/Personal Interview (15%).

Note: Candidates must attend GD In-person at NIPER. The exact dates will be notified on the NIPER JEE 2026 website. TA/DA will NOT be paid for attending GD.

- c) The provisional admission letter will be issued to the successful candidates only after submission of all the requisite documents and the payment of the requisite fees after the counselling.
- d) The details of payable fees are provided in "Payment of Fees" head (Section 4.1 of the brochure). Candidates will be required to submit the requisite original documents as mentioned in section 3.4.

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4.1 Payment of Fees

4.1.1 Fees for M.S.(Pharm.), M.Pharm., M.Tech.

One time Payment of Charges	General / OBC / EWS (Rs.)	SC / ST (Rs.)	Govt./Industry Sponsored (Rs.)
Admission Fee	5,000	5,000	-
Alumni Fund	8,500	8,500	-
Hostel Admission*	3,496	3,496	-
Group Insurance (for 2 years)	4,000	4,000	-
Security Amount (Refundable)	27,500	27,500	-
Placement Fee	4,000	4,000	-
Total A	52,496	52,496	75,698
CHARGES PAYABLE FOR EACH SEMESTER#			
Tuition Fee	26,022	0	-
Examination/Evaluation Fees	1,150	1,150	-
Registration Fee	1,392	1,392	-
Sports	1,150	1,150	-
Computer Contingency	1,150	1,150	-
Medical Charges	1,100	1,100	-
Hostel Rent*	4,593	4,593	-
Electricity Charges*	5,500	5,500	-
Benevolent Fund	696	696	-
Laboratory Fee	11,483	11,483	-
Library Fee	1,531	1,531	-
Total B	55,767	29,745	92,535
TOTAL CHARGES PAYABLE			
Payable before admission [Sem1 (A+B)]	1,08,263	82,241	1,68,233
Payable for Subsequent Semesters	55,767	29,745	92,535

*** At the time of admission, students who do not opt for hostel accommodation need not to pay charges related to Hostel Admission, Electricity and Hostel rent.**

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4.1.2 Fees for MBA (Pharm.)

One time payment of charges	General/ OBC / EWS (Rs.)	SC/ST (Rs.)	Govt./Industry Sponsored (Rs.)
Admission Fee	5,000	5,000	-
Alumni Fund	8,500	8,500	-
Hostel Admission*	3,496	3,496	-
Group Insurance (for 2 years)	4,000	4,000	-
Security Amount (Refundable)	27,500	27,500	-
Placement Fee	4,000	4,000	-
Total A	52,496	52,496	75,698
Charges Payable for Each Semester[#]			
Tuition Fee	1,11,968	0	-
Examination/ Evaluation Fees	1,150	1,150	-
Registration Fee	1,392	1,392	-
Sports	1,150	1,150	-
Computer Contingency	1,150	1,150	-
Medical Charges	1,100	1,100	-
Hostel Rent*	4,593	4,593	-
Electricity Charges*	5,500	5,500	-
Benevolent Fund	696	696	-
Total B	1,28,699	16,731	2,30,294
Total Charges Payable			
Payable on Admission [Sem-1 (A+B)]	1,81,195	69,227	3,05,992
Payable for Subsequent Semesters	1,28,699	16,731	2,30,294

*** At the time of admission, students who do not opt for hostel accommodation need not to pay charges related to Hostel Admission, Electricity and Hostel rent.**

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As per NIPER Ordinance point Nos. 11 a) (iv), (vi) and (vii),

- The selected candidates shall be required to pay the fee and other charges within the stipulated duration of time after the confirmation of the seat at the respective NIPER. (Note: The mode of payment will be notified at NIPER JEE 2026 website.)
- Where the candidate does not deposit fees within the stipulated duration of time, he or she shall forfeit the seat. The seat shall be offered to the next candidate on the merit list.
- The student shall register before the commencement of each semester in the period mentioned in the Academic Calendar of the Institute.
- Group Insurance and Security Amount in case of Govt./Industry Sponsored candidates will be same as in case of other students.

4.1.3 Fee Structure for Foreign Nationals (as per section 2.9)

S.No.	Period	Fee Amount
1	During admission	2355 USD
2	Every subsequent semester	1300 USD

- The above fee does not include mess charges.

Any other fee, charges or dues, as payable by Indian students of the same academic category and level, will be payable by foreign nationals.

Foreign candidates, even if they do not avail hostel facility, will not be declared as non-hosteller.

4.1.4 Refund of Security Amount

If the student does not join the programme after paying the fees and leaves the programme, the fees shall not be refunded except the Security Deposit Amount.

4.2 Financial Assistance

- Candidates admitted on seats as per Section 2.2 (A) of Indian nationality [except those admitted in self-financing programmes described in section 2.3 and candidates sponsored by Govt. Departments, Research and Development Organization, Public Sector undertaking/ Reputed Private Pharmaceutical Enterprises/ Foreign Nationals] will be provided with a

stipend of Rs. 12,400/- per month subject to obtaining of minimum CGPA of 6.00 on a 10-pointscale.

- In case the CGPA is less than 6.00 but more than 5.50 in any semester, the stipend of the student shall be withheld till he/she obtains the minimum CGPA of 6.00.
- Institute will provide financial assistance of Rs. 12,400/- per month to the top three students of MBA (Pharm.) programme. The financial assistance will be given to the student(s) during second, third and fourth semesters. The financial assistance will be based on the performance and merit of the student(s) in their previous semester.

4.3 Registration/Orientation

- Before the commencement of each semester, every student shall renew registration in person in accordance with the procedure and schedule laid down by the Institute. The student shall deposit the fee and other charges at the time of renewing the registration.
- Late or in-absentia renewal of registration shall not be permitted. However, in special circumstances such as departmental assignment/training etc., the Dean, having been satisfied of the circumstances, shall permit late or in-absentia renewal of registration. No renewal of registration shall be permitted after 10 days of commencement of classes/semester. A student who fails to renew registration by the notified date shall cease to be a student of the Institute.
- The registration shall be cancelled under any of the following conditions:
 - ☐ Where the student is absent for a continuous period of four weeks without prior intimation/sanction of leave;
 - ☐ Where the student fails to renew registration;
 - ☐ Where the student fails to clear the examination in more than 2 subjects in a semester;
 - ☐ Where the student has committed an act of misconduct/indiscipline;
 - ☐ Where academic performance of the student is unsatisfactory;
 - ☐ Where the student resigns from the programme and his or her resignation has been accepted.

4.4 Credit System for Master's Programmes

Education in NIPERs is organized around the credit system. Each course has a certain number of credits which will describe its weightage. The performance/progress of the student will be measured by the number of credits that he/she has completed satisfactorily. A minimum grade point average will be required to qualify for the degree.

Every course will be coordinated by a faculty member of the department offering the course in a given semester. This faculty member will be called the course coordinator. The coordinator will have the full responsibility to conduct the course, coordinating the work of the other members of the faculty involved in teaching that course, holding tests and assignments and awarding the grades. In case of any difficulty the student is expected to approach the course coordinator for advice and clarification. However, the overall academic activities of a department will be supervised by the Head of the respective department.

4.5 Conditions for the Award of Degree

4.5.1 Attendance

Students are required to attend every lecture and practical class during the semester. In case of late registration, sickness and other contingencies, the attendance required will be a minimum of 75% of the classes actually held. If the student falls short of 75% of mandatory attendance in a course, he/she will not be permitted to appear in the end-semester examination of that course in that semester and the student will have to complete all requirements of that course in the subsequent year.

4.5.2 Credit Requirements for Master's Programmes

The minimum credit requirement for Master's degree will be 80 credits including a minimum of 40 credits of project work and balance credits of coursework. However, Departments can decide on higher credit requirement. The minimum credit requirement for MBA (Pharm.) degree is 94 credits.

4.5.3 CGPA Requirements for Master's Programmes

- The minimum CGPA required for the award of the degree will be 6.00. If the CGPA is more than 5.50 but below 6.00 in any semester, the candidate may be permitted to continue in the programme with certain conditions.

- If CGPA is below 5.50 in any semester, the student shall be permitted to improve his/her CGPA by repeating in a maximum of 2 theory courses irrespective of the grade earned. If a student after availing the maximum number of repeat examinations as per rules, fails to clear the course(s) or fails to secure minimum CGPA, he/she shall have to discontinue the programme.

4.5.4 Duration of Course

The period for completion of the Master's Programme will be two years from the date of joining the programme.

4.6 Measures against the Menace of Ragging /Rules Governing Conduct and Maintenance of Discipline/Acts of Indiscipline

- Ragging in educational institutions is banned by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The Court has issued mandatory orders to curb the menace of ragging. If a student is found to have indulged in ragging, he/she shall be awarded severe punishment, like expulsion from hostel or mess. In serious cases, student can be expelled from the Institute or FIR can be lodged against him/her with the nearest police station. The punishment shall also be in the form of fine, public apology or withholding of result.
- Students who join the institute are required to submit an anti-ragging undertaking when joining the respective NIPER. The anti-ragging undertaking form can be filled up using the link https://www.antiragging.in/affidavit_registration_disclaimer.html and printout of the same has to be submitted to the nodal officer of respective NIPERs.
- The admitted students shall also submit an anti-ragging undertaking from their parents on a plain paper at the time of admission at the respective NIPERs.

Note: The formats for rules governing conduct and maintenance of discipline and Acts of Indiscipline will be updated on the respective NIPER website. The candidates need to submit these declarations at the time of joining.

4.7 Hostel Facility

Admitted candidates will be provided hostel accommodation based on the availability of rooms, including shared accommodation.

PART 5: LIST OF ANNEXURES

Annexure 1	Format for EWS certificate
Annexure 2	Format for OBC certificate
Annexure 3	Format for PwBD certificate (including Appendix I & II)
Annexure 4	Declaration by the candidate in lieu of inability to submit valid caste/PwBD certificate
Annexure 5	Format for Sponsorship certificate

Annexure 1

Format for EWS Certificate
Government of
(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)
INCOME & ASSET CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY
WEAKER SECTIONS

Certificate No. _____

Date _____

1. This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____
son/daughter/wife of _____ permanent resident
of _____, Village/ Street _____
Post Office _____ District _____ in the
State/Union Territory _____ Pin Code _____
whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections,
since the gross annual income* of his/her "family" ** is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees
Eight Lakh only) for the financial year 2025-2026. His/her family does not own
or possess any of the following assets***:

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
- II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
- III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ belongs to the _____ caste which is not recognized as a
Schedule Caste, Schedule Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List).

Signature with seal of Officer

Name _____

Designation _____

*Note1: Income covered all sources i.e., salary, agricultural, business, profession, etc.

**Note2: The term "Family" for this purpose includes the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

***Note3: The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

Annexure 2

Format for OBC (NCL) Certificate
FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES (NCL)*
APPLYING FOR ADMISSION TO CENTRAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (CEIs),
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/Union Territory (UT) _____ belongs to the community that is _____ recognized as a backward class under Government of India***, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment's Resolution No. _____ dated _____

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ and/or _____ his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in the _____ District/Division of the _____ State/Union Territory (UT). 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, further modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 14/10/2008, again further modified vide OM No.36036/2/2013-Estt (Res) dtd. 30/05/2014, and again further modified vide OM No. 36033/1/2013-Estt (Res) dtd. 13/09/2017.

District Magistrate / Deputy Commissioner / Any other Competent Authority

Dated:

Seal :

* Visit <http://www.ncbc.nic.in> for latest guidelines and updates on the Central List of State-wise OBCs.

** Please delete the word(s) which are not applicable.

*** As listed in the Annexure (for FORM-OBC-NCL)

**** The authority issuing the certificate needs to mention the details of Resolution of Government of India, in which the caste of the candidate is mentioned as OBC.

NOTE:

- (a) The term 'Ordinarily resides' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.
- (b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:
 - (i) District Magistrate/ Additional Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of Ist 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
 - (v) Certificate issued by any other authority will be rejected

• **Validity:** The certificate must be issued on or after April 1, 2026, to be valid for the 2026-2027 academic session.

• **Authorized Signatories:** 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.

Annexure 3

Format for PwBD certificate (including Appendix I & II)
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities,
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India

Form-V

Disability Certificate

(In Case of Single Disability)

[See rule 18(1)]

(Name and Address of the Medical Authority issuing the Certificate)

Recent passport
size photograph
(Showing face
only) of the person
with disability

Certificate/UDID No.

Date of Issue:

This is to certify that I/we have carefully examined <Name of the applicant>, Son/Daughter/Care of < name of father/mother/guardian>, Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY), Gender <Male/Female/Transgender>, Registration No. <UDID Enrolment No.> Resident of <address of PwD> whose photograph is affixed above, and I am /we are satisfied that:

(A) He/She is a case of (Any one of the following disabilities):

- i. Locomotor Disability
- ii. Muscular Dystrophy
- iii. Leprosy Cured
- iv. Dwarfism
- v. Cerebral Palsy
- vi. Acid Attack Victim
- vii. Low Vision
- viii. Blindness
- ix. Hearing Impairment
- x. Speech and Language Disability
- xi. Intellectual Disability

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- xii. Specific Learning Disabilities
- xiii. Autism Spectrum Disorder
- xiv. Mental Illness
- xv. Chronic Neurological Conditions
- xvi. Multiple Sclerosis
- xvii. Parkinson's Diseases
- xviii. Haemophilia
- xix. Thalassemia
- xx. Sickle Cell Disease

(B) Name of affected body part:

(C) The diagnosis in his/her case is _____

(D) He/ She has _____% (in figure) _____ percent (in words) disability and the nature of certificate is {Permanent / temporary and valid till (DD/MM/YYYY)} as per the guidelines for the purpose of assessing the extent of specified disability in a person included under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 notified by Government of India vide <Notification No.> dated (DD/MM/YYYY).

Signature / Thumb impression of the Person with Disability:

Signature of the notified Medical Authority Member):

Signature:

Name and Address of the Medical Authority Issuing the Certificate:

Logo of Government of India	Logo of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, GOI	Logo of Respective State or Union Territory
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Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India

Form-VI

Disability Certificate

(In Case of Multiple Disabilities)

[See rule 18(1)]

(Name and Address of the Medical Authority issuing the Certificate)

Recent passport
size photograph
(Showing face
only) of the person
with disability

Certificate/UDID No.

Date of Issue:

This is to certify that I/we have carefully examined <Name of the applicant>, Son/Daughter/Care of < name of father/mother/guardian>, Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY), Gender <Male/Female/Transgender>, Registration No. <UDID Enrolment No.> Resident of <address of PwD> whose photograph is affixed above, and I am /we are satisfied that:

(A) He/ She is a case of **Multiple Disabilities**. His/her extent of physical impairments/ disabilities have been evaluated as per the guidelines for the purpose of assessing the extent of specified disability in a person included under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 notified by Government of India vide <Notification No> dated (DD/MM/YYYY) for the disabilities below:

S. No.	Disability	Name of Affected Body Part	Diagnosis	Disability Percentage
1.	Locomotor Disability			
2.	Muscular Dystrophy			
3.	Leprosy Cured			
4.	Dwarfism			
5.	Cerebral Palsy			
6.	Acid Attack Victim			
7.	Low Vision			
8.	Blindness			
9.	Hearing Impairment			

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10.	Speech and Language Disability			
11.	Intellectual Disability			
12.	Specific Learning Disabilities			
13.	Autism Spectrum Disorder			
14.	Mental Illness			
15.	Chronic Neurological Conditions			
16.	Multiple Sclerosis			
17.	Parkinson's Diseases			
18.	Haemophilia			
19.	Thalassemia			
20.	Sickle Cell Disease			

(Note: Only the disabilities diagnosed will be listed)

(B) He/ She has _____% (in figure) _____ percent (in words) overall disability and the nature _____ of certificate is {permanent/ temporary and valid till (DD/MM/YYYY)}

Signature / Thumb impression of the Person with Disability:

Signature of the notified Medical Authority Member):

Signature:

Name and Address of the Medical Authority Issuing the Certificate:

Appendix-I

Certificate for recommendation of scribe/reader/lab assistant and/ or Compensatory Time for persons with disabilities as defined under Section 2(s) of the RPwD Act 2016 and have limitation in writing as specified in the Guidelines.

This is to certify that, we have examined Mr./ Ms./ Mrs. (name of the candidate), S/o /D/o, a resident of (Vill/PO/PS/State), aged yrs, a person with(nature of disability/condition), and to state that he/she has limitation which hampers his/her writing capability owing to his/her above disability/condition. He/she requires support of scribe/reader/lab assistant/ and or Compensatory Time as specified in the Guidelines, for writing the examination.

2. The above candidate uses aids and assistive device such as prosthetics & orthotics, hearing air (name to be specified)/ other (to be specified), which is/are essential for the candidate to appear at the examination with the assistance of scribe.

3.This certificate is issued only for the purpose of appearing in written examinations conducted by Examining Bodies and is valid up to _____ (it is valid for maximum period of one year or less as may be certified by the medical authority)

Signature of medical authority

Name of Government Hospital/ Health Care Centre with Seal

Place

Date

Appendix-II

Letter of Undertaking by the persons with disabilities as defined under section 2(s) of RPwD Act 2016 using the services of scribe/reader/lab assistant during written examinations conducted by various authorities as specified in the Guidelines.

I _____, a candidate with _____ (nature of disability/condition) appearing for the _____ (name of the examination) bearing Roll No. _____ at _____ (name of the centre) in the District _____ (Name of the State). My educational qualification is _____.

2. I do hereby state that _____ (name of the scribe) will provide the service of scribe/reader/lab assistant for the undersigned for taking the aforementioned examination. I further declare that there is no conflict of interest of any kind that may affect the impartiality of the examination.

3. I do hereby undertake that his qualification is _____. In case, subsequently, it is found that his qualification is not as declared by the undersigned and is beyond the specified qualification for the examination as mentioned in the extant Guidelines. I shall forfeit my right to the post/position/academic seat I am completing for and claims relating there to.

(Signature of the Candidate)

(counter-signature by the parent/ guardian, if the candidate is minor)

Place:

Date:

Annexure 4

**Undertaking on Non judicial stamp paper by the Candidate in Lieu of
non-submission of EWS/OBC/SC/ST/PwBD Certificate**

Name of the candidate: _____

Address: _____

Application Number of NIPER JEE 2026:

Mobile No: _____ Email: _____

I understand that as per the guidelines of NIPER JEE 2026 supposed to upload the valid caste/PwBD certificate for claiming the reservation as per the Govt. norms.

Since I have not been able to collect the said certificate on time, I may kindly be allowed to write NIPER JEE 2026 provisionally and I will submit a valid certificate as per the formats at the time of reporting for seat allocation/counselling.

I understand that inability to upload the same by the given date and time will lead to the withdrawal of reservation benefit. I also understand that, if I fail to submit the same, my rank will be adjusted accordingly in the Common Rank List/General category.

Signature of Father/Mother

Name:

Date:

Signature of Applicant

Date:

Annexure 5

Format for Sponsorship Certificate

(To be submitted on letter head of the Sponsoring Organization along with duly filled in application form)

SPONSORSHIP CERTIFICATE

It is to certify that Mr./Ms. is a bonafide employee of our organization and has been working here as..... (designation) since (date). As per records available with our organization, Mr./Ms. has post qualification (qualifying degree) minimum relevant experience of 2 years/more than 2 years in our organization. In the event of admission of Mr./Ms. in NIPER, he/she would be treated on duty and will be paid salary and allowances for the period for pursuing his/her studies and research and the requisite fee of the candidate will be paid by us.

I understand that in the event of our withdrawal of sponsorship to the student at any stage during the duration of the programme, Mr./Ms.....shall cease to be a student of the institute from the date of withdrawal of the sponsorship.

(Authorized Signatory)



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