

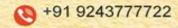
# MPharm / PharmD Post Baccualaureate Online Common Counseling - 2025

Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal

# INFORMATION BROCHURE

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Greetings from Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal to all the candidates who have applied and uploaded the documents before the last date i.e. 15 April 2025

We welcome all successful candidates for the MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling 2025.

#### 1.1 Disclaimer

Candidates with MAHE Merit Rank 2025 are eligible for participation in the Online MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling 2025

- All the candidates are requested to read the instructions carefully, before participating in the online counseling process.
- Candidates are deemed to have read the Counseling Information Brochure and understood the counselling process, in addition to agreeing to the terms and conditions of the Online MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counselling process, before starting the registration process for participation in online MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling.
- All candidates may kindly note that mere registration for online MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling 2025 does NOT confer any automatic rights to secure a MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate seat.
  - The admission to the MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate program is subject to fulfilling the merit, admission criteria, eligibility, and such criteria as may be prescribed by UGC or MAHE Manipal
- Candidates should ensure that all the information filled during the online submission of registration form is correct and factual. Information provided by the candidates in the online registration form shall be treated as correct & self-certified and MAHE Manipal shall not entertain, under any circumstances, any request for change in the information provided by the candidates
- Candidates must visit <a href="https://manipal.edu/mcops.html">https://manipal.edu/mcops.html</a> to <a href="https://manipal.edu/mcops.html">know more about MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate specializations</a>, Fee Structure, Placements, Campus Life and also have first-hand information of the various infrastructure facilities like Department laboratories, Library, Hostel, Sports etc; before filling the choices.
- All email and SMS communication to the candidates will be to the registered email id & mobile number provided at the time of completing the application form.

Queries (if any) must be emailed to official email id  $\underline{admissions@manipal.edu}$  and response will be within 2 – 3 working days. MAHE Manipal cannot be held responsible for no-response to gueries sent to any other email id.

#### 1.2 Participating Institution

MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate counseling 2025 will be conducted for admission to the MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate counseling programs offered by the following Institution.

Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences <a href="https://manipal.edu/mcops.html">https://manipal.edu/mcops.html</a>
 (A Constituent Unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal)

#### MPharm / PharmD Courses: -

- 1. MPharm Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs
- 2. MPharm Industrial Pharmacy
- 3. MPharm Pharmaceutical Analysis
- 4. MPharm Pharmaceutical Biotechnology
- 5. MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry
- 6. MPharm Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance
- 7. MPharm Pharmaceutics
- 8. MPharm Pharmacognosy
- 9. MPharm Pharmacy Practice
- 10. MPharm Pharmacology
- 11. PharmD Post Baccalaureate

# 1.3 Eligibility Criteria

The candidates who fulfill the following eligibility criteria can participate in the 2025 counseling process

- Candidate should have MAHE Merit Rank 2025
- Pass in Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm) from a university recognized by the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), with minimum 55 % aggregate marks or equivalent.

#### **Important Note**

- Candidate should have obtained registration with the State Pharmacy Council OR should obtain the same within
  one month from the date of admission.
- Mandatory to submit a migration certificate obtained from the university where the candidate had passed the BPharm qualifying degree.

# 1.4 Counseling Rounds

Counseling involves 3 rounds as follows. *Depending on University guidelines, an additional round(s) of counseling may be conducted.* 

• Round 1 to 3 (Online rounds): Online Registration is permitted at the beginning of each round. After registration, candidates are required to do the choice filling. Seats will be allotted as per the MAHE Merit Rank 2025, availability of vacancy and choice.

#### Note

The schedule of additional Rounds of online counseling (if any) will be announced later

# 1.4.1 Counseling Portal

All applicants are requested to access <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> for all the activities with respect to Online MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling

- Choice Filling will be through the counseling portal only
- Fee Payment on seat allotment will be through the counseling portal only
- On successful confirmation of Course fee payment, Provisional Admission Order can be downloaded from counseling portal only
- Opting Out & Withdrawal from Counseling process will be through counseling portal only

# 1.4.2 Counseling schedule

Table 1: Online 2025 MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling Schedule

No	Events		Duration	
1	- 1 <sup>st</sup> Round - (Online)	Fresh Registration and Choice Filling	08 May – 14 May 2025	
2		Processing of Seat Allotment	15 May – 16 May 2025	
3		1 <sup>st</sup> Round online seat allotment	16 May 2025 After 8 PM	
4		Payment of Course fees (1st Installment)	16 May 2025 – 23 May 2025	
5		Payment of Balance Course Fee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment)	31 May 2025	
6	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round (Online)	Fresh Registration and Choice Filling	03 Jun – 06 Jun 2025	
7		Modifying filled choices by already registered Candidates	03 Jun – 06 Jun 2025	
8		Processing of Seat Allotment	07 Jun – 09 Jun 2025	
9		2 <sup>nd</sup> Round online seat allotment	09 Jun 2025 After 8 PM	
10		Payment of Course fees (1st Installment)	09 Jun – 16 Jun 2025	
11		Payment of Balance Course Fee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment)	25 Jun 2025	

No	Events		Duration	
12		Fresh Registration and Choice Filling	19 Jun – 23 Jun 2025	
13		Modifying filled choices by already registered Candidates	19 Jun – 23 Jun 2025	
14	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round	Processing of Seat Allotment	24 Jun - 25 Jun 2025	
15	(Online)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round online seat allotment	25 Jun 2025 After 8 PM	
16		Payment of Course fees (1st Installment)	25 Jun – 02 Jul 2025	
17		Payment of Balance Course Fee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment)	10 Jul 2025	
18	Additional Rounds (if any)		To be announced later	

#### 2. COUNSELING PROCEDURE

There are 3 rounds of counseling. All rounds will be Online. Depending on vacancy (if any), an additional round(s) of counseling may be conducted after the  $3^{rd}$  Round. The various steps in the counseling procedure are

- 1. Registration
- 2. Choice Filling
- 3. Seat Allotment
- 4. Course Fee Payment (Installment 1) & Balance Course Fee Payment (Installment 2)
- 5. Provisional Admission Order
- 6. Waitlisting
- 7. Hostel Booking

## 2.1 Registration

- Candidates will have to confirm their participation in the Online Counseling process by logging into <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> with Application number as login ID and Counseling password as password, and update the profile details
- Waitlist Deposit (Rs. 10,000) is to be paid online during the Registration process for the Counseling
  - Having made the payment, candidates will be eligible to provide their choices in order to participate in the Online Counseling process
  - On Seat allotment in any round, 1<sup>st</sup> installment fee has to be paid by the candidate within the timeline specified, to confirm the seat allotment.
    - On fee payment, the waitlist deposit (Rs. 10,000) paid at the time of registration will be converted
      into Refundable Caution Deposit, which is part of the Course fee.
- Fresh Registration is allowed only at the beginning of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> round.
- Mere registration for the counseling does NOT guarantee the allotment of Seat.
  - Seat allotment depends on the candidates MAHE Merit Rank 2025, the number of candidates registering for the counseling, their choice of course / institution and the number of seats available.

# **Important Note**

- On seat allotment in any round, if the first year Course Fee (1<sup>st</sup> Installment i.e. Rs. 2,50,000) is NOT paid before the deadline specified for that round, candidate is out of the counseling process
  - The waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000 paid at the time of registration will be forfeited. Such candidates will
    now be considered as <u>Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit</u>
- Balance Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment) is to be paid as per the time line notified for each round.
- If the balance first year Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment as mentioned in the below Table 2) is NOT paid before the deadline specified for that round, candidate is out of the counseling process and the 1<sup>st</sup> instalment fee paid will be refunded as per UGC Refund policy (Refer www.manipal.edu/fees for refund rules)

#### 2.2 Choice Filling

Choice filling is permitted at the beginning of 1st, 2nd and 3rd round for the registered candidates only

#### 2.2.1 First Time choice Filling

- After making payment of the waitlist deposit (Rs. 10,000), the candidate can fill in as many choices as possible from
  the list, as per preference and must click on SAVE button to save the changes. Without clicking "SAVE" button,
  choices entered will NOT be saved.
- Please Number the Program as per your priority. Most preferred Program to be numbered as Preference 1, then Preference 2, Preference 3 and so on .....
  - Preference 1 is mandatory
  - o Preference 2 11 are optional.
    - For Example, if your most preferred Program is MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry at MCOPS Manipal, please number it as "1". If your second preference is MPharm Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs at MCOPS Manipal, please number it as "2". If your third preference is MPharm Pharmacy Practice at MCOPS Manipal, please number it as "3" and so on
    - On submission of options by the candidate, it is considered that candidates are very much interested in the options submitted, hence on seat allotment / upgradation, it will be accepted by the candidate. Once allotted, there is no process of reversal. Hence, you may give Preferences 2

       11 only if you are interested
  - Candidates are advised to fill in the choices (institutes and Program) of their interest only
  - After saving, download / save / print a copy of the filled choices for future reference.

# 2.2.2 Choice Filling in Subsequent Rounds

- Having registered & submitted choices in a particular round, when portal opens up for choice filling for the next round (2<sup>nd</sup> Round), the choices filled in the previous round will be available for the candidate for modification
- Candidates may make changes to the choices and submit the same for consideration in that round
  - If candidates do not make any changes, the unchanged choices provided for the previous round will be considered for the current round.
    - At the time of Seat Allotment, the system will check for the Choice(s) of higher priority than the current allotment and the seat will be allotted to the candidates as per MAHE Merit Rank 2025, vacancy and choice.
      - For example, in the previous round the candidate is provisionally admitted to the MPharm Industrial Pharmacy Program at MCOPS MAHE Manipal with preference no. 5 amongst 7 preferences given by the candidate, in the current round of allotment the system will check for preferences 1 to 4 only.
        - If allotment happens, there is no process of reversal. Hence candidates are advised to login, make changes (if necessary) and submit the choices for that round
  - If candidates make any changes, the Candidate MUST click on "Update" button to submit the changes. In this scenario, the candidates are required to put ONLY those choice(s) which are of higher priority than the current provisionally admitted Program.
    - Seat will be allotted to the candidates as per MAHE Merit Rank 2025, vacancy and current choice(s) without considering the Program preference number of the previous round(s).

# **Important Note**

Request you to fill the choices with the browser zoom option set to 100%

- Candidates are requested to check the correctness of filled choices by clicking "Print" button and save the file for their reference
- The portal will be blocked on Processing of Seat Allotment dates, hence Choice Filling will not be possible during these dates

#### 2.3 Seat Allotment

The Seat allotment in any round will be as per MAHE Merit Rank 2025, preferences provided and availability of the same

- On seat allotment, if the first year Course Fee (1<sup>st</sup> Installment i.e. Rs. 2,50,000) is NOT paid before the deadline specified for that round, candidate is out of the counseling process and will also forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000. Such candidates will now be considered as Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit
  - On forfeiture, if the candidate wishes to participate in next round, he / she will have to register afresh by paying the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000.
    - The forfeited waitlist deposit of the previous rounds cannot be adjusted with the waitlist deposit fee of the subsequent rounds
- Balance Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment as mentioned in the below Table 2) is to be paid as per the time line provided in Table 1, for the respective round of seat allotted.
  - Failure to make balance fee payment within the timeline provided, will lead to cancellation of allotted seat, candidate will be out of counseling process and paid fee will be refunded as per Refund Rules (Refer Section 6)

# 2.4 Course Fee Payment

On seat allotment, full first year fee is to be paid within the stipulated timeline mentioned in Table 1, as per seat allotment round timelines. To ease the burden of payment, MAHE Manipal has decided to allow part payment of the fees. The 1<sup>st</sup> year fee payment is split into 2 components refer Table 2 for 1<sup>st</sup> installment and 2<sup>nd</sup> installment.

Table 2: Course Fee Table

	Waitlist	Course Fee	Balance Course Fee	Total First
Course	Deposit	(1 <sup>st</sup> Installment)	(2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment)	Year
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Course Fee
MPharm Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs	10,000	2,50,000	2,30,000	4,90,000
MPharm Industrial Pharmacy	10,000	2,50,000	2,30,000	4,90,000
MPharm Pharmaceutical Analysis	10,000	2,50,000	2,07,000	4,67,000
MPharm Pharmaceutical Biotechnology	10,000	2,50,000	1,76,000	4,36,000
MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry *	10,000	2,50,000	1,76,000	4,36,000
MPharm Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance	10,000	2,50,000	2,30,000	4,90,000
MPharm Pharmaceutics	10,000	2,50,000	2,30,000	4,90,000
MPharm Pharmacognosy *	10,000	2,50,000	1,76,000	4,36,000
MPharm Pharmacy Practice	10,000	2,50,000	1,76,000	4,36,000
MPharm Pharmacology	10,000	2,50,000	2,30,000	4,90,000
PharmD Post Baccalaureate	10,000	2,50,000	2,70,000	5,30,000

<sup>\*</sup> Scholarship Criteria for MPharm in Pharmaceutical Chemistry and MPharm in Pharmacognosy Eligibility Criteria

• Pass in Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm) from a university recognized by the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), with minimum 55 % aggregate marks or equivalent.

Fee waiver: 20% of Course Fee (excluding Caution Deposit)

# 2.4.1 Course Fee (1st Installment) of Rs. 2,50,000

- On Seat Allotment, candidates are required to pay Rs.2,50,000 before the last date specified for payment for that round
- On completion of 1<sup>st</sup> installment payment, the allotted seat is provisionally confirmed and the candidate will be able to download the provisional admission order from the counseling portal
  - o On confirmation of Fee payment, the allotted candidate becomes a Provisionally Admitted Candidate
- Kindly note that the Waitlist Deposit fee of Rs. 10,000 paid at the time of registration will be converted into Refundable Caution deposit on completion of 1<sup>st</sup> Installment Fee payment
- Failure to make the 1<sup>st</sup> installment fee payment within the timeline specified, will lead to cancellation of the allotted seat, candidate is out of the counseling process and will also **forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000.** Such candidates will now be considered as Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit
  - On forfeiture, if the candidate wishes to participate in next round, he / she will have to register afresh by paying the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000.
  - The forfeited waitlist deposit of the previous rounds cannot be adjusted with the waitlist deposit fee of the subsequent rounds

# 2.4.2 Balance Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment)

- Having made the first part payment of Rs. 2,50,000, the candidate is expected to make the balance fee payment as per timeline mentioned in Table 1, for that seat allotted.
- Failure to make balance fee payment within the timeline provided, will lead to cancellation of allotted seat, candidate will be out of counseling process and paid fee will be refunded as per Refund Rules (Refer Section 6)
  - On cancellation, if the candidate wishes to participate in next round, he / she will have to register afresh by paying the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000.

# **Important Note**

- In case of withdrawal (if any) during or after the counseling process, the fee will be deducted as per UGC Refund policy (refer www.manipal.edu/fees)
- Kindly note that this provision (Payment of fee in instalment) is applicable for remitting the First-year fee only for the candidates taking fresh admission in academic year 2025-26.
  - From 2<sup>nd</sup> year onwards, full fee is to be paid at the beginning of every year as per the timeline to be specified by the respective Institute.

#### 2.4.3 Fee Payment Options

Fee payment of 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Installment can be done using 2 methods. Kindly note that transaction charges (if any) **MUST** be borne by the candidate

# 2.4.3.1 Option 1: Online Payment

- Pay online at https://counseling.manipal.edu
  - The fee receipt acknowledgement will be generated instantly
  - You will be able to download the Provisional Admission order instantly, on successful transfer

# 2.4.3.2 Option 2: NEFT / RTGS Payment

- NEFT / RTGS payment in favor of "Manipal Academy of Higher Education"
  - SB A/c 007201000089, IFSC code ICIC0000072
  - Address: ICICI Bank, Manipal Branch, Kasturba Hospital Complex, Manipal, Karnataka.

- No Cash Payments. Please do not pay the I Instalment Program Fee as cash / cheque directly into the bank account
- On completion of fee transfer, Login to <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a>, click on "NEFT payment Details" to submit the following details
  - Payment Date, Unique Transaction Reference (UTR) Number, Account Holder's Name and Amount,
     Counter slip to be uploaded.
  - In case of NEFT Payment, if the transaction detail is NOT entered by the candidate in candidate portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> as mentioned above within the fee payment deadline, it will be considered that the payment has NOT been made, the allotted seat will be cancelled and the candidate will be out-of-the-counseling process and will also forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000. Such candidates will now be considered as <a href="Exitted Candidates with Forfeiture">Exitted Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit</a>

#### 2.5 Provisional Admission Order

Candidate can download the Provisional Admission order from the Counseling portal

- On successful confirmation by the University of fee payment, for freshly allotted candidates
- If / when the seat gets upgraded for provisionally admitted candidates

#### 2.6 Waitlist

The following candidates are eligible for the waitlist

- Registered candidates who have taken a seat in any round and wish to participate in subsequent rounds of counseling (Provisionally Admitted Candidates)
- Registered candidates who have NOT been allotted any seat in the previous round. (Waitlisted Candidates)

# 2.6.1 Waitlist Procedure

The waitlisting process for every round is online at <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a>

- Registered & waitlisted candidates can participate in all rounds of counseling.
  - Registered candidates, who have NOT got the seat in the previous round(s), can opt for the waitlist.
    - In case the candidate is NOT allotted any seat in any rounds of counseling, the waitlist deposit will be refunded within 1 month of completion of all rounds of Counseling
      - ✓ For this the candidates are required to update the Account details (Name of the account holder, A/c Number, Bank Name, Branch Address and IFSC code) in the Counseling portal. The site is Safe and Secure
- As per Counseling Schedule, Candidates must login to <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> with Application number as login ID and Counseling password as the password.
  - The candidate can fill in as many choices as possible for waitlisting, from the list as per preference and must click on **UPDATE** button.
  - On submission of options by the candidate, it is considered that candidates are very much interested in the options submitted, hence on seat allotment / upgradation, it will be accepted by the candidate. Once allotted, there is no process of reversal. Hence, you may give Preferences only if you are interested
  - Candidates are advised to fill in the choices (institutes and Program) of their interest only
  - After updating, download, save / print a copy of the filled in choices for future reference.
- If the candidate wants to participate in the subsequent round of counseling, he / she can login to the candidate portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> and modify the choices, and click on **UPDATE** button.
  - If a candidate does NOT modify his / her choices at all, then the choices given in the previous round will be considered for the current round, till the final round of MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate counseling.

- If allotment happens, there is no process of reversal. Hence candidates are advised to login, make changes (if necessary) and submit the choices for that round
- If the candidate remains unallotted a seat after the final round of MPharm / PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counseling, the choices provided will become null and void and the waitlist deposit will be refunded.
- If the candidate forgets the password, click on "forgot password" to receive the password via SMS and e-mail

#### **Important Note**

- Seats will be allotted as per the MAHE Merit Rank 2025, availability of vacancy and choices provided.
- All candidates MUST login to the portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> to check the Seat Allotment status as per Counseling schedule (Table 1)
- Non-receipt of SMS / Email confirmation will **NOT** be considered as a reason for non-payment of 1<sup>st</sup> Installment fee within the specified deadline.

#### On Seat allotment,

- If the Provisionally admitted candidate gets upgraded to a new Program in subsequent round(s),
  - The previously allotted Program will be cancelled and provisional admission order of the previous Program will be null & void
  - The candidate can download the new Provisional Admission order from the Counseling portal.
  - There is NO provision to the candidate to revert to the previously allotted Program
  - Balance Course Fee (if any) is to be paid as per the time line provided in Table 2, for the respective round
    of seat allotted.
    - Failure to make balance fee payment within the timeline provided, will lead to cancellation of allotted seat, candidate will be out of counseling process and paid fee will be refunded as per Refund Rules (Refer Section 6)
  - If the candidate wishes to withdraw, they are required to complete the withdrawal process in the Counseling portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> and the fee paid will be refunded as per UGC Fee refund policy.
    - On withdrawal, the candidates will be out of the Counseling process and will now be considered
      as the Withdrawn Candidate
- If the waitlisted candidate gets a seat allotment for the first time,
  - The candidate has to confirm / accept the seat by paying the first year Program Fee (1st Installment i.e. Rs. 2,50,000). Refer Section 2.4.3 for Fee Payment.
  - On successful receipt of payment and confirmation by the University, the candidate can download the Provisional Admission order from the Counseling portal.
    - The waitlisted candidate will now be considered as Provisionally Admitted Candidate.
  - On seat allotment, if the first year Course Fee (1<sup>st</sup> Installment i.e. Rs. 2,50,000) is NOT paid before the deadline specified for that round, candidate is out of the counseling process and will also forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000. These candidates will now be considered as Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit
  - o Balance Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment i.e. as per Table 2) is to be paid as per the time line provided in Table 2, for the respective round of seat allotted. Failure to make balance fee payment within the timeline provided, will lead to cancellation of allotted seat, candidate will be out of counseling process and paid fee will be refunded as per Refund Rules (Refer Section 6)

# 2.6.2 Payment Options

Refer Section 2.4.3

#### **Important Note**

In case of withdrawal (if any), the fee will be deducted as per UGC Refund policy on Total Course Fee (Total First
Year Course fee as mentioned in the above Table 2) irrespective of the fee amount received. (refer
www.manipal.edu/fees)

#### 3. HOSTEL INFORMATION

Admitted / Provisionally Admitted Candidates will be able to book the hostels only on completion of 1st Installment course fee. Please click here for hostel Information

#### 4. OPT OUT OF COUNSELING

Opt Out is an important step for Provisionally Admitted Candidates and Un-Allotted Candidates

# **4.1 Provisionally Admitted Candidates**

A Provisionally Admitted Candidate is one who has completed the 1<sup>st</sup> Installment Course Fee payment. If the Provisionally admitted candidate is **satisfied with the seat allotted** in any of the rounds and does not want to participate in the subsequent rounds, he / she can Opt Out of Counseling.

- To opt out, the candidate must login to the candidates' portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> and click on "OPT OUT" button.
  - On **"OPT OUT"**, the allotted seat will be retained and the candidate will **NOT** be eligible to participate in the subsequent rounds of counseling
- If the candidate does **NOT** opt out, the choices provided will be considered for subsequent rounds for upgradation as per the vacancy.
  - o <u>If the seat is upgraded in the subsequent rounds, candidate has to accept it and he / she has no choice of retaining the previously allotted seat.</u>

For example, a candidate has been upgraded to MPharm Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, MCOPS MAHE Manipal from previously provisionally admitted Program of MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry at MCOPS MAHE Manipal, then the candidate has to accept the MPharm Pharmaceutical Biotechnology at MCOPS MAHE Manipal.

- Balance Course Fee (2<sup>nd</sup> Installment as per Table 2) is to be paid as per the time line provided in Table 1, for the respective round of seat allotted.
  - Failure to make balance fee payment within the timeline provided, will lead to cancellation of allotted seat, candidate will be out of counseling process and paid fee will be refunded as per Refund Rules (Refer Section 6)

#### 4.2 Un-Allotted Candidates

An Un-Allotted Candidate is one who has successfully registered to participate in MPharm/PharmD Post Baccalaureate counseling 2025

- If the candidate is **NOT** allotted any seat in any of the rounds and does **NOT** want to participate in the subsequent rounds, he / she has to Opt Out of Counseling.
  - To opt out, the candidate must login to the candidates' portal <a href="https://counseling.manipal.edu">https://counseling.manipal.edu</a> and click on "OPT OUT" button.
    - On "OPT OUT", the candidate will NOT be eligible to participate in the subsequent rounds of counseling and the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000 will be refunded back to the candidate within 1 month of completion of all rounds of counseling.

- If the candidate does **NOT** opt out, the choices provided will be considered for subsequent rounds for allotment as per the vacancy.
  - If the seat gets allotted in the subsequent rounds, the candidate will have to confirm the seat by paying the first year Program Fee on or before the deadline specified for that round.
  - If the fee is **NOT** paid before the deadline specified, he / she will be out of the counseling process and will also **forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000**. Such candidates will now be considered as <a href="Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit">Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit</a>

## **Important Note**

• The portal will be blocked during Processing of Seat Allotment dates, hence Opt-out of Counseling will not be possible during these dates

#### 5. WITHDRAWAL

Withdrawal is an important step for provisionally admitted candidates only

# 5.1 Before Class commencement (Candidates admitted in Rounds 1 – 3)

- All withdrawals before class commencement must be made through the candidates portal https://counseling.manipal.edu only
  - o The date of submission of the request will be considered as the date of withdrawal.
  - o The refund will be processed as per the UGC refund policy (Refer section 6).
  - Requests for withdrawal via email / telephone / SMS / Whatsapp or any other medium outside of counseling portal will **NOT** be considered.

#### **5.2 After Class commencement**

- All withdrawals after class commencement must be made through the Withdrawal form available at the Academic Section of the admitted institute
  - The application form must be submitted along with the No Dues Form at the Academic Section of the
  - o The date of receipt of the request will be considered as the date of withdrawal.
  - The refund will be processed as per the UGC refund policy (Refer section 6).

#### **Important Note**

- All refunds will be processed based on formally notified last date of admission irrespective of date of admission.
- The portal will be blocked during Processing of Seat Allotment dates, hence Withdrawal will not be possible during these dates

#### 6. FORFEITURE OF WAITLIST DEPOSIT

On seat allotment in any round, if the first year Course Fee (1<sup>st</sup> Installment i.e. Rs. 2,50,000) is NOT paid before the deadline specified for that round, candidate is out of the counseling process and will also forfeit the waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000. Such candidates will now be considered as Exited Candidates with Forfeiture of Waitlist Deposit

#### 7. WITHDRAWN / EXITED CANDIDATES

On rejection of allotted seat (by Provisionally Admitted / Waitlisted candidates), re-entry is possible only for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> round as new registrants by paying waitlist deposit of Rs. 10,000 online.

- The forfeited waitlist deposit of the previous rounds cannot be adjusted with the waitlist deposit fee of the subsequent rounds
- After successful payment of the waitlist deposit, the candidates will be permitted to fill the choices as per section
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#### 8. SCHOLARSHIPS

All candidates are advised to visit the respective institute websites for more information on Scholarships: www.manipal.edu/scholarships

#### 9. FEE REFUND RULES

In case of withdrawal (if any), the fee will be deducted as per UGC Refund policy (refer www.manipal.edu/fees)

# 10. CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTS

The following is the list of documents required for the document verification process during the Physical Reporting at the respective Institutes.

No	Document Name	
1	UG marks card issued by the recognized University#	
2	Provisional/Degree certificate#	
3	Conduct / Character Certificate issued by school / college #	
4	Registration Certificate issued by the State Pharmacy Council #	
5	Migration certificate issued by the university #	
6	Aadhaar Card of the Candidate #	
7	Pan Card of the Parent(s) #	

<sup>\*</sup>Original Document is required for Verification / Submission.

Qualification obtained from Boards established by

- (i) An Act of Central / State Government
- (ii) A Gazette Notification of Central / State Government
- (iii) Executive orders issued by Central / State Government are only considered.

If a Result awaited Candidate fails in any one of the subject(s) **OR** fails to secure the required percentage of marks as per the eligibility criteria, he / she is required to inform the Admissions Office MAHE Manipal at <u>admissions@manipal.edu</u> immediately after declaration of the results. The allotted seat will be cancelled; Candidate will be out of counseling.

#### 11. QUERY RESOLUTION

Any queries other than the information provided in this information brochure, are to be addressed to <a href="mailto:admissions@manipal.edu">admissions@manipal.edu</a> only, mentioning the Application No. in the email Subject line.

- All emails will be addressed within 2 working days
- Queries sent to any other email ids will NOT be replied to.

# **12. PUBLIC ADVISORY**

 All candidates and their parents are requested to read the Disclaimer (Section 1.1), before proceeding for the registration process

- Candidates are deemed to have read this counseling information brochure and have understood the counselling process, in addition to agreeing to the terms and conditions of the online MPharm/PharmD Post Baccalaureate Counselling process, before starting the online registration process.
- All admissions are subject to fulfillment of all the eligibility conditions by the candidate.
  - If it is found at a later stage, during active verification, that the candidate has given false information / qualification obtained from unrecognized Board / University or is found to have concealed some information or intentionally delaying the document submission, his / her admission will be cancelled without any notice.
  - It is the responsibility of the candidates to ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility requirements for the course(s) applied.
- We have **NO agents or middlemen** for admissions and all admissions can be secured only by merit.
- Jurisdiction for dispute if any shall be at Udupi court only.

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