

CIRCULAR:-

Attention of the Deans, affiliated Medical Colleges and the Director, All India Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation is here invited to the Ordinances, Regulations and Syllabi relating to the Ph.D. in Occupational Therapy *vide* Pamphlet No.75 and to this office Circular No.UG.427 of 2004, dated 14th October, 2004 and they are hereby informed that the recommendation made by the Research and Recognition committee for the Ad-hoc Committee in Occupational Therapy under the Faculty of Medicine at its meeting held on 29th September, 2004 has been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 8th October, 2004 *vide* item No 4 (i) and subsequently approved by the Management Council at its meeting held on 29th October, 2004 *vide* item No 22 and that in accordance therewith the following new Ordinances relating to the recognition of persons as teachers of the University for guiding the students of Ph.D. in Occupational Therapy has been passed :-

ORDINANCES RELATING TO THE RECOGNITION OF
PERSONS AS TEACHERS OF THE UNIVERSITY
FOR PH.D. IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

O. 5463. Except in the case of persons with pre-eminent qualifications, recognition will ordinarily be granted only on application made in the prescribed format.

O. 5464. Every application for recognition as a teacher of the University shall be made in writing in the form provided for the purpose by the University, and shall be submitted through the Head of the College or Recognized Institution in which the applicant is working.

O. 5465. The Head of the College of Recognized Institutions, through whom the application is submitted and the applicant shall give such further information as may be required by the University in connection with the application of the candidate to be recognized as a teacher of the University.

O. 5466. Teachers to be recognised for the Ph.D. degree in Occupational Therapy must have :-

A Ph.D. degree or equivalent in Occupational Therapy and research publications, which may include articles embodying the results of research or investigations, published in recognized journals (other than publications based on thesis submitted for any research degree to their credit in the subject of occupational therapy) and ten years experience of having taught post-graduate classes, and successfully guided at least ten candidates for the Master's degree in Occupational Therapy.

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OR

A Master's degree in Occupational Therapy and who are at present heads of Department in the institutes conducting undergraduate or postgraduate degree course in Occupational Therapy with considerable research work to their credit in addition to publications, which may include articles embodying the results of research or investigations, published in recognized journals (other than publications based on thesis submitted for any research degree to their credit in the subject of Occupational Therapy) and ten years experience of having taught post-graduate classes, or successfully guided at least ten candidates for the Master's degree in Occupational Therapy of this University.

OR

A Master's degree in Occupational Therapy with considerable research work of recognize merit to their credit in addition to publications, which may include articles embodying the results of research or investigations, published in recognized journals (other than publications based on thesis submitted for any research degree to their credit in the subject of Occupational Therapy) and fifteen years experience of having taught post-graduate classes, and successfully guided at least fifteen candidates for the Master's degree in Occupational Therapy of this University.

Further that the aforesaid Ordinances have been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2004-2005.

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22nd November, 2004

To

The Deans, affiliated Medical Colleges and the Director, All India Institute of Physical Rehabilitation.

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Copy forwarded with compliments for information to :-

1) The Dean, Faculty of Medicine.

2) The Chairman, Ad-hoc Committee in Occupational Therapy

for Lc. REGISTRAR

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