

# AMALA SCHOOL OF NURSING

(An Undertaking of Amala Cancer Hospital Society)  
AMALA NAGAR - 680 555, THRISSUR

PROSPECTUS FOR ADMISSION TO DIPLOMA IN GENERAL NURSING AND MIDWIFERY  
COURSE – 2023 ADMISSION.

## *Preface*

*Amala School of Nursing, named after Blessed Mary Immaculate, is a minority Christian institution which is open to all irrespective of religion, caste or creed. It aims at giving effective Nursing training to the youth to become professionals devoted to the healing ministry, especially in rural areas. It also strives to strengthen the quality of service offered in the large number of Medical institutions run by the community. Amala School of Nursing is a unit of Amala Cancer Hospital Society managed by the Devamatha Province of the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI) founded by Saint Kuriakose Elias Chavara. Students are admitted to this Institute as per the admission procedure stipulated by the concerned authorities and in the tenor of the admission policy of the management.*

## **1 Vision**

*To establish a Centre of Excellence providing value-added education that combines effective teaching, focused academic exposure, and productive research with the aim of training healthcare personnel with professionalism and spirit of love and service as their hallmarks.*

## **2 Mission**

*We constantly seek to recruit brilliant staff and provide state-of-the art infrastructure in an eco-friendly ambience with a view to challenging the students to become forward-looking, dedicated Nurses imbued with compassionate love towards all, especially the poor and the marginalized.*

## **3. PHILOSOPHY OF NURSING SCHOOL**

We believe that quality in nursing care and management of nursing service is achieved through professional nurses who assist in the development of comprehensive programme of delivering patient care.

We believe that nursing education is organized within the framework of the hospital system in such a way that it can achieve its goal of preparing nurses for the first level positions in nursing both in the hospital and in the community.

We believe that the nursing education department formulates the nursing curriculum, its nature and the end that it seeks to achieve.

We believe that the nursing educational department determines the selection of best students, preparation of faculty, development of the curriculum, attitude towards patient and community and the personal life and the professional growth of every member of the student body and the faculty.

We believe in preparing a person who can fulfill the role, function and responsibilities of the professional nurse within oneself and to the society.

## **4. MANAGEMENT**

Chief Trustee	: Rev.Fr. Jose Nandhikkara, CMI
Director	: Rev.. Julious Arakkal CMI
Associate Director	: Rev. Fr. Antony Perinchery CMI
Associate Director	: Rev.Fr. Jaison Mundanmany CMI
Associate Director	: Rev.Fr. Shibu Puthenpuraackal CMI
Associate Director	: Rev.Fr. Deljo Puthoor CMI
Assistant Director	: Rev.Fr. Antony Mannummel CMI
Chief Nursing Officer	:Rev. Sr. Likhitha MSJ

## ADMINISTRATION

Rev.Sr. Mini SCV : Principal

Rev.Sr. Reena Varghese OSF : Vice Principal

### **5. HISTORY OF AMALA INSTITUTE OF MEDICALSCIENCES**

Amala Cancer Hospital & Research Centre was Established in the year 1978. The Hospital is registered as a charitable, non- profit making Society under Travancore-Cochin Literary Scientific and Charitable Societies act and is run by a Board of Management under the Trusteeship of CMI Devamatha Province. Its services are open to all, irrespective of caste or creed. At present the Centre has different wings:- Medical College, Medical College Hospital, College of Nursing, School of Nursing, Cancer Research Centre, Ayurvedic Hospital & Research Centre, Homeopathic Hospital & Research Centre. Amala Institute of Medical Sciences was started in 2003 under the aegis of Amala Cancer Hospital Society.

At present the following courses are offered in this Institute. MS, MD, DNB, MBBS, M.Sc & B.Sc. Nursing, General Nursing and Midwifery, Diploma in DRRT, DMLT.

### **6. LOCATION**

Amala is located near Thrissur Town, on the foot of the Vilangan Hills. It is well connected by buses from all parts of Kerala and other neighbouring states.

### **7. DIPLOMA IN GENERAL NURSING AND MIDWIFERY**

This educational programme enables the students to acquire adequate knowledge and skill to give efficient nursing care. The three year course is conducted as per the syllabus prescribed by the Indian Nursing Council. Diploma is awarded by the Kerala Nurses and Midwives Council.

### **8. NUMBER OF SEATS**

This school has an annual intake of 40 students.

### **9. GENERAL OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE**

1. The candidate on completion of this course will be able to:
  - a. Assess the nursing need of clients from birth to death.
  - b. Plan and carry out appropriate action to meet nursing needs.
  - c. Provide effective nursing care to maintain best possible level of health in all aspects.
  - d. Promote self care in people under their care.
  - e. Apply problem solving techniques in nursing practice.
  - f. Evaluate effectiveness of nursing care.
2. Apply knowledge from the humanities, biological and behavioral sciences in functioning as a nurse.
3. Function effectively with members of the health team and community applying the knowledge of human relations and communication skill in her work.
4. Participate as member of the health team in delivery of curative, preventive, promotive and rehabilitative health care services.
5. Demonstrate use of ethical values in their personal and professional life.
6. Demonstrate interest in activities of professional organization.
7. Recognize the need for continuing education for professional development.
8. Demonstrate basic skills in teaching patients and giving nursing care to them.
9. Demonstrate basic skills in administration and leadership while working with other members of health team and community.
10. Assist in research activities.

## **11.ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:**

1. **Academic:-** Higher Secondary (Plus Two) Pass with an aggregate of 70% marks. Preference will be given to candidate with Biology, Physics & Chemistry. In the absence of science group, any group with an aggregate of 70% mark will be considered.

2. **Age:-** The candidate should be 17 years of age and should not be more than 35 years.

**Eligibility certificate:-** Candidate can be a resident of any state in India. Candidates who have passed their qualifying examination from outside the state of Kerala shall produce the certificate of recognition and equivalency of qualifying examination from Board of Kerala. This should be furnished at the time of interview for admission.

### **For foreign nationals**

- The entry qualification equivalency i.e., 12<sup>th</sup> standard will be obtained by Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi.

### **3. Reservation**

- a) For disabled candidates: 3% disability reservation to be considered with a disability of locomotor to the tune of 40% to 50% of the lower extremity.
  - b) 10% is reserved for SC/ST candidates.
  - c) Any other quotas as per the State Govt. under the reservation policy.
4. Admission of students shall be once in a year.
  5. Students shall be medically fit.

## **11. HOW TO APPLY**

Application form available from **Principal's Office** on payment of Rs.250/- in person from 01/06/2023 onwards (Time: 9.00 am to 4.00 pm). Late and defective applications will not be considered.

## **12. SELECTION**

1. Admission to Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery will be made on merit as assessed on the basis of the total marks secured by the candidates for the Part III Optional Subjects at the Plus two/equivalent examination and an interview.
2. After verification of certificates the applied Candidates will be called for an interview by selection committee and selected list will be prepared by the Committee. Candidates should produce all original certificates and documents for verification at the time of interview. The date and venue of interview will be intimated later.

### **The selection committee will consist of**

- (1) Council Nominee
- (2) Director of the institution
- (3) Medical Superintendent
- (4) Chief Nursing Officer
- (5) Principal of the School of Nursing,

The select list will be published by the Principal, School of Nursing on the next day of interview at 8 am.

### **13. ADMISSION**

1. The selected candidates will be informed of the date and time of admission.
2. The student shall pay the full fees of first year course, at the time of admission.
3. Fees once paid will not be refunded, except the mess fee.
4. Second year onwards fee is to be paid in advance, in two installments, in the month of September and March.
5. The students are expected to confirm the seats by the submission of following certificates at the time of admission.

SSLC certificate

+2 Certificate

TC

Conduct Certificate

5 passport size photos & 3 stamp size photos.

### **14. ANTI RAGGING**

Ragging is AN OFFENCE PUNISHABLE UNDER LAW.

Ragging in any form is prohibited in the campus. Any students indulging in any form of ragging will be dismissed from the school. Each student shall make a consent regarding this at the time of admission. An Anti Ragging Committee will be in place to ensure a Ragging free environment.

### **15. CONCESSION**

Selected candidates are eligible for educational concession/ scholarship/grants/admissible for SC/ST/OEC candidates. Hostel facility will be provided to candidates, if required.

### **16. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES**

Those who leave the course after the last date for admission will be required to pay the entire tuition fee of the course as liquidated damages.

### **17. USE OF MOBILE PHONE**

Mobile phone is allowed on Sundays from 12.30 pm to 4.00 pm. If students need to place an emergency phone call during the other days may request to hostel warden and use the phone as per instruction.

### **18. GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS**

- Immediately after entering the school, the students shall make themselves acquainted with all the rules of the institution.
- The students are not allowed to accept gift of any kind from the patients or patient's relatives.
- All text books are to be purchased from the school.
- All the students should wear uniform during duty hours as per the guidelines of the institution.
- The students shall be elegant in appearance and polite in behaviour and courteous in dealing with superiors, colleagues as well as patients.
- The students shall be punctual in their attendance for classes and other duties. A minimum of 80% attendance in theory classes and 100% clinical attendance for each subjects is necessary to appear for the examination.
- The students are expected to follow the time table and observe order and silence at the

school, Hospital and its premises.

- The hostel inmates are expected to attend daily prayers without failure.
- The students shall be willing to carry out any work allotted to them, while on duty, under the direct supervision of the ward sister in charge and tutors.
- Disciplinary action will be taken for disobedience, dishonesty, indifference, negligence etc. At any time during the course, the students will be subject to dismissal for serious misconduct or repeated neglect of duties.

#### **19. SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS AMALA SCHOOL OF NURSING**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Award</b>	<b>Description of Award</b>
1	Mother Hentrica Educational Scholarship	➤ Rs.2000 per person for four students 2000x4=8000 Rs, Top scores in the PTSExamination giving due consideration to the financially challenged students.
2	Alumni Association Scholarship	➤ Rs.2000 for top scorer in the first year ➤ Rs.2000 for top scorer in the second year ➤ Rs.2000 for best outgoing student ➤ Rs.2500 for best academic performer

#### **Other scholarships**

Financial assistance to economically backward students by Amala Management and appropriate benefactors.

The students also receives scholarship from Shalom Trust, Post matric scheme, other charitable societies and agencies

E-grantz are received by the SC/ST students.

#### **20. Fee for Diploma in Nursing for the Year 2023 Admission**

Item	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year
ADMISSION FEE	1500/-	NIL	NIL
REGISTRATION FEE	500/-	NIL	NIL
AFFILIATION / INSPECTION FEE	1000/-	NIL	NIL
COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING	1100/-	NIL	1100/-
EXAMINATION FEE	600/-	600/-	600/-
TUTION FEE	18000/-	18000/-	18000/-
LIBRARY FEE	500/-	500/-	500/-
MEDICAL FEE	500/-	200/-	200/-
LAB FEE	500/-	500/-	500/-
CAUTION DEPOSIT (REFUNDABLE)	1000/-	NIL	NIL
TRANSPORTATION FEE	1000/-	1000/-	1000/-
SNA	600/-	500/-	500/-
MEDICAL INSURANCE	1800/-	NIL	NIL
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>28600/-</b>	<b>21300/-</b>	<b>22400/-</b>
ESTABLISHMENT FEE	6000/-	6000/-	6000/-
HOSTEL ADVANCE	5000	NIL	NIL
MESS FEE RS.2600/-(per month to be paid directly to the service provider).			

Note: Cost of Books and Uniform are not included in the above fees.

**SC/ST/OEC STUDENTS: - These amounts will be made good by the government.**

Items	1 <sup>st</sup> year	2 <sup>nd</sup> year	3 <sup>rd</sup> year
Tuition Fee	15000/-	15000/-	15000/-
KNMC Registration Fee	Nil	Nil	Nil
Transportation Charge	1000/-	1000/-	1000/-
CHN affiliation Fee	1100/-	Nil	1100/-
Annual Exam Fee	600/-	600/-	600/-
Lab Fee	500/-	500/-	500/-
Library Fee	500/-	500/-	500/-

- Fee has to be paid in advance. Fee once paid will not be refunded.
- All fees are applicable to timely changes.

Principal

All enquiries to :

Principal

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