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To

All Institutions approved u/s 12 of the Pharmacy Act, 1948

Sub: Ranking & Rating of Pharmacy Colleges offering UG Program by QCI.

Ref: Our Circular No. 14-414/2025-PCI dt. 24.4.2025.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is in supersession to Council's circular dt. 24.4.2025. In this connection, it is intimated that –

The Pharmacy Council of India (PCI) is revolutionizing the ranking and rating system for pharmacy education institutes in India by shifting from a compliance-driven model to one that fosters a culture of excellence. To achieve this, PCI has partnered with the Quality Council of India (QCI)- an autonomous body set up by Ministry of Commerce and Industry, to develop a cutting-edge ranking and rating system that focuses on regulatory compliance and outcomes.

The collaboration has formulated 11 criteria and associated parameters for evaluating pharmacy educational institutes, with the ultimate goal of enhancing the overall quality of pharmacy education in India. To establish a robust and transparent ranking framework, PCI evaluated the ranking and rating ecosystem by pilot-testing draft criteria and parameters with select pharmacy institutes from different regions.

Accordingly, you are hereby informed that the process of ranking & rating of pharmacy colleges for the Academic Year 2025-26 has commenced and your institution has been considered eligible for Ranking & Rating for the year 2025-26. You are hereby directed to:

- Take part in the training sessions to be conducted by QCI immediately.
- Upload the required data on the online portal as per QCI guidelines.
- Provide access to QCI/Authorized assessors for onsite verification of parameters.
- Adhere to the timeline provided by QCI and PCI from time to time.
- Pay an ranking fee of INR 1 lakh plus GST to QCI through online mode.
- The schedule for ranking & rating of pharmacy colleges is as under:
 - Issuance of letter to respective colleges- 1st May 2025
 - Registration on QCI portal and fee payment: 15th-30th May
 - Application Submission: June 1st - July 7th 2025

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- Training of assessors and colleges: 1st June- 7th July
- Desktop ranking: 1st June- 15th July
- Onsite ranking: 1st August onwards

This for your urgent necessary action

For further inquiries or clarifications, please contact –

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Your prompt cooperation in this initiative is highly appreciated.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully

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