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ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2023-2024



BDS COURSE

The academic year for the summer batch begins from August 2023 to July 2024. The working and vacation schedule will be released by the university prior to the commencement of the academic year. The same will be circulated amongst the departments for their information. The academic year for the first BDS course will commence from January 2024 due to delay in the centralized admission process. The overall academic program will be divided into two terms: Term I- August 1st 2023 to Jan 31st 2024 and term II- Feb 1st 2024 to July 31st 2024.

The academic year for the winter batch will begin from January 2024.

The program schedule during the academic year is as follows:

I BDS to IV BDS (Summer and winter batch):

I] Lecture, practical and clinical schedule

1. The lectures and the practicals will be conducted based on the time table which will be as per the norms prescribed by the university.
2. The clinical posting for the third BDS and the final BDS will be conducted in two parts beginning from January 2024 and ending by October 2024 with vacation being incorporated in between. A grace period of 15days will be kept at the end of all postings for the students to complete any posting which they may have missed owing to certain unavoidable circumstances.
3. The orientation program for the first BDS students and their parents will be held in the month of January 2024.
4. Remedial lecture will be held from 3pm to 4pm every Saturday.
5. Internal Assessment Examination marks and list of slow learners should be submitted to the office within 15 days after the examination.




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II] Examination schedule:

- There will be three internal assessment exams conducted for the students during their academic year. An additional internal assessment exam will be held at the end of the third
- IAE for those students who missed one of the preceding IAE owing to unavoidable medical emergencies.
- The internal assessment exams will be held as per the following schedule:
 - 1. Winter batch (For III and IV BDS)**
 - First IAE: April 2024
 - Second IAE: July 2024
 - Third IAE: September 2024
 - 2. Summer batch:**
 - First IAE : December 2023
 - Second IAE : February 2024
 - Third IAE: April 2024
- 3. The final internal assessment ratios have to be submitted to the office and further to MUHS as per the notification received from MUHS from time to time.
- 4. The university examinations will be held during June-July 2024 for summer batch and November-December 2024 for winter batch

Internship:

- The internship will commence from September 2023. A compulsory one year rotatory internship will be programmed for the students as per the rules and regulations established by the university and central council..
- An orientation program will be held in the month of September 2023 for the interns.
- Student council will be established and introduced in the month of September -October 2023 and duties will be allotted.
- The primary responsibility of the students will be to perform the department academic and clinical activities as per the norms laid out by the respective departments.



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- In addition, the students should also participate in the college activities like camps, scientific activities etc as deemed necessary from time to time.

TIMELINE FOR THE UNDERGRADUATE ACTIVITIES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

Sr. No	Activity	Date
1	Beginning of academic year (IInd to IVth BDS)	August 2023
2	Beginning of academic year (I BDS)	October 2023
3	Orientation program- I BDS	October 2023
4	Orientation program for Internship	September 2023
5	Establishing of student council	September 2023
6	Examination schedule Winter batch	
	First IAE	October 2023
	Second IAE	December 2023
	Third IAE	February 2024
7	Examination schedule Summer batch	
	First IAE	December 2023
	Second IAE	February 2024





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Third IAE

April 2024

8	Internal assessment ratio submission Summer batch	As per MUHS Notification
9	Internal assessment marks submission First IAE Second IAE Third IAE	As per MUHS notification




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MDS COURSE

The academic year for the MDS course begins from October/November 2023. The overall duration of the post-graduate course will be of 36 months. Two university based examinations will be held during the time frame. The first examination will be a theory paper (Basic Sciences) which will be held in the month of November 2024 for the first MDS students and the second examination will include theory and practical examination for the third MDS students will be held in July-August 2026.

The program schedule during the academic year is as follows:

1. The orientation and counseling program for the first MDS (newly enrolled) students and their parents will be held in the October/November 2023.
2. A research methodology workshop will be conducted for the first MDS students as per MUHS guidelines tentatively in the month of January/February 2024. It is compulsory to attend this workshop to be eligible for appearing for the Part I exam.
3. Regular basic sciences lectures will be conducted for the first MDS students in the month of April-May 2024.
4. The synopsis has to be submitted within six months from the date of joining as per the guidelines prescribed by MUHS, Nashik and Central Council. The post-graduates will be informed to prepare the synopsis as per the format provided by MUHS and submitted to IRB/IEC institution for their approval. Once approval is obtained from IEC, the same will be forwarded to Board of Research Studies (BORS) constituted by the Institution for its approval. Following the approval by BORS, the synopsis will be submitted to the university as per the norms prescribed.
5. The post graduate students of all departments should attend the peripheral posting every Sunday at the satellite centers as per the posting schedule prepared by the institution.



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6. A regular six-monthly progress report have to be prepared by the students and submitted to the college which in turn will be submitted to the university from time to time.

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7. The university exams (theory) will be held at for Paper I- Basic Sciences around October/November 2024.
8. The second MDS students will appear for an institutional level examination (Theory and Practical) as decided by the respective departments in co-ordination with the examination committee from time to time.
9. Students should regularly present seminars, journal clubs, clinical case presentations as per the DCI and MUHS norms.
10. The post-graduate students should also undertake lectures for the undergraduate students as prescribed by the DCI guidelines and decided by the respective departments
11. It is mandatory for the students to attend at least 2 specialty national conferences and 2 PG convention during their three year post graduate tenure. Additionally, it is necessary to have a minimum of three scientific presentations (Oral and poster).
12. Library dissertation should be submitted by the II MDS students duly signed by the Head of the departments and the Dean by March 2024 (18 months from the date of joining for the respective academic batch). A certificate of duly completed library dissertation signed by the Head of the Department and Head of the Institution will then be submitted to MUHS, Nashik.
13. The tentative thesis submission date for the III MDS students will be approximately six months before appearing for university examination or as decided by MUHS.
14. The final exam for the third MDS students will be tentatively held in the months of May/June 2024.
15. Regular meeting and counseling sessions will be held with the students and the parents of all the three years from time to time.



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**TIMELINE FOR THE POSTGRADUATE (MDS) ACTIVITIES FOR THE ACADEMIC
YEAR 2023-2024- I MDS**

Sr. No	Activity	Date
1	Beginning of academic year	October/November 2023
2	Orientation and counselling program	November/ December 2023
3	Research Methodology Workshop	January/ February 2024
4	Synopsis presentation to IRB/IEC	March 2024
5	Synopsis submission to university	March/April 2024
6	Submission of six-monthly progress report	May 2024
7	University examination (Basic Sciences)	November 2024

**TIMELINE FOR THE POSTGRADUATE (MDS) ACTIVITIES FOR THE ACADEMIC
YEAR 2023-2024- II MDS**


Sr. No	Activity	Date
1	Submission of library dissertation	April 2024
2	Submission of six- monthly progress report	April 2024




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**TIMELINE FOR THE POSTGRADUATE (MDS) ACTIVITIES FOR THE ACADEMIC
YEAR 2023-2024- III MDS**

Sr. No	Activity	Date
1	Orientation and counseling program	July/ August 2023
2	Regular appraisal of thesis work and presentation to IRB/IEC (if required)	August 2023
3	Submission of main dissertation	Six months before appearing for university examination or as decided by MUHS
4	Submission of six- monthly progress report	December 2023
5	Final University examination (Theory and Practical)	June/July 2024