

A BRIEF REPORT ON
STUDENT INDUCTION
PROGRAMME
(SIP 2023)
B.PHARM, 1ST SEMESTER



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The Student Induction Program (SIP) for the first-year students of the Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm) program at PIPS, Ghy commenced on 12th September 2023 and spanned a comprehensive schedule of activities over a period of 15 days, concluding on 3rd October 2023. The primary aim of the induction program was to acquaint the students with the institute, inculcate in them the ethos and culture of the institution, help them build bonds with other students and faculty members, and the various aspects of the academic and extracurricular journey that they would embark upon.

Inaugural Ceremony: The inaugural ceremony of SIP programme 2023 for B.Pharm first semester was organized by PIPS, Ghy on 12th September 2023 at Seminar Hall, PIPS from 10.00 am onwards. It was started by a welcome speech followed by lamp lightening ceremony. There was a speech session and welcomed the new batch of students, providing an insightful introduction and setting the tone for the SIP by Prof. (Dr.) Satyendra Deka, Principal, PIPS, Ghy. Mr. Arup Chakraborty, Associate Professor, PIPS, Ghy and Dr. Manas Jyoti Kapil, Associate Professor, PIPS, Ghy elaborated on the institute's achievements, providing an overview of its rich history and academic excellence. Mr. Ananta Saikia, Associate Professor, PIPS, Ghy highlighted the significance of Prostuti, while Ms. Mayuri Phukan, Assistant Professor, PIPS, Ghy shed light on the diverse extracurricular activities available at PIPS. The afternoon session facilitated interactive discussions among new students, parents, and faculty, fostering a sense of community and support. There was a mentor meeting with parents and students. Then the familiarization with the laboratories, facilities and classrooms and campus tour was done by the respective faculties.





There was various Session that have been followed during the induction programme. They are-

BASIC RECALLING SESSION

This session was specially organized by some faculty of the institute which was named as “Prostuti: Linking the knowledge from secondary level to pharmacy level”. In this session recalling of the basic concepts of secondary level which are related to pharmacy course were done by the faculty of the institute namely Mr. Debabrata Nath, Mrs. Tasrina Rahman and Ms. Rosamund Jyrwa and Mr. Ramen Kalita. All the basic topics which are there in pharmacy course were discussed with the students. It was also a very beneficial session for the students. At last one exam was also conducted based on the session.

These sessions offer students a contextual understanding of core scientific principles, linking theoretical knowledge with its practical applications in the pharmaceutical domain. The Prostuti series aims to provide a seamless transition from basic concepts to their relevance in the specialized field of pharmaceutical science.





LABORATORY VISIT:

On dated 13/09/2023 and 14/09/2023, these laboratory visits which was conducted by experienced faculty members, provided students with practical exposure to the instruments and apparatus essential for their academic and professional journey in pharmaceutical science. The hands-on experience in these laboratories enhances their understanding of theoretical concepts and prepares them for future experimentation and research in the field. The person in-charges of this session were the Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Dr. Manash Jyoti Kapil, Ms. Daphisha Marbaniang, Mr. Debabrata Nath, Ms. Rosamund Jyrwa, Mrs. Tasrina Rahman, Mr. Ramen Kalita, Mr. Tahid Alam and Mr. Surrender Prasad

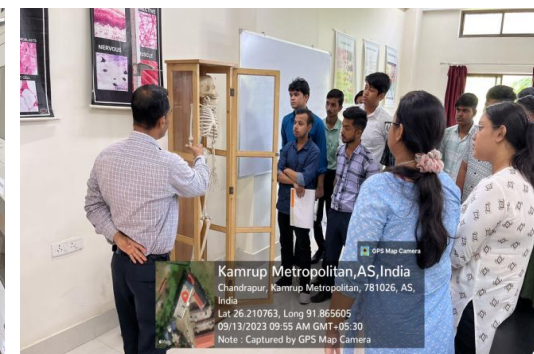
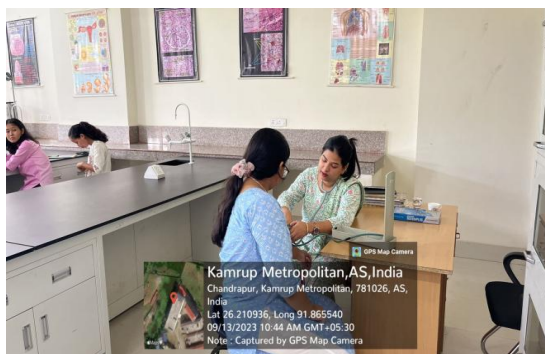


Figure: Pharmacology Laboratory Visit



Figure: Pharmaceutical Chemistry Laboratory Visit



Figure: Pharmacognosy Laboratory Visit

PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES

This involved a daily routine of physical activity with games and sports. There were various games in the evening according to the local climate. These helped the students develop team work besides health. The person in-charges of this module were the Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Mr. Ananta Saikia, Ms. Mayuri Phukan, Ms. Daphisa Marbaniang, Mr. Tahid Alam and Ms. Anshumita Saikia. The students involved themselves in various games like badminton, cricket, volley ball, football, ludo, chess, etc.



HEALTH AND RELATED ACTIVITIES

The module is intended to help understand the basic principles to remain healthy and hygienic. For this the person in-charges gave brief idea to the students about some health-related topics like first aid, hygiene, healthy diet, sanitization and nutrition. The person in-charges of this session was the Assistant Professor of PIPS Dr. Ekbal Hussain



FAMILIARIZATION OF DEPARTMENTS/BRANCH AND INNOVATION

The incoming students were told about the credit and grading system, and about the examinations. They were informed about how study in college differs from study in school. They were also taken on a tour of the college and shown important points such as library, canteen, and other facilities. They were shown the different departments. The respective faculty described the role of the technology related to this course plays in society, and after graduation what role the student will play in society as a pharmacist. They were also shown the laboratories, workshops and other facilities.

The person in-charge for this activity were the Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Mrs. Tasrina Rahman



VISIT TO LOCAL AREA

A couple of visits to the local landmarks including local market, bus station, railway station was organized. This familiarized the students with the area together with bonding with each other, like in a picnic. The visit also included to a village. These exposed them to people in suffering or to different lifestyles. This visit was organized along with faculty members to make them familiar to the place. The person in-charge for this activity were the Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Mr. Debabrata Nath, Mrs. Tasrina Rahman and Ms. Rosamund Jyrwa



PROFICIENCY SESSION

The expertise a person possesses in a specific field of learning is referred to as proficiency. This SIP curriculum focused on total student upliftment in terms of values and comprehension of certain languages, mostly English. This module also focused on a student's behaviour such as how they speak or their body language.

Mr. Debabrata Nath introduced the students to the proficiency session and the importance of mastering the skills on their lives and futures on the first day. They learned about language and its history as well as the various language skills, vocabulary skills, formal and informal words, new words, discourse markers, transition words, usage skills, speaking skills, communication using transactional analysis and formal application writing and formal letter writing formats. This was followed by a realistic example of how to attend interviews and respond to the questions posed by the interviewers.

The students learned about all of the things stated above, which will help them build confidence in the future while applying for job interviews, their overall character development as well as their desire to be a better version of themselves and work competitively in the relevant sector.



LITERATURE/ LITERARY ACTIVITIES

Literary activity encompasses reading a book, writing a summary, debating, enacting a play etc. The students participated in different competition like extempore speech competition, art competition and slogan writing competition. Best three students for each competition were awarded. The team involved in this module includes Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Mrs. Tasrina Rahman, Ms. Rosamund Jyrwa, Mr. Debabrata Nath



CREATIVE PRACTICE

In this session, every student chose one skill related to the arts whether visual arts or performing arts according to their interest. Examples are painting, music, dance, pottery, sculpture etc. The student pursued it as per schedule for the duration of the program. These allowed for creative expression. It developed a sense of aesthetics and also enhanced creativity. The person in-charges of this module were the Assistant Professor of PIPS namely Mrs. Tasrina Rahman, Mr. Debabrata Nath and Ms. Rosamund Jyrwa



OTHER CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

In the scheduled time for this module, various competitions like singing, dance and drama were organized by the person in-charges. The students were able to overcome their stage fright by participating in the competition according to their interest. They enjoyed the session and had good bonding with their batch mates. The person in-charges of this module were the Assistant Professor of PIPS Ms. Mayuri Phukan and Ms. Ansumita Borsaikia.

INTERACTIVE SESSION:

During the SIP period there was an interactive session by the mentors with the students which made the students more comfortable at the new institute. They were asked if they had faced any problem, or other things like their own experience at the institute which were discussed during the session.



YOGA SESSION BY EMINENT PERSON

On 21st September, 2023 a yoga session was organized for replenishing, strengthening and preparing the mind for study and daily activities for the students of B.Pharm 1st semester. Mr. Jyoti Prasad Mazumdar, therapeutic yoga teacher at art of living, was invited for the special session who was an expert in the respective field.



INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH LIBRARIAN

The interactive session aimed to familiarize students with the rules and regulations governing library usage, ensuring a conducive and respectful environment for all patrons. The librarian emphasized the importance of library cards for access and outlined the process for obtaining or renewing them. It also provided valuable insights

into effective research strategies and available library resources. Participants gained a deeper understanding of catalog systems, online databases, and citation tools, enhancing their ability to navigate and utilize the library effectively for academic pursuits. The person-in-charge are Ms. Juri Devi, Librarian of PIPS, Ghy.



CLOSING SESSION:

The 15th days Induction Programme was ended on 3rd October, 2023 and on these last day competition was conducted and feedback for all the 15th days were collected.

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