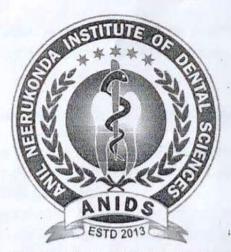
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



ACPM Dental College & Hospital Dhule

AND



VISAKHAPATNAM ANDHRA PRADESH, INDIA

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

signed between

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule

and

Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam

The Memorandum of Understanding between ACPM Dental College and Hospital Dhule, and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam is being signed on 13.07.2021

The MOU is being signed on the prospect that both the Parties collaborate on developing the joint academic and research co-operation between the two institutes.

For Collaborative Research and academic activities

The scope of MoU is to define a mechanism to promote interdisciplinary research; impart skill oriented training and other programs to benefit student and staff of both organizations; joint research and academic activities leading to academic excellence; new knowledge generation; innovative technology development; professional skill and competence development; and many such synergies of interdisciplinary research through collaboration and networking of ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this memorandum of understanding (MoU).

A. Objectives

The goal is to foster collaboration, provide opportunity for comprehensive experience, and to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity, best effort, mutual benefit, and frequent interactions.

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam agree:

- a) To exchange information on research and educational programmes
- b) To exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes
- c) To jointly organize short-term continuing education programmes on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein
- d) To jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein
- e) To exchange, on a reciprocal basis, students at Undergraduate, Graduate and Doctoral levels for limited periods of time for purpose of education and /or research.

ACPM Dental College and Hospital ,Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam, further agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above will be separately determined and agreed upon by the two institutions. These terms shall include a technical description of the proposed activity, financial arrangements, and person(s)responsible for its implementation, etc.

B. Joint Sponsored Research, Development and Consulting

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamagree to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in research or development programmes. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam

This Agreement places no financial obligations or supplementary funding commitments on either Party. These activities will be defined through separate program agreements that detail the commitment of resources (financial or otherwise) required by each Institution. Subsequent program agreements must be approved in writing by the authorized representatives of each institution.

C. Exchange of Faculty

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamagree to encourage collaboration between faculty from the two institutions. Specifically, institutions will encourage members of their faculties to undertake short visits to, or take up fixed-term visiting assignments at, each other's institution as per the existing norms. Terms and conditions for each visit or an assignment, including those concerning stipend, travel, and housing, name of the concerned faculty member will be worked out between ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam

D. Student Exchange

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam, agree that student exchange will be guided by principles listed below.

A home institution refers to the institution where a student is a full-time student, and from where he/she is expected to graduate. A host institution refers to an institution that receives a student for a brief period of time to undertake a pre-determined programme of study/observership/ training or research.

- Exchange students will be selected by mutual agreement between the home institution and the host institution.
- An exchange student will continue to be treated as full-time student at his/her home institution.
- c) His/her programme of study at the host institution will be determined by mutual consultation between his/her academic advisor at the home institution and his/her "interim" academic advisor identified by the host institution.

- d) The host institution will evaluate an exchange student's performance in each course or module, award a letter to that effect.
- e) The home institution may award to the exchange student credits earned at a host institution, but only after the home institution has established correspondence between courses taken at the host institution vis-a-vis those offered at the home institution.
- f) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the host institution will evaluate the exchange student's performance in the research, and issue a letter to that effect, together with a technical "report" of the research carried out.
- g) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the home institution will take note of the performance evaluation and the technical report, and take steps in accordance with its own procedures.
- h) ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamagree to provide suitable accommodation only for student exchange.

E. Exchange of Scientific and Technical Material

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamwill exchange information on research and educational programmes and teaching/learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes.

Further, ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam agree to explore ways to share teaching / learning material, and other relevant literature, while respecting each other's intellectual property and other rights.

F. Joint Conferences, workshops and short-term courses

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamagree to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in conferences, workshops and short-term courses. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam

G. Intellectual Property

ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights that arise as a result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case-by-case basis, and will be consistent with the officially laid down IPR policies of the two institutions.

H. Co-ordination

Each institution shall appoint one member of its teaching/research faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Further, a coordination committee, consisting of Programme coordinator from both sides will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions.

I. Tenure and Termination

This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for five years, and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and agreement.

Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance. Once terminated, neither ACPM Dental College nor Hospital, Dhule or Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnam will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.

J. Arbitration Clause

Should there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic cooperation, the representatives from ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule and Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Visakhapatnamwill jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility.

This MoU is signed subject to approval of the respective academic/administrative bodies.

For and on behalf of

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ACPM Dental College and Hospital, Dhule Anil Neerukonda Institute of Dental Sciences Visakhapatnam

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