Report - Orientation Program for Pharm.D. at Maliba Pharmacy College - 25th to 28th June 2018

Maliba Pharmacy College, Bardoli organized an orientation program for the newly admitted Pharm.D. students at the institute premises from 25th June to 28th June 2018. The major objective of the program was to make the parents and students aware of the academic aspects of the programme /course, the rules and regulations of the Institute and ensuring parental participation in monitoring the performance and progress of the students. The Student Orientation Program is designed to:

- Familiarize students with the standards of the MPC & UTU and principles of our academic community.
- Help students navigate the UTU campus and identify the resources available
- Present tips and key information that will make students' first days at UTU, and their transition to Pharm.D go smoothly.
- Introduce students to counselors and important resources critical to their personal and academic success at MPC
- Provide the opportunity to meet other students, new as well as seniors.
- Acquaint students with the history and traditions of MPC & UTU
- Share a portrait of the incoming class in all its diversity and richness as new students are welcomed into the vibrant MPC community.
- Introduce Pharmacy as a whole including different streams of pharmacy, career and scope The orientation program began on 25thJune 2018 with the welcome of the students, their parents, dignitaries and faculty members. All the participants were welcomed by Dr. Bhavin Vyas. He inspired students and talked about differences between B.Pharm and Pharm.D., subjects to be taught in Pharm.D. field, clinical practices to be followed at hospital, various job prospectives after completion of Pharm.D. Dr Pranav Shah explained brief introduction about pharmaceutics subject and regarding Training and Placement activities. A brief description of the institute, which included the motto, vision, mission, history and academic regulations & reputation of college along with recent achievements were presented by the Academic Head and Dean of MPC Dr. A.D. Mishra and Dr. Ketan Ranch. The students were acquainted with the opportunities they will be receiving under the academic program and all the support and guidance that they will be getting from the MPC team.

The students were taken for a visit to entire Maliba Campus for seeing the availability of various resources by a team of faculty members. Dr. Vilas Surana presented a brief on examination structure of the institute, along with grading scheme and results. Dr. Gajanan Kalyankar and Dr Pintu Prajapati took a session on national social service club activities (NSS) and brief introduction about pharmaceutical chemistry. All HODs of MPC took expert session in their respective

specialization subjects for creating interest in Pharmacy field and to have an overview of different subjects of Pharmacy. A session with seniors and management games by Dr. Hetal Patel was also arranged to make them familiar and imbibe team building in them. The highlight of the orientation was movie based workshop by trainer Mr. Rasvin tailor. A vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Ketan Ranch at the end of this 4 days orientation program. This Orientation Program was coordinated by admission committee of MPC namely Ketan Ranch, Bhavik Satani, Bhavin Vyas and other faculty members of MPC. The 4-day extravaganza came to an end with the provision of feedback session by participants. The detail schedule of orientation was as under:

	Date: 25/06/2018 Venue: DF-113
Time	Schedule
9:00 - 10:00	Dr. BhavinVyas
	A to Z of PharmD Course
10:00 – 11:00	Dr. Pranav Shah
	Regarding T&P
11:00 – 11:30	Dr. Ketan Ranch
	Admission documentation
11:30 – 12:30	LUNCH BREAK
12:30 onward	Enrolment, Accommodation and Transportation formalities
	Date: 26/06/2018 Venue: DF-113
9:00 – 9:30	Dr. Bhavin Vyas
	Overview of Pharmacology subjects
9:30 - 10:00	Prof A D Mishra, Dean Faculty of Pharmacy UTU address
10:00 - 11:00	Dr. Ketan Ranch
	About MPC& Activities at UTU
11:00 – 11:15	Dr. Shailesh A Shah
	Principal's address
11:15 – 11:30	Dr. D.R Shah Provost, UTU address
11:30-12:30pm	Lunch Break
12:30 – 1:00pm	Dr. Pranav Shah
	Pharmaceutics
1:00 – 2:30pm	Richa Chmpaneria & Nidhi Kher
	Interaction with 2 nd Year Pharm.D.
2:30 – 3:30pm	MPC visit
	(RichaChampaneria, Prarthna Patel and NidhiKher)
	Date: 27/06/2018 Venue: DF-113
9:00 – 10:00	Date: 27/00/2018 Venue: D1-113 Dr. Arti Gupta
	Regarding Pharmacognosy Department
	Dr. Gajanan Kalyankar& Dr. Pintu Prajapati
10:00 – 11:15	NSS activities, Pharm. Chemistry & QA
11:15 – 12:00	Dr. Vilas Surana
	Examination System and norms
2:00 – 12:45pm	LUNCH BREAK
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	(Dr. Vilas Surana and Dr. Hetal Patel)
2:00 – 3:30pm	UTU Visit
	(RichaChampaneria, Prarthna Patel, Nidhi Kher and Pratik Tailor)
	Date: 28/06/2018 Venue: DF-113
9:00 – 10:00	Dr. Nidhi Kher, Pharm.D.;
	Dr. Zeel Naik Pharm.D.
	Experiences of Pharm.D. Study
10:00 –11:00	Dr. Shrikant Joshi
	Universal Human Values & Role of Students in Nation building
11:00 – 11:30am	Dr. Bhavik Satani
	Concluding Remarks
11:30 – 12:30pm	Lunch Break
12:30pm onwards	Mr. Rashvin Tailor
	Movie based Learning workshop
	(Chak de India, Border)



