

# PROSPECTUS



**LIMSAR**

**LITTLE FLOWER INSTITUTE  
OF MEDICAL SCIENCE & RESEARCH**

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**LITTLE FLOWER INSTITUTE  
OF MEDICAL SCIENCES & RESEARCH  
(LIMSAR)**

**Affiliated to Kerala University of Health Sciences,  
Thrissur (KUHS)**

**Date of issue of application 15/06/2024**

**Last Date of Submission of application 15/07/2024**

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## BRIEF HISTORY OF THE LITTLE FLOWER HOSPITAL

L F Hospital was born out of the vision of Arch diocese of Ernakulam and is named after Sr. Theresa of Lisieux who is the patron saint of the Hospital.

The hospital had a humble beginning in 1936 and was renowned for its excellent ophthalmic care. Later the board of trustees recognised the need of qualified professionals and visualised an academic institution which became a reality in 1994. Little Flower Hospital and Research Centre is not a profit oriented organisation and is registered as a charitable trust. It is a 690 bedded multi speciality hospital with NABH accreditation. It also imparts training in various fields of Medical, Paramedical and Nursing care.

### Our Specialities & Super Specialties:

Anaesthesiology	Neonatology
Dental	Nephrology
Dermatology	Neurology
ENT	Neuro Surgery
Gastroenterology	Obstetrics & Gynaecology
General Medicine	Oncology
General Surgery	Ophthalmology
Haematology	Orthopaedics
Cardiology & Cardiothoracic surgery	Paediatrics
Cardiac Anaesthesia	Pathology
Psychiatry	Plastic Surgery
Urology	Pulmonology

### Board of Members



**Rev. Fr. Thomas Vaikathuparambil**



Rev. Fr. Varghese Palatty



Rev. Fr. Rocky Kollamkudy



Rev. Fr. Paulson Perepadan

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## LITTLE FLOWER INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES AND RESEARCH (LIMSAR)

LIMSAR, the daughter concern of LF hospital was found with the vision to train compassionate and caring professionals through excellence in teaching, patient care and medical research. We strive to reach out to the star of perfection through an earnest academic pursuit for excellence and our efforts to blossom into service through creative and empathetic involvement in the society to transform it.

LIMSAR is a nurturing ground for an individual's holistic development and our students learn through meticulous and rigorous academics along with a balanced focus on co-curricular activities.

LIMSAR emerged as the foremost self-financing college in Kerala with the aim to provide educational opportunities that are responsive to the needs of the community. The inception of LIMSAR under MG University in 2005 was an important milestone on the history of LIMSAR. In 2010, Govt. of Kerala unified all the health sciences under one roof as KUHS. LIMSAR became a part of it and is currently one of the leading colleges in Kerala.

The college is well equipped with modern infrastructure; technology enabled classrooms and advanced laboratories. Currently, LIMSAR offers degrees in Hospital Administration, Optometry, Physiology and Physiotherapy

### VISION

"Transforming Lives through Continuous Quality of Learning"

### MISSION

Providing Outstanding Diverse Learning Opportunities that prepare Students to be Highly Responsible and deeply committed Professionals to meet community needs with ethical & moral Values.

### COURSES & INTAKE

M.Sc. Medical Physiology (3 Years)  
10 Seats

MHA (2 Years) 20 Seats

Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)  
(4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years) 30 Seats

Bachelor of Optometry (B.Optom)  
(4 years) 30 Seats

Master Of Optometry (M.Optom)  
(2 years) 10 Seats

Master of Physiotherapy (M.P.T)  
(2 years) 6 Seats

### FACILITIES

Auditorium

Hostel

Canteen

Library

Laboratories

Bank with ATM Service



## DEPARTMENT OF OPTOMETRY

Optometry as a career is the healthcare profession that is autonomous, educated, and regulated (licensed/registered), and optometrists are the primary healthcare practitioners of the eye and visual system who provide comprehensive eye and vision care, which includes refraction and dispensing, detection/diagnosis and management of disease in the eye, and the rehabilitation of conditions of the visual system

The department of Optometry at Little Flower Hospital and Research Centre was established in 1994 under MG University and was later affiliated to Kerala University of Health Sciences for conducting Bachelors in Optometry and Masters in Optometry and is one among the few institutions attached to a Super Specialty Hospital.

LIMSAR has excellent educational facilities with well-equipped infrastructure, trained and experienced faculties, fully equipped clinical demonstration and practical rooms and vast collection of books and journals in the field of Optometry.

Students experience intense teaching sessions, extensive clinical exposure and intensive research environment. The standard education pattern and training help the students to achieve quality education, practical skills and have placed themselves with their proficiency in various sectors in India and abroad.

**PIONEERS IN MASTER OF  
OPTOMETRY UNDER KUHS**

COURSE	B.Sc. OPTOMETRY	MASTER OF OPTOMETRY
Affiliation	Kerala University Of Health Sciences	Kerala University Of Health Sciences
Duration	4 Years	2 Years
Eligibility	10+2 or equivalent with 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry & Biology	55% in B.Sc. Optometry of same university or any other equivalent universities
Mode of selection	Academic Merit	Academic Merit and the score in the Interview conducted by the College





## DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

Physiotherapy department in LIMSAR is one among the few institutions attached to a super specialty hospital.

Our department is well equipped with necessary and advanced infrastructure with highly qualified faculty, research intensive environment and evidence based curriculum affiliated to Kerala University of Health Sciences.

It includes sub specialities of Medicine with emphasis on Coronary Intensive Care unit, Cardiothoracic unit, Orthopaedic unit, Neurology and Neurosurgery unit, Pulmonology unit, Gynaecology unit, and Research unit providing enormous clinical exposure in various super speciality departments within the hospital. Students also attend community postings in special schools and on field sports training.

Students undergo intense teaching sessions with seminars, clinical presentations, group discussions and community related projects

Students achieve leadership, assessment, diagnosis and treatment skills through excellent practice, and have placed themselves with their expertise in various scopes of physiotherapy both in India and abroad.

COURSE	BACHELOR OF PHYSIOTHERAPY (BPT)	MASTER OF PHYSIOTHERAPY (MPT)
Affiliation	Kerala University Of Health Sciences	Kerala University Of Health Sciences
Duration	4 Years + 6 Months compulsory internship	2 Years
Eligibility	10+2 or equivalent with 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry & Biology	50% in BPT of same university or any other university equivalent
Mode of selection	Academic Merit	Academic merit and the score in the interview conducted by the college

### Specialities

MPT Musculo-skeletal and sports (4 seats)

MPT Neurology (2 seats)



## MASTER OF HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION (M.H.A)

Health is a basic and one of the primary needs of each human being. Hospitals are the key healthcare delivery institution. Hence, it needs to be highly responsive to the community's health needs & service expectations. This makes healthcare a serious business and it takes a strong, compassionate & skilled decision maker to run a healthcare organisation. Work environment in a hospital is inter dependent & inter disciplinary and it is the hospital Administrator who determines the fate of a Healthcare organisation. This sense of responsibility makes Hospital Administration one of the most challenging and rewarding career choices.

LIMSAR, Department of Hospital Administration under the aegis of Little Flower Institute of Medical Science & Research believes in creating a multicultural and varied environment for students to learn and develop in & works towards mining the best that each student has within himself or herself. We began in the year 2006 providing intensive training for hospital administration aspirants.

We have over a decade of experience imparting adequate administrative skills by training, developing & moulding them to face the day to day challenges in hospitals.

### COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- Imparting training in Hospital and healthcare industry
- Focus on holistic development by striking a balance between practical and theoretical knowledge.
- Unique teaching Methodology.

COURSE	MASTER OF HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION (MHA)
Affiliation	Kerala University Of Health Sciences
Duration	2 Years
Eligibility	Any graduation from a recognised University with min 50% marks.
Mode of selection	Academic Merit and the score in the Interview conducted by the College





## M.Sc. MEDICAL PHYSIOLOGY

M.Sc. in Medical Physiology is a 3 year post graduate course designed for graduates wishing to specialise in the field of physiology which is essentially the study of how molecules, cells and organs interact to form a whole being.

The program is designed for interested graduates of MBBS/ BDS/ BAMS/ BSC / or all allied health science course. Such postgraduates are lucratively employed across both private and public sectors such as government hospitals, rehab canthers, research labs, medical content writing, medical schools or universities etc.

The department of physiology in LIMSAR was established in 2006 under Mahatma Gandhi University which was reaffiliated to Kerala University of Health Sciences from 2010 onwards.

COURSE	M.SC. MEDICAL PHYSIOLOGY
Affiliation	Kerala University Of Health Sciences
Duration	3 Years
Eligibility	MBBS/ BDS/ BHMS/ BAMS/ BUMS/ All allied Health Science Courses/ BSc Zoology/BT &Sp/ Microbiology/ Biophysics/ Biotechnology
Mode of selection	Academic merit and the score in the interview conducted by the college

LIMSAR IS THE ONLY RECOGNISED  
CENTRE FOR MSC MEDICAL PHYSIOLOGY

# RESEARCH

LIMSAR is acclaimed for the quality and diversity of its research with a Variety of resources and opportunities for research minded students to refine their skills and actively participated in developing novel concepts through Ph.D Programmes. LIMSAR is now offering Ph.D programmes for various Allied Health Sciences streams under Kerala University of Health Sciences. Research is carried out in the interdisciplinary areas among the various departments of Physiotherapy, Optometry and Physiology. At LIMSAR every Ph.D students has the chance to gain experience outside of the realm of typical dissertation research.

## SEAT ALLOCATION POLICY FOR UNDER GRADUATE COURSES

4 candidates on general merit | 3 candidates on Christian merit | 3 candidates on RC merit  
5 candidates on Archdiocese merit

## PREPARATION OF RANK LIST

A Rank list of the candidates will be prepared based on the marks the candidates received in the qualification exam. The rank list will be published on the website after the closing date.

In case of a tie in the total marks while preparing the Rank list, the marks in biology will be counted for Undergraduate courses. If there is, still a tie in the marks in chemistry and physic will be counted.

At the time of admission, applicants must produce original certificates.

ACADEMIC SCHEDULE FOR PARAMEDICAL COURSES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024 - 25		
SL NO.	EVENT/PARTICULARS	IMPORTANT DATES
1.	ISSUE OF APPLICATION	15.06.2024
2.	LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION	15.07.2024
3.	PUBLICATION OF RANKLIST	22.07.2024
4.	PUBLICATION OF FIRST ALLOTMENTLIST	22.07.2024
5.	DATE OF JOINING AND FEE REMITTANCE	24.07.2024
6.	PUBLISHING THE JOINING AND NON-JOINING CANDIDATE LIST	24.07.2024
7.	PUBLICATION OF SECOND ALLOTMENT	26.07.2024
8.	DATE OF JOINING AND FEE REMITTANCE	29.07.2024
9.	PUBLISHING THE JOINING AND NON-JOINING CANDIDATE LIST	29.07.2024
10.	PUBLICATION OF THIRD ALLOTMENT	30.07.2024
11.	DATE OF JOINING AND FEE REMITTANCE	01.08.2024
12.	PUBLISHING THE JOINING AND NON-JOINING CANDIDATE LIST	01.08.2024
13.	SPOT ADMISSION, IF ANY	PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THE COMMITTEE
14.	CLOSING OF ADMISSION	30.09.2024



## FEES STRUCTURE FOR PG COURSES

### TUITION FEES FOR PG

COURSE	FEES
MHA	Rs. 36,000/ Semester
M.Sc. Medical Physiology	Rs. 34,750/ Semester
MPT	Rs. 43,325/ Semester
Master of Optometry	Rs. 55,000/ Semester

### OTHER FEES

COURSE	FEES
Caution Deposit	Rs. 3,000/- (once)
Identity Card	Rs. 200/- (once)
University Fees	Rs. 6,300/- (per year)
Teaching Aid	Rs. 3,000/- (per year)
Cultural Society	Rs. 2,000/- (per year)
Library fees	Rs. 11,000/- (per year)
Laboratory fees & Other training fees	Rs. 5,000/- (per year)
Travelling Expenses	Rs. 2,000/- (per year)
Administrative Expenses	Rs. 1,500/- (per year)

Note : Fees may vary as per govt. directions from time to time

## FEES STRUCTURE FOR UG COURSES

### TUITION FEES FOR UG

COURSE	FEES
BPT	Rs. 59,750/- (per year)
B.Sc. Optometry	Rs. 63,525/- (per year)

### OTHER FEES

COURSE	FEES
Caution Deposit	Rs. 10,000/- (once)
University Fees	Rs. 2300/- (per year)
Special Fees for BPT	Rs. 18,100/- (per year)
Special Fees for B.Sc. Optometry	Rs. 29,900/- (per year)

Note : Fees may vary as per govt. directions from time to time

Approved tuition fee and special fee from the candidates will be collected only through DD/ Cheque





## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Fill and submit the Online application form on or before **15/07/2024 up to 5.00 pm**
2. The candidates for the Undergraduate and Postgraduate programs need to fill out the online application and fee payment through the payment gateway.
3. Candidates are advised to ensure the eligibility criteria and read the instructions clearly before filling out the application
4. The candidates should fill all columns in the online application form and upload relevant self-attested certificates online. (the scanned copies should be in PDF format and with clear resolution, Maximum file size for each document should not be more than 2MB)
5. The candidate should upload a passport-size photo (Dimension of photo : 150(W) x 200 (H) pixels, Format : JPG or JPEG, size : Less than 30kb) of the candidates with good clarity (photos taken on mobile are not allowed) and a scanned copy of the signature (image size should be less than 20KB and it should be in a jpeg, jpg format).
6. Online declaration has to be made by the applicant stating that the furnished details are correct and then they can proceed for final submission.
7. Once the submit button is clicked, you will be directed to an online payment gateway to make an application fee of Rs. 1050/- by using Debit/Credit/Internet banking.
8. After successfully submitting, the application and paying the application fees, your application number will be sent to your email address provided. Sometimes, this email may have been placed in your junk/spam email folder. Please check that folder in case you have not received the confirmation email.
9. The candidates can track their application status via the tracker available on the website by entering their application number.
10. Application fee once remitted will not be refunded in any circumstances.

### NOTE

Late or defective application will not be considered under any circumstances (DO NOT SEND DOCUMENTS BY POST)

Certificates without the signature of the issuing authority or that are incomplete will be treated, as defective and such certificates will not be considered for granting any claim.

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