

DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

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Policy document for disabled friendly barrier free environment

POLICY FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Right of the persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 prohibits discrimination against individuals with physical and mental disabilities. KIMS dental college and hospital recognizes the importance of creating a climate of understanding and mutual respect to cater for the dignity and worth of each person, so that they contribute whole heartedly to the development of Self, Institute, society, and country at large.

The institute intend to advance a comprehensive and inclusive teaching and learning environment in which incapacitated students, or any employees are not distraught or treated unfavourably. The institutes' policy recognizes that persons with disabilities are valuable human resource for the institution and seeks to create an environment that provides equal opportunities, protection of their rights and full participation in the academic environment.

FOCUS OF THE POLICY:

- To ensure that the design of the building such as ramp/lift should be according to the disabled persons.
- To ensure the proper text and pictogram signage such as tactile path, lights, display boards, signposts are necessary located to be visible and touchable.
- The use of signage of male and female symbols, in accordance with local customs and standards with raised outlines and bright colours will be more evident to everyone.
- Learners with disabilities need to be adequately and appropriately supported in and out of the classroom with the right resources and with leadership, teaching staff and college communities that are responsive to their needs.
- Provision for enquiry and information: human assistance, reader, scribe soft copies of reading materials.

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