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# Admission to M.Phil in Psychiatric Social Work and M Phil in Clinical Psychology for the Academic Session 2025-27

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#### **Notification**

Ref: G.O(Rt) No. 2603/2025/H&FWD, dated 26.08.2025

#### 1. Introduction

Applications are invited for admission to M.Phil in Psychiatric Social Work and M.Phil in Clinical Psychology courses for the Academic session 2025-27 conducted at INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH AND NEURO SCIENCES (IMHANS), an Autonomous Institute under Government of Kerala Govt. Medical College Campus, Kozhikode, Kerala – 673 008 as per prospectus approved vide G.O(Rt) No. 2603/2025/H&FWD, dated Tvpm 26.08.2025. The prospectus is published in the website <a href="https://www.lbscentre.kerala.gov.in">www.lbscentre.kerala.gov.in</a>. Applications can be submitted online to the Director, LBS Centre for Science and Technology through the website <a href="https://www.lbscentre.kerala.gov.in">www.lbscentre.kerala.gov.in</a> from 15.9.2025 to 30.9.2025

#### 2. Number of Seats and Eligibility

The intake is 8 seats each per year for both the courses M.Phil in Psychiatric Social Work and M.Phil in Clinical Psychology.

#### 2.1 Academic Eligibility

#### (a) For M.Phil PSW Course

Candidates applying for M.Phil PSW should have passed 2 years full time MA/MSW degree in Social Work from a recognized University, specialized in Medical and Psychiatric social work or specialized in mental health social work or having at least one paper in mental health with clinical exposure in psychiatric settings as part of the course, securing not less than 55% marks in the aggregate of the Master's degree as a whole through regular mode of study.

Candidates who have appeared for the final semester/year of the qualifying course can also apply. But they must have qualified at the time of admission (last date for admission as fixed by IMHANS).

#### (b) For M.Phil Clinical Psychology

Minimum educational requirement for admission to this course is 2 years full time regular M.A./M.Sc degree in Psychology from a university recognized by the UGC with a minimum of 55% marks in aggregate (as per RCI norms). For SC/ST category, minimum of 50% marks in aggregate is essential, as per GOI.

#### 3. Duration of the Courses

Full time courses that extends to two academic years

#### 4. Application Fee

The application fee is as given below:

General Candidates: Rs. 1500/-SC/ST Candidates: Rs. 1250/-

#### 5. Application Submission

There are various stages for submission of application. Applicants have to complete all the stages as per the prescribed time schedule.

#### 6. Registration and Remittance of application fee

Candidates will have to visit the web site and click on the link **New Candidate** and register by entering personal details. The application fee can be remitted either by online or by using challan (generated online at the time of registration) at any one of the branches of Federal Bank from 15.9.2025 to 27.9.2025 using the application number obtained after registration. For those who remit the application fee online, can proceed with subsequent stage of application submission. Those who remit application fee by way of challan can continue by logging into the website after 24 hours and entering the fee payment details.

## Applicants shall keep their application number, password and registration id strictly confidential

#### **Entering Personal Data and Academic Data**

Candidates have to fill in all the items in the application entry stage including academic data

The candidates should upload all the certificates and documents in support of various claims (to prove age, reservation and marks) made in the application. Photo, signature and certificates uploaded should be of the specified size.

Do the FINAL SUBMISSION only after making sure that the application is complete and correct in all respects. No changes will be permitted after the final submission.

- **7. Last Date of Submission of Application.** The last date for submission of application is 30.9.2025.
- **8. Date of Entrance Examination.** The Entrance Examination will be conducted on 11.10.2025 at Kozhikode.

### 9. Preparation of Rank list

The selection is based entirely on the merit in the entrance examination and a personal interview. The break-up of marks will be 75% for written examination and 25% marks for personal interview.

#### 10. Allotment to courses

Allotment will be made as per the approved prospectus by the Director, IMHANS. Reservation will be as per the rules of Govt: of Kerala and KUHS. If suitable candidates are not available under the reserved categories, seats will be filled up from general category candidates



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