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POLICY DOCUMENT ON GREEN CAMPUS

A green Campus is achieved when provide the education along with environmental friendly practices to promote sustainable and eco-friendly practices. The concept of green campus offers the opportunity for an institution to take the lead in redefining its environmental culture and developing new methods by creating long lasting solutons to the environmental, social, and economic needs of mankind. Ratnam institute of Pharmacy promotes eco-friendly practices with in the campus.

OBJECTIVES OF THE POLICY:

- · To frame sound environmental management policies and practices throughout the college.
- To reduce and, where practically possible to avoid pollution.
- To set targets for enhancing the performance of the environment
- To understand of current environmental conditions & performance.
- To encourage students by understanding the importance of the environment and how preventive methods to protect it.
- To implement green campus initiatives.

Green campus is achieved by sweeping away waste stuff and using conventional energy sources for its daily power needs, adopting appropriate methods for disposal handling, swift to purchase of Eco-friendly supplies and implementing an effective recycling program. The intension of the management is that, everyone must work out and follow time-bound strategies to implement green campus initiatives.

These implementations need to be incorporated into the institutional planning and budgeting processes with the aim of developing a clean and green campus. Every individual of Ratnam Institute will work, may he /she be a student, faculty, or support staff, to faster a culture of selfsustainability and make the entire campus environmentally friendly. The green campus initiatives (GCI) will enable the institution to develop the campus as a living laboratory for innovation.



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Composition of the Go-Green Committee:

1. Principal:

Dr.Y. Prapurna Chandra

2. IQAC Coordinator:

Dr.P.Prathyusha Ande

- 3. Faculty Representative Nominated by the Principal: Dr.Y.Ramesh
- 4. Student Representative-Mr.
- 5. Non-Teaching Staff Representative: Office Superintendent-Mr.A.Nagendra Babu
- 6. Parent Representative: Mr.
- 7. Industry Representative-Member of the Alumni Association-

AWARENESS AND TRAINING:

- To communicate both internally and externally the college's environmental objectives and performance.
- To raise awareness among the staff and students of the college's environmental impact, activities and performance and good practice.
- To design suitable environmental educational programs for staff and students.
- To encourage and facilitate feedback and suggestions on ensuring good practice.

Ratnam Institute of Pharmacy protects its own environment by implementing its green campus initiatives and maintaining a pollution free green and clean campus. Environment development is its basic work with the educational policies implemented on the campus.

Ratnam Institute of Pharmacy is strongly committed in managing its campus in accordance with its responsibilities towards promoting a sustainable environment. These responsibilities can be demonstrated within the following areas:

- ✓ Green environment and clean campus
- ✓ Solid waste management
- ✓ E-waste management
- ✓ Liquid waste management
- ✓ Maintenance of water bodies
- ✓ Water conservation and management
- ✓ Paperless operating procedure
- ✓ Landscaping with trees and plants



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- ✓ Energy use and conservation
- ✓ Air Pollution Management
- ✓ Restricted use of automobile
- ✓ Ban on single use plastic on the campus

Strict measures are implemented and students are instructed to keep the campus clean, reflected in student handbooks, several quotes related to the importance of a clean and green environment are displayed on the campus. A gardener team and full-time adequate support staff are appointed to maintain a litter free clean and green campus.

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