



B. M. INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH

(Grant in Aid Research Institute under Govt. of Gujarat, Affiliated to Gujarat University)



Admission Rules for Professional Diploma in Clinical Psychology (PDCP)

Academic Year 2026–27

1. Institution:

Admissions to the Professional Diploma in Clinical Psychology (PDCP) for the academic year 2026–27 shall be conducted by the B. M. Institute of Mental Health, affiliated with Gujarat University and recognized by the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi.

2. Mode of Admission:

- Admission to the PDCP course shall be conducted **100% through the Gujarat Common Admission Services (GCAS) portal.**
- No admission shall be granted outside the GCAS admission process.

3. Number of Seats:

- Total intake capacity: **22 seats (includes 02 seats reserved for Economically Weaker Sections)**

4. Eligibility Qualification:

“Minimum educational requirement for admission to this course will be M.A. / M.Sc. degree in Psychology (or in counselling psychology, clinical psychology, and applied psychology) from the UGC recognized university with a minimum of 55 % marks in aggregate. For SC/ST/OBC category, minimum of 50% marks in aggregate is essential, as per GOI.”

5. University-wise Reservation of Seats:

The distribution of seats shall be as follows:

- **90% of the total seats** shall be reserved for students who have obtained the qualifying degree from Gujarat University.
- **10% of the total seats** shall be reserved for candidates from universities other than Gujarat University, including candidates from universities of other states.

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6. Reservation Policy:

Reservation for various categories shall be applicable as per the prevailing Rules and Regulations of the:

- Government of Gujarat,
- GCAS,
- Gujarat University.

Reservation shall be applicable for the following categories:

- Scheduled Castes (SC) – 7%
- Scheduled Tribes (ST) – 15%
- Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC) – 27%
- Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) – 10%
- Persons with Disabilities (PwD) – 5% in each category

7. Selection Procedure:

Admission to the PDCP course shall be based on the performance of candidates in:

1. **Written Entrance Test, and Personal Interview.**

8. Merit Preparation:

The final merit list shall be prepared based on the following weightage:

Component	Weightage
Entrance Test	90%
Personal Interview	10%

Admission shall be strictly granted on the basis of the combined merit obtained in the Written Entrance Test and Personal Interview.

9. Schedule of Entrance Test and Personal Interview:

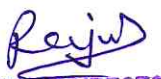
Entrance Test: (Reporting Time 10:00 AM)

- **Date: Saturday, 4 July 2026 & Time: 10:30 AM to 12:00 Noon**
- **Venue: B. M. Institute of Mental Health, Ahmedabad**

Personal Interview:

- **Date: Saturday, 4 July 2026 & Time: 1:00 PM onwards**
- **Venue: Main Office, B. M. Institute of Mental Health, Ahmedabad**

All eligible candidates appearing for the Entrance Test shall be required to attend the Personal Interview on the same day.


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10. General Conditions:

1. Candidates must produce original certificates and documents at the time of admission verification.
2. Admission obtained by suppression or misrepresentation of facts shall be cancelled.
3. The decision of the Admission Committee of the B. M. Institute of Mental Health, Ahmedabad, GCAS and Gujarat University shall be final and binding in all matters related to admission.
4. The Institute reserves the right to amend these rules in accordance with the directives issued by the Government of Gujarat, GCAS, Gujarat University and the Rehabilitation Council of India from time to time.
5. Any dispute arising out of or in connection with the admission process shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the competent Courts at Ahmedabad only.
6. No request for refund of fees shall be entertained after completion of the GCAS admission process. Candidates who withdraw their admission after completion of the entire GCAS admission process shall not be entitled to claim any refund of fees, except as may be provided under the prevailing Rules, Regulations, or directions issued by the Government of Gujarat, GCAS, Gujarat University, or any competent authority from time to time.
7. All students are requested to carry a valid original photo ID proof (such as Aadhaar Card, Passport, Driving Licence, Voter ID, or University Identity Card) on the day of the Entrance Test.


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