

**Report on the “Orientation Program 2025” at
ICFAI School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The ICFAI University, Jaipur**

Date: 11th – 14th August 2025

Organized by: ICFAI School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The ICFAI University, Jaipur

Objective:

To warmly welcome the newly admitted students of the Pharmacy Program (Batch 2025–29) and to familiarize them with the academic structure, institutional rules and regulations, professional responsibilities, campus facilities, and avenues for holistic development, a four-day Orientation Program titled “Deeksharambh” was organized.

The program aimed to ease the transition of students into their new academic environment through a series of expert lectures, interactive sessions, and exposure visits. These activities were designed to inspire and inform students about the values, expectations, and opportunities that lie ahead in their academic journey.

The day-wise activities were conducted as follows:

DAY-1ST (11TH AUGUST 2025)

Welcome and Registration of Students:

To express affection and extend a warm reception, the students of Batch 2025–29 were cordially welcomed by their seniors from Batch 2024–28 with *Tilak*, *Roli*, and sweets. This traditional gesture helped create a friendly and inclusive atmosphere for the newcomers. Following the ceremonial welcome, the formal registration process was carried out. This included document verification and the collection of requisite documents as proof of eligibility for admission into the Pharmacy Program.



BLESSINGS BY HON'BLE PRESIDENT SIR:

The inaugural session commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp before Goddess Saraswati, symbolizing the pursuit of knowledge and wisdom. **Prof (Dr) H P Singh, VSM**, Hon'ble President of The ICFAI University, Jaipur, then delivered an inspiring inaugural address. In his speech, he emphasized the values of discipline and integrity, while also highlighting the vital role pharmacists play in shaping a healthier society. His motivating words set a thoughtful and encouraging tone for the sessions that followed.

❖ Lecture I – Bridge Course: Introduction to Pharmacy

Prof. (Dr.) G. N. Sharma, Principal, ICFAI School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The ICFAI University, Jaipur, delivered the inaugural lecture of the bridge course on the theme **“Introduction to Pharmacy.”** He provided a comprehensive overview of the pharmacy profession, highlighting the significance of pharmacy education, the diverse career opportunities available, and the evolving scope of the field in modern healthcare. His insightful session encouraged students to reflect on their future roles as healthcare professionals and inspired them to embark on their academic journey with a clear vision and strong sense of purpose.



DAY 2ND (12TH AUGUST 2025):

- ***Lecture on Rules and Regulations***

Dr. S. K. Singh, Professor at ICFAI School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, provided a brief yet comprehensive introduction to the university's rules and regulations. He covered essential topics such as the mentoring system, the importance of assignments, dress code, and attendance requirements. This session equipped students with a clear understanding of

academic discipline, responsibilities, and institutional expectations, thereby preparing them to adapt smoothly to the university's culture.

❖ **Lecture II – Bridge Course: Understanding PCI Regulations (2014) for the B. Pharm program, the examination scheme, and academic guidelines:**

Dr. Lokesh Kaushik delivered a session on the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI) Regulations 2014 for the B. Pharm program. He elaborated on the examination scheme and academic guidelines, enabling students to become familiar with the statutory framework governing pharmacy education.

• ***Introduction to Extracurricular Activities at IUJ :***

Dr. Rimjhim Arora introduced students to the wide range of extracurricular activities at the university, encompassing cultural, technical, and sports events. She highlighted the role of such activities in shaping personality, fostering leadership qualities, and helping students balance academics with holistic development.

❖ **Lecture III - Bridge Course: Career Pathways in Pharmacy:**

Mr. Rohit Malik guided students on the diverse career avenues available in the field of pharmacy, including industry, research, and public health. He emphasized the significance of continuous skill development and adaptability as key factors for sustained career growth in the evolving healthcare sector.

- ***Campus Visit*** – A guided tour of the university campus was organized, covering various departments, laboratories, and the central library. This exposure familiarized students with the academic infrastructure and resources of the university, instilling confidence in their ability to utilize these facilities effectively during their academic journey.



DAY 3 (13TH AUGUST 2025)

- ***Guest Lecture on Professional Language, Personality Development, and Communication:***
Ms. Charu Gupta, Corporate Trainer (Soft Skill & PoSH) and Storyteller, Jaipur was invited to deliver an engaging talk on Professional Language, Personality Development, and Communication aimed at the holistic development of students. Through practical insights and interactive discussions, students gained a deeper understanding of how soft skills are essential in building confidence, enhancing employability, and shaping a successful career in pharmacy and beyond.
- ***Guest Lecture on “Role of Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) in higher education Institutions”:***
Dr. Pratima Soni, Associate Dean, ICFAI Law School and Chairperson of the Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) at The ICFAI University, Jaipur, was invited to deliver a lecture on the objectives and functioning of the ICC. She emphasized the importance of grievance redressal mechanisms, gender sensitization, and the creation of a safe and inclusive campus environment. The session empowered students to understand their rights and responsibilities while promoting awareness of the institutional support systems available to them.
- ***Science Park Visit*** – Students were taken on an exposure visit to the Regional Science Centre and Science Park, where they explored a variety of exhibits related to pharmaceutical sciences, healthcare innovations, and applied scientific concepts. The visit offered practical learning beyond the classroom, helping students connect theoretical knowledge with real-world applications.



DAY 4 (14TH AUGUST 2025)

- ***Awareness Session on Anti-Ragging Laws & Anti-Ragging Committee:***

Dr. Harish Kumar Verma, Dean ILS and Director IQAC, conducted a sensitization session on anti-ragging laws, emphasizing the importance of fostering a respectful, inclusive, and safe academic environment. His address reassured students of the university's firm commitment to their safety and well-being, highlighting the mechanisms in place to prevent and address any incidents of ragging on campus.

- ***Lecture on NEP 2020 and Samagra Shiksha Scheme:***

Mr. Rohit Malik, Assistant Professor and Departmental NEP-2020 coordinator delivered a session on the key reforms introduced under the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. He also highlighted significant government initiatives such as the Samagra Shiksha Scheme. His insightful lecture broadened students' understanding of contemporary educational reforms and encouraged them to explore diverse opportunities for academic and professional growth.

- ❖ ***Lecture IV - Bridge Course: Role of Pharmacist in Public Health :***

Dr. Mahesh Kumar Sharma, delivered an enlightening session on the vital role of pharmacists in public health. He emphasized their contributions to patient counselling, healthcare delivery, and disease prevention. His lecture inspired students to recognize their social responsibilities and the significant impact their profession can have in promoting community health and overall well-being.



Vote of Thanks

The four-day Orientation Program (11th–14th August, 2025) concluded with the address of Prof. (Dr.) G. N. Sharma, Principal, ICFAI School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, The ICFAI University, Jaipur. In his concluding remarks, he emphasized the importance of regular attendance in both theory and practical classes and extended his best wishes to the students for their future endeavors.

Outcomes of the Orientation Program:

- Students gained awareness about academic regulations, PCI guidelines, and university systems.
- They were sensitized about ICC and anti-ragging measures, ensuring a safe and supportive campus culture.
- Sessions on communication, personality development, and career pathways enhanced their confidence and future readiness.
- Exposure visits to the Science Park and campus facilities enriched their experiential learning.
- Students developed teamwork, leadership, and a sense of belonging through interactive and sports activities.



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