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#### **Criterion VII – Institutional Values and Best Practices**

### 7.1 Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

7.1.7 The Institution has a disabled-friendly and barrier-free environment:

Policy for differently abled

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### Policy for differently abled

### **Objectives**

- 1. To Build an inclusive atmosphere to prevent discrimination, abuse and exclusion of disabled students and workers from all fields of work and education
- 2. To promote a comprehensive and inclusive learning environment in which disabled students or employees are not unfavorably treated.

### **Amenities to Support services**

- 1. Facilities related to disabled persons are provided as per the government rules
- 2. Lifts are provided for the elderly and disabled students/staff
- 3. Wheel chair shall be provided to the persons with disability
- 4. Staff shall counsel students with disabilities, including persons with learning disabilities
- 5. Reading software shall be provided in the library
- 6. Whoever intentionally insults or intimidates a person with disability, or sexually exploits a woman or child with disability, shall be punishable
- 7. To provide counseling to differently abled students on the types of courses they could study at the higher education institutions.
- 8. To ensure admission of as many differently-abled students as possible through the open quota and also through the reservation meant for them.
- To assess the educational needs of differently abled persons enrolled in the higher education institutes to determine the types of assistive devices to be procured.
- 10. To conduct awareness programs for teachers of the institute about the approaches to teaching, evaluation procedures, etc. which they should address in the case of differently-abled students.

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