



COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF MUMBAI

MINIMUM STANDARD REQUIREMENTS (MSR)

Diploma in Psychological Medicine

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Mumbai

CPS House, Dr. E. Borges Marg, Parel, Mumbai – 400012.

Diploma in Psychological Medicine (DPM)

1. **Demonstration room:** One demonstration room should be available with overhead projector, LCD and other audio-visual aids.
2. **Library cum seminar room:** Preferably air-conditioned, with a minimum seating capacity of 20 and minimum 80 books, subscription of 2 national and 1 international journal.
3. **Departmental office:**
4. **Accommodation for all faculty:**
5. **Accommodation for other departmental staff:**
6. **OPD:** Minimum two OPD chambers well equipped with all the instruments.
7. **Separate OPD for Psycho-analysis and Psychological rehabilitation**
8. **De-addiction centre (OPD)**
9. **Bed:** A unit should have minimum 30 beds.
10. **Instruments and equipment:**

Sr. No.	Instrument	Number
1	Electro Convulsive Therapy (E.C.T.) machine preferably with ECG monitoring	1
2	E.E.G. monitoring	1
3	EEG machine	1
4	Lithium analyzer	1
5	Biofeed -back instruments (sets)	1
6	Thin layer chromatography (for drug dependence treatment)	1
7	Alcohol breath analyzer	1
8	Psychological Tests equipment	
9	a) Project tests	2
10	b) Intelligence Tests	2
11	c) Personality Tests	2
12	d) Neuro-psychological tests	2
13	Computer with software for statistical analysis	1

11. Teaching faculty:

Each unit should consist of following faculty

- a. Main faculty: A “Unit Head” / “Main faculty (Guide)” must have at least six years of professional standing after acquiring the post-graduate qualification like MD/MS/DNB/FCPS in concerned speciality.

For Government Institutions/Hospitals owned by local bodies [e.g. corporation] faculty on contractual basis is allowed, provided that he/she shall be on full time basis to the affiliated institute. (Supportive documents should confirm the full time status of faculty)

- b. Assistant faculty: An “Assistant faculty” shall have at least four years of professional standing after acquiring the post-graduate qualification like MD/MS/DNB/FCPS in concerned speciality.

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- c. Visiting faculty (Desirable): A “Visiting faculty” should be from the same or Allied speciality, preferably having a clinical experience of at least four years.

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There is no retirement age for faculty provided that he/she should be mentally and physically fit to perform the duties and responsibilities as per the post/position given by affiliated institution.

12. Clinical material:

1. OPD: Average per day – 25
2. IPD: Average bed occupancy in ward: 80 %