

Narayana Dental College & Hospital; Narayana Nursing College, Nellore
AND
Centre for Ethics, Yenepoya University, Mangalore

This Memorandum of Understanding (Agreement) is made and entered into by Narayana Dental College and Hospital and Narayana Nursing College located in Chinthareddypalem, Nellore with the Center for Ethics, Yenepoya University located at Deralakatte, Mangalore.

RECITALS

Whereas the institutions are linked by common academic and healthcare interests;

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Whereas the institutions wish to develop the basis for better understanding of bioethics, their implementation in research protocols & processes utilizing the faculty and facilities available in both the institutions;

Therefore, in consideration of their mutual interests and the covenants set forth herein, the institutions agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT

- 1.01 Purpose. The purposes of this agreement include, but are not limited to the following:
 - a) Training of Staff in different aspects of Bioethics;
 - b) Guidance & Support for Development of Bioethics Center in Narayana Dental & Nursing Institutions;
 - c) Organizing joint academic and scientific activities such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia, or lectures;
 - d) Exchange of research and teaching personnel;
 - e) Exchange of publications and other materials of common interest.
 - 1.02 **Scope.** Cooperative projects under this agreement may include any of the academic disciplines represented at either of the institutions.

ARTICLE 2

PROPOSED ACTIVITIES PURSUANT TO THE AGREEMENT

2.01 <u>Institutional Appointees.</u> In order to carry out and fulfill the aims of this agreement, each institution will appoint an appropriate person at each of their campuses to coordinate the development and conduct of joint activities. Through these contact persons, either institution may initiate proposals for activities under this agreement. The contact persons will additionally be responsible for evaluation of activities under this agreement according to the practices of their respective institutions.

2.02 <u>Supplemental Agreements</u>. Activities the institutions mutually agree to undertake are subject to further agreement of the institutions & must be set forth in supplemental agreement signed by authorized representatives of each institution. Supplemental agreements should include specific details of the agreed upon activity, including items such as: (a) elaboration of responsibilities of each institution for the agreed upon activity; (b) schedules for specific activities; (c) budgets & sources of financing for each activity; (d) any other items necessary for efficient conduct of the activity and (e) any other items necessary to meet the legal and policy requirements of each institution. Supplemental agreements are subject to approval by each institution according to the normal policies & procedures governing the types of activities proposed therein.

ARTICLE 3

TERM AND TERMINATION

- 3.01 <u>Term.</u> This agreement shall take effect upon signature by both institutions and, unless terminated earlier shall continue for a period of five years from the date of signing this document by the authorities of both Institutions.
- 3.02 **Extension.** This agreement maybe extended by mutual agreement of concerned institutions in writing and signed by the Head/In charge of both Institutions.
- 3.03 <u>Termination</u>. This agreement may be terminated at any time by either institution after giving written notice of the same to the other institution. Any Supplemental agreements entered into by the institutions maybe continued or terminated at termination of this M.O.U. and specific details of the same must be mentioned in the termination notice along with reasons for the termination.

ARTICLE 4

MISCELLANEOUS

- 4.01 <u>Recognition.</u> Narayana Dental College & Hospital & Narayana Nursing College are recognized as post graduate training centre by the Government of India and by the Dr.N. T. R. University of Health Sciences of Andhra Pradesh.
- 4.02 The staff from Narayana Dental College & Narayana Nursing College maybe deputed to the Center for Ethics, Yenepoya University, Mangalore to get training in different aspects of Bioethics with information to & approval of Center for Ethics, Yenepoya University, Mangalore.
- 5.01 <u>Jurisdiction</u>. The legal jurisdiction of this agreement shall be interpreted and enforced within Nellore, State of Andhra Pradesh, India. Any claims arising out of this agreement shall be subject to the jurisdiction of Civil court of Nellore.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, the institutions have caused their duly authorized representatives to execute this memorandum of Understanding and Agreement to be effective upon signature by both the parties hereto mentioned.

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