

### **Library Profile**

ICP library is a very special place in the Universe campus of Indira Group Institutes, with its rich collection of books and journals, e-journals, CDs etc. in the field of Pharmacy. It is a most lively place on the campus providing a comfortable and friendly environment that enables learning and advancement of knowledge.

**Aims & Objectives of ICP Library:** The Library aims at providing effective information services to students & faculty members with improved and easy access to the latest information & projects and creates a healthy learning environment.

- To provide a wide range of resources in varying formats to meet the needs of the students.
- To develop an interest in reading through interactions that allows students to experience different forms of literature.
- To provide services and technologies to allow maximum access to information.
- To provide facilities that are flexible and accommodate students' needs and emerging technologies.

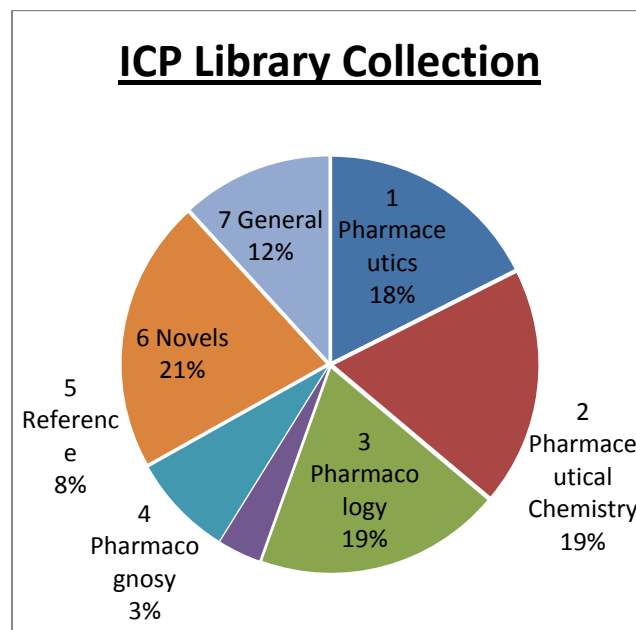
### **Vision and Mission of the Library:**

ICP library is committed to academic excellence and redefining pharmacy education. Collection development policies support education and grooming of students to succeed, serve and lead in a diverse Local and Global community. The library will support current and an anticipated need of users in peruses its mission to further teaching and learning activities of the university community. The library will continue to provide an inviting physical environment, where students, faculty and staff can obtain needed information regardless of location or format. The library will provide traditional collection of library materials, balanced with the acquisition of virtual information resources. Professional expertise is employed, incorporating an "educational philosophy" with a service ethic, utilizing evolving technologies to achieve desired goals. Orientation and assistance will be provided to assist library users to fully utilize the resources and services of the library and to develop information literacy skills that will enhance lifelong learning.

### **LIBRARY COLLECTION**

The Library has developed an excellent collection of books, Journals, magazines, and newspapers both national and International. The library has also developed non book collection which includes e-journals, e-books, CDs. Besides this it also maintains separate collection of reference books, bound volumes of journals and project reports.

Sr. No.	Name of the Subject	Titles	Volumes
1	Pharmaceutics	228	1434
2	Pharmaceutical Chemistry	241	1975
3	Pharmacology	251	1342
4	Pharmacognosy	44	412
5	Reference	104	209
6	Novels	277	316
7	Others	153	589
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1298</b>	<b>6277</b>



The entire collection has been classified using Dewey Decimal Classification Scheme and SLIM 21 software is used in the library. Library patron can search resources through OPAC.

### **E-Resources At ICP Library :**

ICP library subscribed e-journals available through Bentham and Elsevier details are as follows

1. BENTHAM (23 e-journals) Backfiles Access since 2000
2. ELSEVIER SCIENCE DIRECT (70 e-Journals) Backfile access from 2000 onwards

### **Library Services**

**Document Delivery:** To fulfill the information needs of the end user through information/document supply is a document delivery service.

### **Book bank:**

The scheme is initiated by the Social Welfare Department for SC/ST students which assist such students to avail books for whole semester. The student is suppose to return the same on his/her completion of term.

### **SDI Selective Dissemination of Information:**

SDI service is a model service which ensures that the periodicals and journals subscribed by the library are effectively read by all users.



### **Current**

#### **Awareness Service (CAS)**

CAS enables the students and faculties to become aware of the new arrivals in the library are it books, CDs, periodicals, journals. The bibliographic information of the new items in the library in a particular month is listed and circulated to all users to make them aware of the new arrivals in the library.

- ✚ Display of News
- ✚ Display of New arrivals
- ✚ Display of Xerox copies of articles published online.

**Information Alert Services:** ICP library offered following current awareness services to alert users about the latest information of their interest:

- ✚ List of Additions, New arrivals
- ✚ List-you-miss
- ✚ News items display
- ✚ Useful articles display
- ✚ Display of book Reviews

### **Current Contents:**

The Current contents service is useful to many students and faculties who are short of time and wish to know at a glance about the new articles published in the journals & periodicals. The contents page of important subject specific journals & periodicals is scanned and emailed to all users to enable them to understand the topics under discussion for the month in various journals & periodicals. This service can be said to save the time of the users.

### **Inter library loan:**

The library offers inter library loan service to its patrons for the books and docs not available in the

library by procuring them from the other libraries within the reach.

### **Reference service:**

The library upholds a separate collection like encyclopedias, dictionaries, handbooks, atlases etc. Readers may approach to the Librarian's desk for any of such services.

### **Photocopying:**

The library has a separate Xerox machine within its ambiance to serve better.

### **Library Timings:**

8.00 a m to 8.00 pm throughout the year except Sundays & University holidays.

### **ICP Library Team:**

Sr. No	Name of the Staff	Qualification	Designation
1	Ms.Manisha Mane	M.L.I.Sc, SET, (Ph D)	Librarian
2	Mr. Navnath Pawar	B.A, L.T.C.	Library Attendant

### **From the Librarian's Desk:**

In the library, one often finds people close their mouths and open their minds!

"The key to happiness is having dreams. The key to success is making your dreams' come true." Today I want to talk about making your dreams come true. Everything you need for better future and success has already been written. And guess what? All you have to do is visit the library. Books provide food for the mind. They shape our character. They provide us with extra eyes to enjoy beauty and extra ears to listen to great music.

*Let books be your dining table,  
And you shall be full of delights  
Let them be your mattress  
And you shall sleep restful nights*

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