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Faculty Of Health Sciences Department of Pharmacy

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Dear Student,

The Department of Pharmacy is pleased to inform you that your performance was satisfactory at the selection test held for the Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours Degree Programme on 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023. However, your enrollment in the Degree Programme will be confirmed only after your educational/ professional qualifications and experience are assessed to verify that you possess the required admission criteria listed below.

- 1. Obtained one of the following:
  - a. Certificate of Proficiency in Pharmacy, Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka
  - b. Diploma in Pharmacy, University of Colombo
  - c. Certificate of Efficiency, Ceylon Medical College Council (CMCC), Sri Lanka

AND

2. Minimum of three (03) Pass grades in one sitting at the G.C.E. A/Level Examination, in the Science stream including a Credit Pass for Chemistry

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3. Minimum S Pass for English at the G.C.E. O/Level Examination OR

An equivalent or higher qualification acceptable to the Senate

AND

4. Pass the Selection Test and be eligible for admission based on the merit list of the selection test marks

Those who <u>fulfill the above admission criteria</u> are **required to attend** the following sessions at The Open University of Sri Lanka, Nawala, Nugegoda:

- Orientation Session: 26th September 2023 from 7.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. at the New Conference Hall (Auditorium,1st Floor of Exam Hall No. 3), and,
- Counselling Sessions: 26th and 27th September 2023 at the CRC.

The Orientation and Counselling sessions will provide you with further directions to enroll for the Bachelor of Pharmacy Honours Degree Programme, guidance for the selection of courses and overview of the degree programme with the introduction to the Open and Distance Learning (ODL) system. **Documents to be arranged before the academic counselling are given in the Annexure 01.** 

The agenda of Orientation and Counselling sessions is given overleaf.

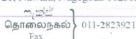
Thank you.

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# THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA (OUSL) FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES – 2023/2024 ORIENTATION SESSION Agenda

| OUSL/Faculty  | Orientation | Session | Cat New | Conference | Hall) |
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| 07.30 a.m 09.00 a.m.  | Registration for the orientation session.             |  |
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| 09.00 a.m 09.15 a.m.  | National Anthem & Lighting the traditional oil lamp.  |  |
| 09.15 a.m 09.30 a.m. Welcome and introduction to OUSL and the study |   |  |
| Dr. B. Sunil S. De Silva  |   |  |
|   | Dean, Faculty of Health Sciences                      |  |
| 09.30 a.m 09.40 a.m.  | Orientation video -Faculty of Health Sciences         |  |
| 09.40 a.m 09.50 a.m.  | Introduction to the Library                           |  |
| 09.50 a.m 10.00 a.m.  | Introduction to the Learning Management System        |  |
| 10.00 a.m 10.15 a.m.  | Introduction to EfiL programme                        |  |
| 10.15 a.m. – 10.20 a.m.   | The role of the Centre for Gender Equity and Equality |  |
| 10.20 a.m 10.25 a.m.  | Introduction to the Learner Support Cell              |  |

Refreshments

### Department Session (at Block 07 Auditorium)

10.25 a.m. – 10.35 a.m.

10.35 a.m. – 11.15 a.m.

| 11.15 a.m 11.20 a.m.    | Welcoming students to the Department & Introduction to the |
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|                         | Degree Programme by the Head of the Department             |
| 11.20 a.m. – 11.25 a.m. | Staff Introductions  |
| 11.25 a.m. – 11.35 a.m. | Sharing Experiences by a Past/Current Student              |
| 11.35 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. | Academic Counselling (Bulk) Session                        |
| 12.30 p.m. – 01.15 p.m. | Lunch Break  |
| 01.15 p.m. – 04.00 p.m. | Individual Counselling Sessions                            |
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Introduction to the Counselling Unit

## Counselling Session - 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023 from 11.15 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. and 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023 from 1.00 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

#### Attendance compulsory for either one of the Counselling Sessions

When you come for this session, it is **COMPULSORY** to bring,

- 1. **Original certificates/letters with photocopies** mentioned in Annexure 01. Candidates who have obtained their professional qualifications from <u>other recognized institutions</u> should produce their detailed academic transcripts.
- 2. Registration document package which is requires for your counselling. Please download this package by visiting the Department of Pharmacy Website and bring a hard copy for the academic counselling session. At the counseling session you can meet your prospective Academic Counsellor and he/she will assist you to fill the Registration Form.

### Registration Session - 12th October 2023 (CRC) from 9.00 a.m. - 3.00 p.m.

When you come for the Registration session, it is **COMPULSORY** to bring the following;

- 1. Duly completed **Registration Form** which was signed by the **Academic Counsellor** at the **Counselling Session**.
- 2. **Original certificates/letters** mentioned in the Annexure 01.
- 3. **Photocopies of relevant certificates/letters certified by the** Academic Counsellor at the Counselling session.

### Documents to be Arranged before the Academic Counselling

- 1. National Identity Card and a photocopy
- 2. Original Birth Certificate and a photocopy
- 3. Three passport sized colour photographs (35 mm x 45 mm)

The photograph should be as follow:

- Photographs should not be gloss or semi-gloss
- The face should be direct and both ears should be visible in the photograph
- The photographs should be printed on high-quality paper with no dots or ink marks
- Facial posture should not be changed
- No spectacles are allowed for the photograph
- 4. G.C.E. O/L certificate and photocopy (issued by the Department of Examinations)
- 5. G.C.E. A/L (or equivalent) certificate (issued by the Department of Examinations)

Note: G. C. E. (A/L & O/L) certificates: - You need to provide the original certificates which were issued by the Department of Examinations (other results sheets will not be accepted).

(If you need to get O/L and A/L result sheets follow the link <a href="https://certificate.doenets.lk/">https://certificate.doenets.lk/</a>)

- 6. Certificate of Professional Experience Certificate of Proficiency in Pharmacy/ Certificate of Efficiency in Pharmacy (Original certificate and a photocopy)
- 7. Service letter to prove the required number of working experience (where relevant)