

## M.Sc. Nursing - INFORMATION BROCHURE 2026-27

### PROCEDURE AND RULES FOR ADMISSION

A candidate who aspires to join any of the UG/PG programme offered by the Institutes of the University shall have to compulsorily appear for the Entrance Test conducted by the University.

**The candidate must:**

- i) Register for the Entrance Test (by registering online at the website)
- ii) Pay the entrance test fee to complete the registration

### **1) ENTRANCE TEST - GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

1. The entrance test is a ranking examination for admission to the particular undergraduate or post graduate programmes at the particular institute for **2026-27** academic session.
2. The entrance tests will be held at centres in various cities and are conducted on specific date. Applicant may kindly note that mere appearance in the center-based entrance test and inclusion of name in the merit list does not confer any automatic rights to secure admission to the programme offered by the institute. The selection and admission to the programme is subject to fulfilling the admission criteria, eligibility, and any such criteria as may be prescribed by the University and availability of seats to the particular programme and institute at the time of counselling.
3. Applications of candidates producing false or fabricated information will not be considered.
4. Before initiating registration process, candidates should go through the Information brochure carefully for eligibility criteria, and pattern of examination etc. The information brochure shall be available at <https://www.bvuniversity.edu.in/>
5. Incomplete application if not in accordance with instructions will not be considered and processed. Applicant should carefully fill up all the fields during application process and complete the payment process. Application once submitted finally, cannot be withdrawn/modified.
6. The entrance test fee, once paid, will not be refunded under any circumstances. Candidates who remain absent for the entrance test will forfeit their entrance test fee.
7. The Information brochure is subject to modification without notice. Please check the website regularly for updates, if any.
8. The authorities of the institute reserve the right to withdraw permission, if any, granted inadvertently to any candidate who is not eligible to appear in the entrance test even though Admit card/Registration number has been issued.
9. The admissions provided to candidates based on the result of the entrance test will be purely provisional and subject to the fulfilment of eligibility criteria as mentioned in the Information brochure.
10. Under no circumstance a change in examination centre once selected by the candidate will be allowed.

11. All the correspondence should preferably be addressed by e-mail. The e-mail query shall be addressed only if it is not anonymous and not vague. All communications with candidate will be done through the official email address [cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu](mailto:cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu) only. Please ensure that the email address is whitelisted in your registered email. If you do not receive the registration/payment confirmation mail, within 24 hours please check your spam/junk folder just in case these emails got delivered there instead of your inbox. Candidates must declare and maintain a valid and unique email account and a mobile phone number throughout the admission process.
12. Candidates are deemed to have read, agreed, and accepted the terms and conditions in the Information brochure and then, they should complete the registration/application form for the entrance test.
13. In case of differences of opinion or any ambiguity in interpretation and implementation of any of the instructions/ terms/ rules/ criteria regarding the determination of eligibility/ conduct of examinations/ registration of candidates/ information contained herein, the same shall be referred to the Vice Chancellor of the **Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University)** and his decision shall be final and binding on all concerned.
14. Any legal matters arising out of the total admission process through the All India Common Entrance Test of **Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune – 30** i.e. the entrance test, shall be within the exclusive jurisdiction of competent courts at Pune, Maharashtra State only.

## 2. INTAKE OF THE PROGRAMME

M.Sc. Nursing programme is designed in the same way as those of other well-known universities and is in accordance with the guidelines of Indian Nursing Council and has an approval of Maharashtra Nursing Council and Indian Nursing Council.

The information and the rules given herein are applicable for admissions to the first year of two years full time M.Sc. Nursing programme of Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune conducted at its following constituent units.

### **College of Nursing, Pune Intake Capacity: 25**

- 1) Medical Surgical Nursing - 6 Seats
- 2) Paediatric Nursing - 5 Seats
- 3) Psychiatric Nursing - 4 Seats
- 4) Community health Nursing - 5 Seats
- 5) Obstetrical & Gynaecology Nursing - 5 Seats

### **College of Nursing, Sangli & Navi Mumbai Intake capacity: 25 each College**

Five students in each speciality

- 1) Medical Surgical Nursing - 5 Seats
- 2) Paediatric Nursing - 5 Seats
- 3) Psychiatric Nursing - 5 Seats

- 4) Community health Nursing - 5 Seats
- 5) Obstetrical & Gynaecology Nursing - 5 Seats

**Duration :** The M. Sc. (Nursing) programme is of 2 years duration.

**Note:** 15% seats are reserved under Foreign / NRI / P.I.O. / OCI/ Institutional Quota Merit Category. Candidates seeking admissions to the seats under Foreign / NRI / P.I.O. / OCI/ Institutional Quota Merit category will have to apply separately on a prescribed application form. The application form will be available at the office of **The Registrar, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Bharati Vidyapeeth Bhavan, L.B.S. Marg, Pune- 30**. The form fee for Foreign/NRI(Non-Resident-Indian) / P.I.O. / O.C.I./ Institutional Quota Merit category is Rs. 1,000/- (non refundable). Seats remaining vacant after allotment to Foreign / NRI / P.I.O./ OCI Students (based on Merit), will be allotted to Indian students under Institutional Quota on the basis of merit based on the marks obtained by them in **M. Sc. Nursing 2026**. The last date for submission of form to this category at the above mentioned address is **26<sup>th</sup> June 2026 before 5.00 p.m.**

Only those candidates who would satisfy all the eligibility requirements as mentioned above will be considered eligible to appear in the entrance test and for admission to the programme.

All the candidates seeking admissions will have to appear for Entrance Test "**BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026**" conducted by Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune. All candidates will have to apply online & fill the prescribed application form at the website [www.bvuniversity.edu.in](http://www.bvuniversity.edu.in)

### **3. ELIGIBILITY**

- i) The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife or equivalent with any state Nursing Registration Council.
- ii) The minimum education requirements shall be the passing of B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. Hons. Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing with minimum of 55% aggregate marks. (50% marks for SC/ST Candidates)
- iii) The candidate should have undergone B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. Hons. Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing in an institution which is recognized by Indian Nursing Council.
- iv) Minimum one year of work experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- v) Minimum one year of work experience prior or after Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- vi) Candidate shall be medically fit.

Only those candidates who would satisfy all the eligibility requirements as mentioned above will be considered eligible for admission to the programme.

### **4. BASIS OF SELECTION FOR ADMISSION**

- 4.1 A Candidate desirous of seeking admission to **M.Sc.Nursing-2026** Programme should fulfill the minimum eligibility condition as stated in point no. 3 above.
- 4.2 He / She must have appeared for the **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** Entrance Test, conducted by Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune at designated centres.
- 4.3 The Candidate shall be offered admission on the basis of his/her rank in the final merit list and availability of the seats for a particular programme at a particular institute of the candidate's choice at the time of counseling and admission in the concerned institute.

- 4.4 In the case of candidates securing equal aggregate marks, their relative rank will be determined on the basis of following order of preference:
- First preference to the Candidates obtaining higher marks in B. Sc. Nursing final year examination.
  - If equal, the candidates will be ranked according to their percentage of marks obtained at HSC or its equivalent examination.
  - If equal, the candidates will be ranked according to their percentage of marks scored at SSC or its equivalent examination
  - When all the above scores are the same, the candidates will be ranked on the basis of computerized random numbering.

## 5. **NATURE OF ENTRANCE TEST “M.Sc. Nursing-2026”**

- 5.1 The **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** entrance test is an entrance test for admission to M. Sc. Nursing Programme. It will be conducted through online mode and is of 100 marks and shall be of 90 minutes duration.
- 5.2 The M. Sc. Nursing-2025 will consists of one question paper, set in English and will contain 100 multiple choice objective-type questions. They will be set on the topics in the B.Sc. Nursing programme Syllabus. It consists of 100 multiple choice questions, one mark each with four alternatives, with only one correct or most appropriate answer. One Mark will be awarded for each correct answer. There is no negative marking.

## 6. **ENTRANCE TEST SCHEDULE AND ADMIT CARDS**

The entrance test for various UG & PG programmes will be held as per the dates mentioned in the entrance test schedule displayed at <https://www.bvuniversity.edu>.

The Timings of the entrance test will be communicated via admit cards.

The admit cards will be available two days prior to the date of entrance test. The test details will be sent to the registered email id.

## 7. **ENTRANCE TEST FEE:**

- 7.1 **Entrance test fee: Rs. 1500/- (Non-Refundable)**
- 7.2 The entrance test fee shall be paid through payment gateway using internet banking mode or through debit/credit card/UPI. Service charges and other taxes for transaction as applicable by bank has to be paid by the applicant.
- 7.3 The entrance test fee, once paid, will not be refunded under any circumstances. Candidates who remain absent for the entrance test will forfeit their entrance test fee.

## 8. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

A candidate desirous of appearing for the entrance test is required to complete the prescribed online application form and submit to the University along with entrance test fee.

The application form is available online at: <http://bvuniversity.edu.in>



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Scan QR Code to apply

The candidates should strictly follow the instructions given in the website while filling up the application form online, and must read the instructions carefully before filling up the online application form. Instructions are available on website. Before filling up the application form online, candidates should:

- a) Create their login credential
- b) Have a scanned image of their recent passport size photograph (Refer to guidelines mentioned on the Application Portal)
- c) Have a scanned image of their signature, ready before filling up the online application form.
- d) Read the procedure and guidelines for online payments of test fee which is to be made through Credit Card/ Debit Card/ Internet Banking/UPI. (Refer to guidelines, terms and conditions for using online payment mentioned on the website) The candidate may then proceed to fill the form and submit the completed online application form. The candidate should take a print of payment receipt and completed online application form for reference and as a record. Candidates should submit the completed online application form on or before the last date mentioned in the website.

Candidate should ensure that all information entered during the online application process is correct. Applications of candidates producing false or fabricated information will not be considered.

The authorities of the University do not edit /modify/alter any information entered by the candidates at the time of online application process under any circumstances. Any request for change in information thereafter will not be entertained.

**For any queries related to filling online application form,**

**Email to: [cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu](mailto:cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu) Tel. No. 020-24407131/132**

**\*Note: NO REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN EXAMINATION DATE AND EXAMINATION CENTRE WILL BE CONSIDERED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.**

The university will not be responsible if the candidate has filled in and submitted an application for a different test from the one intended to appear. In such cases the university will not refund the entrance test fees. For any queries please mail us at email: [cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu](mailto:cet@bharativedyapeeth.edu)

**9. DECLARATION OF RESULT**

A combined merit list of the entrance test **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** (based on 100 marks), will be notified at the website [www.bvuniversity.edu.in](http://www.bvuniversity.edu.in). The combined merit list for all the institutes will be declared. Separate merit list will be prepared for regular category and Foreign / NRI / PIO / OCI / Institutional Quota Merit Category.

Candidate will have to login at the application portal to view their result. It is not possible to send individual invitation for counselling to the candidates. **It shall be the responsibility of the individual candidate to see their own merit number and appear for the counselling at the centre of his/her choice as per schedule will be notified at the website.**

**10. COUNSELLING AND ON THE SPOT ADMISSIONS**

**10.1** The schedule and venue of counselling and on the spot admission session will be notified at the website. Please visit [www.bvuniversity.edu.in](http://www.bvuniversity.edu.in) for more details.

**FAILURE TO REPORT FOR COUNSELLING ON THE SCHEDULED DATE AND TIME WILL RESULT IN INSTANTANEOUS CANCELLATION OF A CLAIM OF THE CANDIDATE TO THE SEAT.**

The admission (provisional) will be offered based solely on the merit obtained at the all India entrance test. The allocation of the institute will be made based on the preference provided by the candidate while filling the online application form. The candidate must note that appearance for the entrance test and inclusion of name in the merit list does not necessarily mean that he/she will get admission to the institute & programme. The admission will depend upon the availability of seats to the particular programme and the institute at the time of his/her counselling. It shall be candidate's responsibility to see the result of Entrance test **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** and confirm their merit no. and remain present for counselling as per the schedule test. It may not be possible to send individual invitation for counselling to the candidates. They may attend counselling session as per the schedule given in this brochure, on their own.

If any candidate finds it impossible to be physically present for the counselling due to unavoidable circumstances, he/she may authorize any other responsible individual to represent him/her at the counselling. This representative must carry with him/her the letter of authorization in the format given in **ANNEXURE-I**, as well as all the documents listed in **10.2**. **If the candidate or his representative fails to report for the counselling on the date and the time mentioned in the schedule of counseling, his/her claim for admission to any of the programme will be forfeited.** The choice of programme made by the candidates / his / her representative will be final and binding and will not be ordinarily altered later.

**10.2** The following certificates in original along with self-attested two copies each of the same are to be submitted at the time of counseling and on the spot admission.

- (a) Statement of marks B.Sc. Nursing Programme (Last qualifying examination)
- (b) Passing/Degree certificate (Last qualifying examination)
- (c) Migration certificate from the University from which the candidate has passed the last

- examination. (other than Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University).
- (d) Transference /Leaving Certificate from the College last attended.
- (e) Character Certificate from Principal of the College last attended.
- (f) Affidavit regarding Gap in education.
- (g) Caste Certificate (in case of SC/ST Candidates)
- (h) Caste Validity Certificate (for SC/ST Candidates)
- (i) Change in Name Certificate (if any for married female students).
- (j) Experience certificate
- (k) Conduct and character certificate
- (l) Attempt certificate
- (m) Registration certificate from state nursing council.
- (n) No objection certificates from the institution, if you are employed.
- (o) Medical fitness certificate from a Registered Medical Practitioner, (as per ANNEXURE-II)
- (p) Demand Draft of the requisite fees as per the fee structure.
- (q) 5 Passport size recent photographs.
- (r) R.N. /R.M. certificate

**10.3** After scrutiny of their Certificates, the candidates are offered provisional admission according to their rank, availability of seats and payment of fees.

**Admissions to M. Sc. Nursing-2026** will be confirmed subject to

- i) payment of fees in full on the day of admission round
- ii) eligibility certificate from university

#### **11. FEE STRUCTURE ONLY FOR 2026-27**

The fees to be paid for the first year of the **M. Sc. Nursing** programme at respective institutes are given below –

Sr. No.	Name of Institute	Regular Merit Category	Institutional Quota Merit Category	Foreign / NRI / PIO / OCI Merit Category
1.	College of Nursing, Pune	₹ 1,43,500/-	₹ 1,93,000/-	US \$ 8000
2.	College of Nursing, Sangli	₹ 1,15,770/-	₹ 1,73,645/-	US \$ 6000
3.	College of Nursing, Navi Mumbai	₹ 1,15,000/-	₹ 1,60,000/-	US \$ 6500

**\*Note:**

The above fees are per annum. The fees shall be revised upwards @ 5% per annum.

The candidate is urged to note that "NO DONATION OR CAPITATION FEE" is required to be paid for admission. The candidate is cautioned against falling prey to any such assurance / offer by any individual or outside agency.

**Mode of Payment of Fees shall be as given below**

The fee is to be paid either through online mode or Bank Draft of any Nationalized bank drawn in the name of **“The Principal, College of Nursing”, Pune/ Navi Mumbai/ Sangli. payable at Pune/ Navi Mumbai/ Sangli**”. The details of payment through online mode will be informed. The details of payment through online mode will be informed.

The fees are to be paid in full during counselling and spot admission round subject to approval from university (competent authority)

In case the candidate fails to remit the entire amount of fees, he/she is likely to lose his/her claim for admission.

At the time of admission, a candidate has to pay library deposit. This deposit shall be refunded upon completion of the programme.

If a candidate fails to confirm admission given to him/her, the same shall stand cancelled and the resultant vacancy will be offered to the next eligible candidate from the list. However, if candidate is unable to report in person, he /she can depute a representative with an authority letter signed by the candidate (**ANNEXURE-I** appended in this brochure) along with requisite documents under **sec.10.2** above and DD of fees.

There are a few seats available in the hostel which will be allotted on first come first served basis.

Those who are desirous of getting admission to the hostel will be required to pay the entire amount of rent for the year as well as the mess charges for the entire academic year at the time of admission only. The details of hostel fees will be given in counselling letter. The payment for the hostels should be made by separate Demand Draft.

The date and commencement of the programme and detailed time table will be communicated to the candidate by the respective institute.

**Hostel facility:**

If you desire to have hostel accommodation, limited hostel accommodation is available on the campus both for boys and girls. The same will be allotted on first come first served basis. The hostel room rent and other charges will have to be paid at the time of admission only. There are different hostels for girls and boys each having different fee at Pune campus. Those who are desirous of getting admission to the hostel will be required to pay the entire amount of rent for the year as well as mess charges for the entire academic year at the time of admission only. The details of hostel fees will be given in **counselling letter**. The payment for the hostels should be made by separate Demand Draft. You should bring Demand Draft for the hostel of your choice. Cash or cheque will not be accepted. For details contact to respective hostel.

**12. REFUND OF FEES**

The cancellation of admission and refund of fees will be as per the UGC guidelines issued by UGC from time to time.

**13. CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE**

If any student is found indulging in antinational activities, or in activities that run contrary to the letter and spirit of the provisions of Acts and Laws enforced by the Government, or any

activity that causes his/her behavior to be contrary to rules of discipline, will be liable to be expelled from the institute forthwith without any notice by the Principal/Director of the institute.

If any of the statements made in application form or any information supplied by the candidate in connection with his/her admission is, at any time, found to be false or incorrect and willful suppression of facts, his/her admission will be cancelled forth with. The fees will be forfeited, and he/she may be expelled from the institute by the Principal /Director and prosecuted, if deemed necessary.

**Each of the candidates seeking admission in the institute is required to give the following undertaking at the time of admission: -**

- A) "I have read all the Rules of Admission for the current year and after fully understanding these rules, I have filled in this application form for admission for the current year.
- B) The information given by me in my application is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- C) I have not been debarred from appearing at any examination conducted by any Government constituted or Statuary autonomous examination authority in India.
- D) I fully understand that the Principal/Director of the institute will have right to expel, rusticate me from the institute for any infringement of the Rules of good conduct and discipline in general and particularly the ones referred to above and the rules of good conduct and discipline prescribed by the institute / University and in the undertaking given above."

**14. MISCELLANEOUS:**

- 14.1 The candidates are informed that the medium of instruction, for all programmes is English.
- 14.2 At the time of seeking admissions, a candidate will be provisionally admitted to programme at the Institute subject to Eligibility Clearance from the University.
- 14.3 The Institution shall have the right to satisfy about the conduct and character of a candidate by verifying antecedents of a candidate through the appropriate police-authority, before admitting him/her to the Institute.
- 14.4 The attention of the candidates is particularly invited to the provisions of rules regarding the eligibility of candidates for admission to the **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** programme. If at any stage it is found that a candidate is not eligible either for admission to **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** programme, his/her candidature and admission even if granted provisionally will be cancelled forthwith.
- 14.5 Differences of opinion and disputes arising in the interpretation and implementation of the clauses in this brochure, if any, will be referred to the Vice-Chancellor of the Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune and his decision shall be final and binding on all the concerned.

**15. COURT JURISDICTION:**

Any legal matters arising out of the entire admission process through Common Entrance Test conducted by Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University), Pune-30 i.e. **BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** will be in the jurisdiction of courts of Pune, Maharashtra State.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

The students and the parents will have to submit the printouts of anti-ragging undertaking online on the following websites:

1. [www.antiragging.in](http://www.antiragging.in)
2. [www.amanmovement.org](http://www.amanmovement.org)

This has to be submitted immediately after confirmation of the admission.

Note:

As per the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India Order No. SLP(C) No. 24295/2004 and SLP No. 143656/2005, WP (C) No. 173/2006 and SLP(C) No. 24296-24299/2004 all the students are hereby informed the following.

“If any incidents of ragging come to the notice of the authority, the concerned students shall be given liberty to explain and if his explanation is not found satisfactory the authority would expel him from the institution.”

All the students should note the above directives from the Supreme Court.

**Registrar**  
**Bharati Vidyapeeth**  
**(Deemed to be University), Pune, India**

## ANNEXURE-I

## AUTHORIZATION FOR REPRESENTATIVE

I, \_\_\_\_\_, son /daughter of  
 \_\_\_\_\_, being unable to attend the counselling

session for admission to the **M.Sc .Nursing** programme in Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) (name of the Institute)

on \_\_\_\_\_ here by authorize \_\_\_\_\_  
 whose photograph is affixed below and who will sign as shown below, to represent me at the counselling and on-the spot-admission. I hereby declare that the choice of programme made by this authorized representative will be irrevocable and that it will be final and binding on me. This authorized representative will present all the necessary documents, pay the appropriate fees and complete all the necessary formalities on my behalf.

Name of the candidate: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

Seat No. (**BV-M.Sc.NURSING-2026** Examination):

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

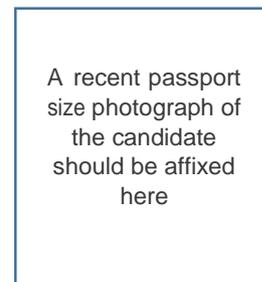
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for absence: \_\_\_\_\_

## Signature of the Representative



## Signature of the Candidate



## ANNEXURE-II

**Medical Fitness**

A candidate must be medically fit to undergo the professional Programme applied for. The medical fitness must be certified by a Registered Medical Practitioner in the prescribed proforma, as given below on a Letterhead:

**Certificate of medical fitness**

This is to certify that I have conducted clinical examination of

Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ who is desirous of admission to Health Sciences Programme.

He / She has not given any personal history of any disease incapacitating him/her to undergo the professional Programme. Also, on clinical examination it has been found that he/she is medically fit to undergo the professional Programme.

Certified further, that he/she has not shown any evidence of major defects of posture, locomotion, vision, hearing or any other systemic disorder.

Though or following deviations have been revealed, in my opinion, these are not impediments to pursue a career in **M. Sc. Nursing**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Address of the Registered Medical Practitioner**

Signature: . \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration No.: . \_\_\_\_\_

**Seal of Registered Medical Practitioner**

Date: / / 2026