



KERALA UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

ABSTRACT

KUHS-Dean Research-Course Extension without Re-registration to PhD third batch (2020 batch) Students - Granted -
Orders issued

OFFICE OF THE DEAN RESEARCH

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Read :- 1.Section 10.1 , KUHS PhD Regulations 2018.

2. Section 16.2, KUHS PhD Regulations 2018.

ORDER

As per read (1) above, for full-time registration, the minimum duration including the time spent for coursework shall be 3 (three) years and the maximum period 5 (five) years. And, for part-time registration, the minimum period including the time spent for coursework shall be 4 (four) years and the maximum period 6 (six) years. PhD students shall submit the final Synopsis/Abstract within maximum period prescribed unless re -registered / re- enrolled .

2. The maximum duration to submit the final synopsis of Third Batch (2020) Full -time Candidates has ended in 2025 , and that of Third Batch (2020) Part-time PhD candidates will end in 2026. A number of PhD Scholars of 2020 batch have requested for course extension without re- registration based on the delay occurred in their PhD course due to COVID 19 , and other technical delays.

3. As per the read (2) above, Notwithstanding any of provisions stated in the PhD Regulations 2018, the Vice Chancellor shall have powers to remove any difficulty while implementing the PhD Programme.

4. The matter of third batch PhD candidates (2020 batch Full-time and Part time) , was submitted before the Vice Chancellor for consideration. **On verifying all the facts, sanction is accorded by the Vice Chancellor to grant Course Extension without Re-registration, for 1 year, to the KUHS third batch PhD Candidates (2020 batch Full-time and Part time) in continuation to their original registration, considering the delays caused, and exercising the powers vested in Section 16.2, KUHS PhD Regulations 2018.**

5. The extension of one year is from the expiry of the maximum duration of the candidates , which may vary case by case, depending upon the joining date of each candidate at the Centre of Research. Candidates have to submit the final synopsis before the expiry of the extended period to avoid re registration/re-enrolment. The date of submission of the final Synopsis/Abstract after Pre-submission presentation will be taken as date of submission for this purpose.

6. Orders are issued accordingly.

(By order of the Vice Chancellor)
Dean Research

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