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RESEARCH PUBLICATION POLICY

Amna Inayat Medical College Sheikhupura

1. Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to promote a culture of quality research, scientific inquiry, ethical publication practices, and dissemination of knowledge among faculty members, students, and researchers of the College.

2. Scope

This policy applies to all faculty members, students, researchers, and staff involved in research activities conducted under the auspices of the College and its affiliated teaching hospital.

3. Research Ethics

All research involving human participants, animals, or identifiable data shall obtain prior approval from the Institutional Review Board (IRB)/Ethics Review Committee (ERC). Researchers shall comply with PMDC, HEC, and international ethical guidelines. Informed consent shall be obtained whenever required.

4. Authorship and Contributions

Authorship shall be based on significant intellectual contribution to the study. Guest, honorary, or ghost authorship is strictly prohibited.

5. Plagiarism

All manuscripts and research reports shall comply with HEC plagiarism regulations. Any form of plagiarism, data fabrication, falsification, or research misconduct shall be subject to disciplinary action.

6. Publication of Research

Faculty and students are encouraged to publish their research in PMDC-recognized, HEC- recognized, and indexed peer-reviewed journals.

7. Data Management

Research data shall be maintained securely and confidentially and retained according to institutional requirements.

8. Conflict of Interest

All researchers shall disclose any financial, professional, or personal conflicts of interest.

9. Research Support

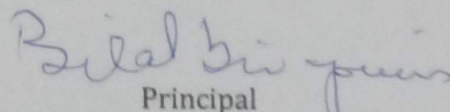
The College may facilitate research methodology workshops, biostatistical consultation, scientific writing support, and research mentoring.

10. Monitoring and Compliance

The Research Committee/Department of Medical Education shall monitor implementation of this policy and maintain annual records of publications.

11. Review of Policy

This policy shall be reviewed periodically and revised as necessary to ensure compliance with PMDC and HEC requirements.


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