

INFORMATION

Criteria7 : Institutional Values and Best Practices

Key Indicator : 7.1 Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

Metric : 7.1.7

Metric Description : The Institution has Differently-abled (Divyangjan) friendly, barrier free environment

Write description covering the various components of barrier free environment in your institution within 500 words

A congenial and barrier-free campus environment has been meticulously crafted to cultivate an atmosphere of inclusivity and warmth, accommodating individuals of diverse backgrounds, abilities, and disparities. The following comprehensive elucidation delineates key components of this design:

Architectural Accessibility:

- The campus architecture is conceived with universal accessibility as a paramount consideration, ensuring the incorporation of wheelchair-friendly features and the provision of ramps across all buildings and facilities.
- The inclusion of Divyangjan-friendly washrooms further underscores the commitment to ensuring equitable access for all individuals.
- Clear and strategically positioned signage and information boards facilitate seamless navigation and communication throughout the campus environment.

Inclusive Infrastructure:

- Restrooms, water fountains, and communal spaces are thoughtfully situated and designed to accommodate individuals with varying physical abilities, fostering an environment of equal opportunity and comfort.
- Ample provision of wide sidewalks and pathways enhances ease of movement for individuals reliant on mobility aids or assistive devices, affording them unhindered access to campus facilities.

Supportive Services:

- Dedicated support services and resources are readily available to provide assistance to students with disabilities, encompassing a spectrum of provisions ranging from counselling services to academic accommodations and specialized training initiatives tailored for faculty and staff members.

Policy Documentation:

- Policy documents, exemplified by the "Right to Disability Act 2016", serve as foundational frameworks underpinning the institution's commitment to fostering an inclusive campus environment. These documents, accessible via the provided link (https://www.aau.in/sites/default/files/wright_to_disability_act_2016.pdf), underscore the institution's adherence to legislative mandates aimed at safeguarding the rights and welfare of individuals with disabilities.

In summation, the conscientious integration of these elements within the campus infrastructure underscores our unwavering dedication to promoting inclusivity and equity, ensuring that every

member of our community, regardless of their unique circumstances, feels valued, supported, and empowered to thrive within our academic milieu.

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