

M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)

Session 2024-2025 onwards

Programme Level: Postgraduate

No. of Seats: 10

Duration: Two Years (Four Semesters)

Affiliation: The proposed programme shall be governed by the Department of Biosciences, SLAS, MUST, Lakshmangarh.

Programme Educational Objectives: It is a two year old post- graduate programme which includes the study of human behaviour. The study of Psychology has a significant role in developing an understanding of the human behaviour to promote skill-based education. An important goal is to facilitate self-discovery in the students and ensure their enthusiastic and effective participation in responding to the needs and challenges of society. The course intends to enable students in developing skills and competencies needed for meeting the challenges and needs of the real world effectively. Hence this syllabus is created keeping in mind the changing nature of society, educational institutions and workplace. It inculcates the required competencies in the students to understand and respond to the same efficiently and effectively.

Scope: A master's degree in psychology allows people to work as a research or administrative assistants for psychologists. Other job prospects include becoming a technician in a related field (such as market research) or assisting psychologists in mental health centers. Psychologists are required as school counselors, trainers, career counselors etc. They help children during their educational years. They also deal with students who have learning difficulties or some behavioral issues. Clinical Psychology deals with the assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of mental disorders. Clinical Psychology emphasizes the cognitive, emotional, biological, psychological, social, and behavioral aspects of human behavior in a cultural context. Counselors are required in NGOs, Old age homes, Rehabilitation Centers etc. Counselor understands the problem of the clients, and help them come out of their miseries. The problems can include some traumatic event in the person's life, or some personal problem in relationships. In old-age homes, counselors' jobs is to ensure that the residents should not feel lonely or worthless. Counselors working in rehabilitation centers (E.g. Drug addicts) help the patients to reduce the intake of drug. Organizational Psychologists work for MNCs and HR Departments. Their job is to handle the problems of the employees as well as to help the employees to work together effectively as a team.

At the end of the M.Sc. Clinical Psychology program, postgraduates will be able to:

- Identify the various psychological schools of thought, contemporary perspectives and advancements in the field of cognitive science, personality and its socio-cultural constructs and developmental aspects.
- Be employed in industry, academia and research laboratories and by providing expected domain knowledge.
- Provide practical training, hands-on and project experience to meet the industrial needs.
- Make an in depth study and analysis on the psychological processes through which a

complete exposure to the nuances of human behaviour will be acquired.

- Demonstrate knowledge of the basic and advanced skills required for counselling and to implement them in case analysis and therapeutic formulation.
- Acquire the professional and personal communication skills for assessment, diagnosis and treatment at individual and group level.
- Develop competence to conduct empirical and qualitative researches.
- Demonstrate creativity, develop innovative ideas and to work in teams to accomplish a common goal.
- Apply their theoretical knowledge of psychological concepts.

Programme Learning Outcomes

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- Acquire the ability to understand and analyze the psychological processes and problems.
- Develop the skill to improve human strengths.
- Inculcate a systematic understanding of the concepts and theories of human behaviour and psychological processes and their application in the real world.
- Think scientifically about surrounding human behaviour.
- Bring out view of others, mediate disagreements and reach to conclusions.
- Read, write, speak and listen clearly in person and through electronic media in English and provide effective meaning to the world.
- Voluntarily participate in civic life and exhibit empathy towards social world.

Input Qualification: Candidate should be a graduate in Science from any recognized with minimum 50% of marks & proficiency in English.

Evaluation Procedure: All the Rules and Regulations as provided in the Ordinances and Regulations of the Mody University shall be followed.

Year up-gradation of the student will be as per the University ordinance.

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Two -Year Programme
Academic Curriculum (2024–25) onwards

Name of the Programme: M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)							Year: First			
Course Code	Course Title	Contact Hours per Week			Credits	ETE Hrs.	Weightage (%)			
		L	T	P			CW ^s	MTE	ETE	
Core Courses										
PL 24.501	Advanced General Psychology	4	-	-	4	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.503	Applied Psychology	4	-	-	4	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.505	Psychology Laboratory	-	-	4	2	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.507	Critical Analysis of Review Paper ^{##}	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	100	
Elective Courses (Any two offered by the department)										
PL 24.509	Psychological Measurement and Statistics in Psychology	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.511	Life Span Developmental Psychology	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.513	Systems of Psychology	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50	
Skill Enhancement Course*										
Foreign Language-I (Any one from the list)										
FL20.101	French Language & Grammar-I	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
GL20.101	German Language & Grammar-I	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
JL20.101	Japanese Language & Grammar-I	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
SL20.101	Spanish Language & Grammar-I	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
SF 101	Personal Grooming, Fine Dining (Noncredit)	-	-	2	1	3	25	25	50	
Sub Total					22					

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Course Code	Course Title	Contact Hours per Week			Credits	ETE Hrs.	Weightage (%)			
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Core Courses										
PL 24.502	Psychology of Cognition	4	-	-	4	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.504	Psychometrics	4	-	-	4	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.506	Neurological Basis of Behaviour	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
Specialisation: Clinical Psychology										
PL 24.520	Psychopathology-I	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.522	Psycho-diagnostics	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50	
PL 24.524	Practical of Clinical Psychology-I	-	-	4	2	3	25	25	50	
Skill Enhancement Course*										
Foreign Language-II (Any one from the list)										
FL20.102	French Language & Grammar-II	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
GL20.102	German Language & Grammar-II	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
JL20.102	Japanese Language & Grammar-II	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
SL20.102	Spanish Language & Grammar-II	3	-	-	3	3	25	25	50	
SF 101	Personal Grooming, Fine Dining (Noncredit)	-	-	2	1	3	25	25	50	
Sub Total					23					

Name of the Programme: M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)							Year: Second			
Autumn Semester	Course Code	Course Title	Contact Hours per Week			Credits	ETE Hrs.	Weightage (%)		
			L	T	P			CW [§]	MTE	ETE
Core Courses										
	PL 24.601	Advanced Social Psychology	4	-	-	4	3	25	25	50
	MS 22.609	Research Methodology	3	1	-	4	3	25	25	50
	PL 24.603	Project Proposal [@]	-	-	-	2	3	25	-	75
Specialisation: Clinical Psychology										
	PL 24.617	Psychopathology -II	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50
	PL 24.619	Psychotherapies and Counseling	4	1	-	5	3	25	25	50
	PL 24.621	Practical of Clinical Psychology- II	-	-	4	2	3	25	25	50
		Sub Total				22				

- [§] CW (Course Work) includes teacher assessment, presentation, assignments, class quiz and class test.
- ^{##} Student should submit their paper in one journal and give presentation upon the same.
- * Non credit compulsory coursework.
- [@] Student shall do literature survey and submit proposal for research work. Evaluation of Project will be based on report, presentation and viva-voce.
- Syllabus of SEFS and Foreign Language will be provided by the concerned department.

Name of the Programme: M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)							Year: Second			
Spring Semester	Course Code	Course Title	Contact Hours per Week			Credits	ETE Hrs.	Weightage (%)		
			L	T	P			CW [§]	MTE	ETE
Core Courses										
	PL 24.602	Dissertation ^{@@}	-	-	24	12	3	-	-	100
	PL 24.604	Internship ^{&}	-	-	16	08	3	-	-	100
		Sub Total				20				
			Total Credits				95			

- [&] Internship may be in-house / out house/ hybrid mode.
- Out House Internship will be **student paid training**.
- The Outhouse training should be done by the student in Psychiatric Clinic/ Hospital / De-addiction centre/ rehabilitation centre/ NGO **for a minimum period of three months**.
- Evaluation will be done on the basis of Training report and presentation at the end of semester.
- ^{@@}For Dissertation, student should publish one research paper in UGC Care/ Scopus./ Scopus Indexed Journal. And the student should also present the paper in one national or international seminar.
- **Equivalence Certificate for M.Sc. Clinical Psychology will be provided to the student on the basis of their requirement, only for government jobs.**