



### **BMU Scholarship Policy (Undergraduate) 2024**

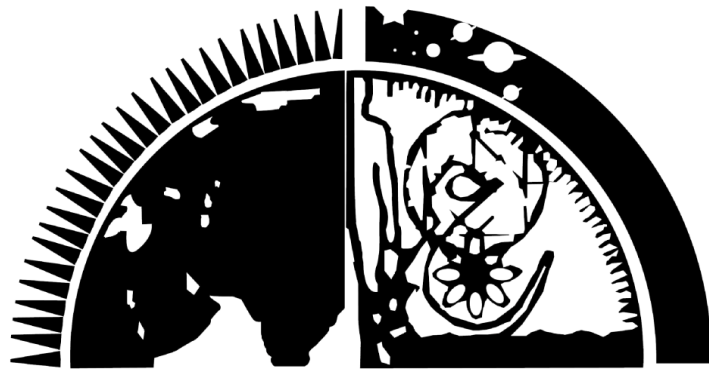
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## 1. Introduction/Scope

Baqai Medical University (BMU) recognizes students at all levels of their educational journey. The scholarship policy aims to support deserving students and provide a holistic educational experience by acknowledging merit, need and talent. BMU's financial need-based scholarship is to support deserving students in receiving high quality undergraduate education regardless of their socio-economic status.

## 2. Purpose/Objective

- 2.1. To provide opportunities to talented as well as financially deprived students and empower them to acquire quality education as per the standards and values to which BMU is committed.
- 2.2. Students who lose a parent or a guardian who was the primary earner in the family, during the course their studies must continue their studies.
- 2.3. Scholarships often reward academic excellence, research potential, or other exceptional achievements. By providing financial support to deserving students, institutes recognize and encourage excellence in their fields of study.

## 3. Policy Statement

### 3.1. General Statement:

There are two types of Scholarships available at BMU i.e. Merit based and Need based scholarships.

#### **Advance Merit Scholarship:**

The University will award Advanced Merit Scholarships in order to encourage the most talented students to join BMU. Advanced Merit Scholarships will be awarded to the Top Rankers in MDCAT / University Merit Lists. The percentage of scholarship amount will be decided by the Award Committee on yearly basis

Merit scholarships is provided to the students who have secured 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions in the last professional exam. Position holders are entitled to the Scholarship for one year. However, they are also required to fill out the Proforma. The percentage (**of the Annual Fee**) at which the scholarship is admissible is as follows:

<b>First Position:</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Second Position:</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Third Position:</b>	<b>3%</b>

- 3.2. Position holders applying also for Assistanship required to submit application separately for the grant of financial assistance.

### 3.3.Consideration for Siblings

**25%** concession in the form of Scholarship/Financial Assistance will be given to **one of the two senior siblings** provided he / she fulfils the criteria and studying at the same time. **10%** concession will be given to the **third child** provided he /she fulfils the criteria and studying at the same time. **No** concession will be given to any other child.

### 3.4.Consideration for the children of BMU Employees:

Minimum criteria for consideration of Scholarship to the children of employees will be five years of continuous service in Baqai Medical University provided the students fulfils the criteria.

The Scholarship will remain valid till the parents remain in service of the Baqai Medical University provided the student fulfils the criteria. The Scholarship will be cancelled immediately after the discontinuation of the service of the employee in BMU. **50%** Concession will be given to the **First child** studying at the same time, **25%** Concession will be given to the **Second child** studying at the same time and **10%** Concession will be given to the **Third child**. In all these cases, the student must fulfils the Eligibility Criteria (Point # 4) and studying at the same time. **No** concession to be given to the any other child.

- 3.5.The Scholarship is only for **One year** and it may renew next year provided they fulfil the criteria in all cases mentioned above.
- 3.6.The students who paying their fees in instalments are also eligible for Scholarship/Financial Assistance .
- 3.7.Scholarships shall be awarded on the express condition that the holders are bonafide students of a college / Institute / faculty within the jurisdiction of the Baqai Medical University. If an eligible student does not accept the scholarship, it shall be awarded to the next eligible candidate on the list.
- 3.8.The scholarships shall be awarded only to those students who pass in the annual examination and are admitted to an educational institution in the subsequent academic year of the last examination passed.
- 3.9.The scholarship shall be awarded to the youngest student if there is more than one candidate getting equal number of marks.
- 3.10. The Scholarship will be awarded only within normal degree duration and is not applicable on extra semester(s)/professional years for whatsoever reasons.
- 3.11. The University, vide its discretionary power, has the authority to change the definition or percentage of any Scholarship, with the approval of the Board of Governors/Chairman BoG, and it shall be binding on all awardees.
- 3.12. The Scholarship/Financial Assistance will be granted from the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of each academic program for all categories except **3.4**

## 4. Eligibility Criteria

- 4.1.All applicants desirous to seek Scholarship/Financial Assistance must submit prescribed Proforma completed in all respect **with supporting documents** every year as required by the Committee.
- 4.2.The students must have passed in all the courses and must have passed the last **Annual/Terminal examination** in the **first attempt** securing at least **60% marks**

**in case of Annual system of examination of secured CGPR 3.0 in Semester system examination.**

- 4.3. There should **NOT** be any outstanding dues.
- 4.4. The applicants must deposit **100% Tuition fee** and attach the receipt obtained from the accounts department with their application. The disbursement of awarded amount (scholarship/financial assistance) is through crossed cheque.
- 4.5. Attendance in the class will be taken into consideration by the Committee and at least **75% attendance** is mandatory.
- 4.6. Students admitted on Overseas / Foreign seats are **NOT** eligible for financial assistance.
- 4.7. No Scholarship is applicable on a repeat course or a course registered for improvement.
- 4.8. Student convicted by the Discipline Committee will be ineligible for any Scholarship/Award.

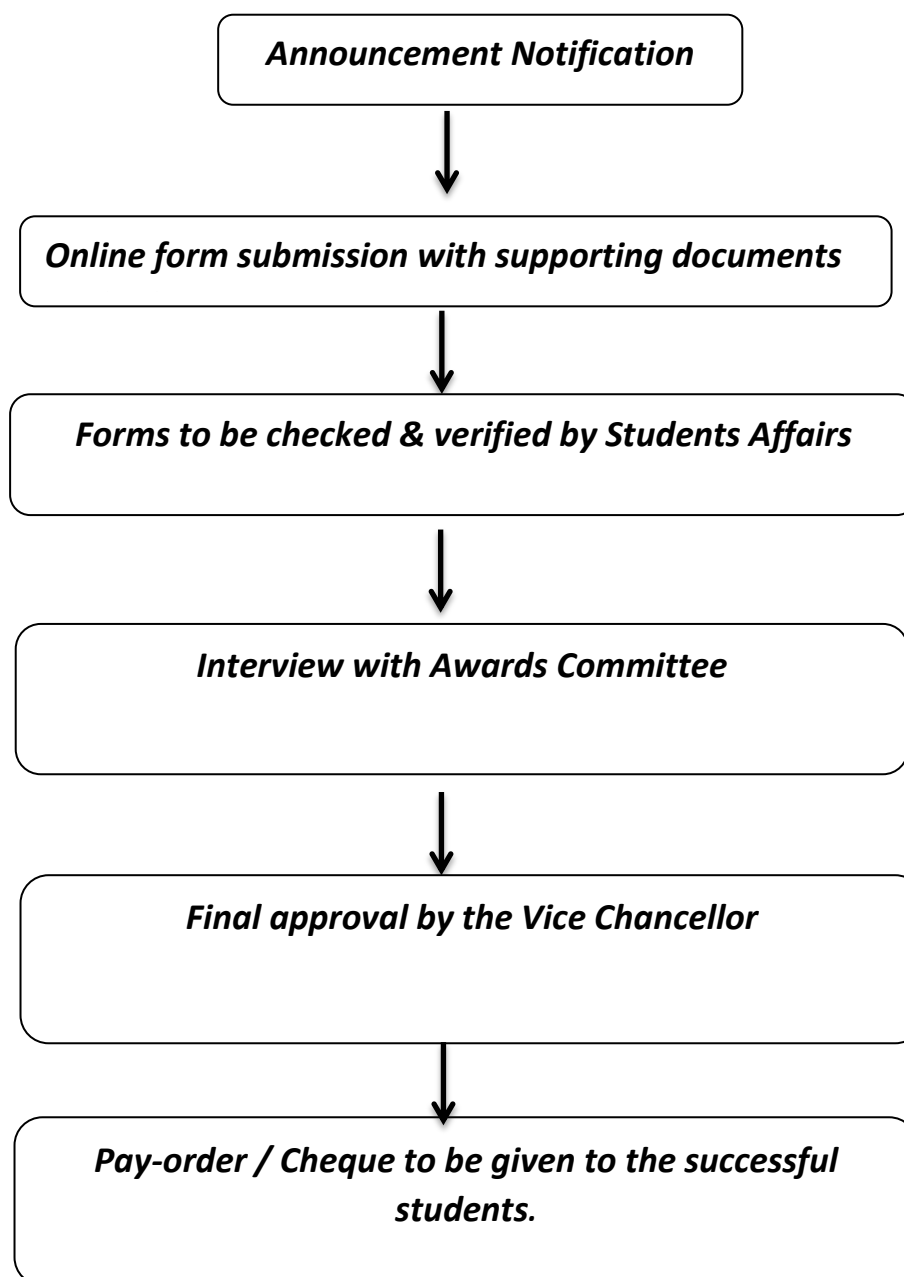
## **5. Late Fee:**

Last date for submission of Fee will be 31<sup>st</sup>. March every year. Thereafter, a Late Fee of Rs. 15,000/- per month will be imposed.

## **6. The Committee**

- The Awards Committee will be comprised of Pro-Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Director Finance, Director and/or Principal of concerned institute. The recommendations of the Awards Committee will be submitted to the Vice Chancellor for final approval

## 7. Applications and Process:



## 8. Policy Implementation Date

1<sup>st</sup> January 2024

## 9. Revision/Modification

The policy may be revised/modified, if required, after every 02 years.