Masters in Hospital Administration (MHA) Course Entrance Examination 2026-27

RAJENDRA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, RANCHI

(An Autonomous Institute under Govt. of Jharkhand)

Information Brochure



Application form Available (Online) : 05th December 2025
 Last Date of Application : 20th December 2025

Date of Scrutiny : 27th December 2025 (Tentative)

Admit card available online from : 3rd January 2026 (Tentative)

(By e-mail)

Entrance Examination : 10th January 2026 (Tentative)
 Interview : 17th January 2026 (Tentative)

Place of Examination : Rajendra Institute of Medical
 Sciences, Ranchi (Jharkhand)

Date of Result : Published on website

Website: https://rimsranchi.ac.in/

E-mail: rimsranchi@rediffmail.com

Phone No.: 0651-2541533, Fax no.: 0651-2540629

Note: RIMS, Ranchi reserves right to cancel the admission process at any stage.

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Proposal for the degree of Master in Hospital Administration (MHA)



The course in Master in Hospital Administration (MHA) will be run by Rajendra Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS) Ranchi, The degree obtained by student will be Master in Hospital Administration (MHA).

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1. AIMS & OBJECTIVES:

- 1.1. To prepare the candidate to assume the responsibility of a hospital executive / hospital administration health sector and subsequently function at higher levels in the hierarchy with requisite experience.
- 1.2. To develop the skills and enlarge the knowledge base to function as hospital manager at various levels in the hospitals.
- 1.3. To provide training in key issues of hospitals like hospital planning / designing, quality and safety in patient care, Accreditation of hospitals and resource management.

2. HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION/MANAGEMENT:

Hospital plays a very important role in delivery of health care services. With advancement in the field of medicine hospitals are able to offer a wide variety of health services. Therefore, the role of hospital administration is increasing day by day for effective and efficient delivery of medical services. Patient satisfaction, cost-containment, quality medical care, are the main output forum of hospital delivery system which can be achieved by using the management concept and techniques by the trained/qualified hospital administrators / healthcare providers.

Department of Hospital Administration has been given approval in 50th GB of autonomous RIMS, Ranchi, vide letter no GB 50.6 dated 28.01.2021 and MHA course is approved by Ministry of Health, Medical Education and Family Welfare Govt. of Jharkhand under letter no 11 / RIMS (Estd.)—01—17 / 2022 / 91(11), Health / Ranchi dated 10-04-2023 Department of Hospital Administration will be dedicated to training, teaching & research on all the issues that directly or remotely relate to the hospital administration. The operational objectives of the department are to facilitate the patient care services, at all levels, in order to achieve excellence through evidence based administration. The Hospital Administration will also actively involved in organizing training program / seminars for Jharkhand Government etc. Health Services offers on various aspects of Hospital administration and healthcare/patient care management.

3. Eligibility for Admission:

Graduates from relevant background (MBBS, BDS, AYUSH from an Institute / College recognized by MCI, DCI, AYUSH Ministry) OR as per recognized Institute/University/College of Bachelor of Hospital Administration OR Candidates having PGDHHM/PGDHA course from recognized Central / State University of Non-medical stream with minimum 50% of marks, having minimum Five years experience in recognized Government/Private Multi-specialty hospital (100 beds and above). However preference will be given to candidates having research experience in hospital administration.

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4. Age:

The upper age limit for admission is 35 years for the session. Upper age limit is relaxable as per Govt. of Jharkhand rules as applicable at the time of admission.

5. Selection and Reservation:

Students matching eligibility criteria can apply for Master in Hospital Administration (MHA) Course. After submitting the application. All students have to appear for entrance examination conducted by RIMS. Students qualifying entrance examination with minimum 50% marks for general candidate and minimum 45 % marks for reserve category will be eligible for GDPI, conducted by RIMS.

The interview board for GDPI will consist of

- Dean
- Administrative Head, Department of Hospital Administration
- Academic Head, Department of Hospital Administration
- External Expert
- ST / SC Faculty Member
- University / VC Nominee

Admission to MHA Course would be offered based on merit. Reservation of seats will be in accordance with Jharkhand Government norms.

Note: In case of candidate is not available against the reserved vacancy then the vacant seat will be filled in accordance with Jharkhand Government norms.

6. Number of Seats:

Ten (10) per academic year i.e. January to December of following year.(Reservation as per Government of Jharkhand norms)

7. Duration of Program: 2 Years, Fulltime - Residential

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8. Certification and Approving Authority:

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9. Examination Passing Criteria:

- 9.1. The course is spread out in Two (02) Years.
- 9.2. **Attendance**: Minimum 80% attendance is mandatory in each semester, including Summer Training to appearing examination.
- 9.3. It is compulsory to secure 50% marks in each paper individually to pass.
- 9.4. Final examination will be conducted at the end of course which comprise of:
 - 9.4.1. Internal Examination
 - 9.4.2. Theory
 - 9.4.2. Dissertation
 - 9.4.3. Viva voice
 - 9.4.4. Practical Examination

10. Fee Structure:

10.1. Entrance Examination Application Fee:

Examination fees are INR 1500 for Unreserved (UR) & OBC candidates and INR 1000 for SC/ST candidates). Application for the aforesaid examinations can be done through OFFLINE MODE ONLY (Demand Draft in favour of Director RIMS, Ranchi). The Complete Filled Application form duly signed, along with Demand draft must be deposited before the last date to Dean Office, Administrative Block, RIMS Ranchi-834009. Application Fee once paid will not be refunded under any circumstances.

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10.2. Course Fee:

S.No	Items	First Year 1st Semester	First Year 2 nd Semester	Second Year 3 rd Semester	Second Year 4th Semester	
1.	Admission fee	5000				
2.	Course fee	25000	25000	25000	25000	
3.	Examination fee		As pe	er Norm		
4.	Enrolment fee	500	1			
5.	Degree/Diploma Certificate fee	As per Norm				
6.	Migration Certificate fee	One time as per university norms				
7.	Caution Money(Refundable)	10000 (One Time)				
8.	Library fee	War and the	As pe	er norm	10	
9.	Total	40500	25000	25000	25000	

Note: Selected candidate full filling all the eligibility criteria will be informed by e-mail/on website also

Examination fee: As per RIMS norms.

Miscellaneous: For availing any Hostel / Campus facility (on availability) /leaves as per RIMS norms.

11. Medium of Instruction: The Medium of Instruction will be English.

12. Course Structure:

12.1. Module / Paper / Examination

MODULE/ PAPER	SUBJECT	TOPIC
Module I	General Management	Principles of Management & Organizational Behaviour, Human Resource & Financial Management in Hospitals
Module II	Health Administration and Public Health	Health Systems, Epidemiology & Biostatistics, Medical Sociology, Research Methodology & Legal Aspects



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Module III	Hospital Planning, Project Management and Managerial Issues	Hospital Organization & Planning, Quality, Safety & Accreditation in Hospitals
Module IV	Management of Clinical and Non- Clinical Services	Administration of Clinical Services, Administration of Non-Clinical & Support Services

12.3. Dissertation:

The Student will be required to complete a satisfactory dissertation in his/her area of interest. The dissertation will include a critical review of literature pertaining to the specific area of interest, data collection and analysis on the selected problem besides other components of the dissertation.

14. Anti-Ragging Act:

Ragging is prohibited in the Educational Institutions as per UGC Guidelines. If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, subject to the explanation of the concerned student, it will be dealt with strictly in accordance with the pertinent rules.

Important:

- In case of any dispute, the decision of the Director, RIMS Ranchi shall be final.
- In case of any legal dispute the jurisdiction will be Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi Bench only.
- If any typing error or any dispute of MHA course related, the MHA Committee member shall be final.
- Selected students will be on probation for 06 months and No Private Practice allowed. Students strictly follow the Institution Rules and Regulations as applicable time to time.

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Annexure -I

PROFORMA FOR ENDORSEMENT BY THE EMPLOYER

(Certificate to be produced by in-service candidates)

S/o. / D/o		is emplo	yed as
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/ Autonomous Body / Pub	olic Sector Organiz	ation / A Govt. of I	ndia). It is further certified that the
undersigned has no obje	ction to the appl	ication of Dr./Mr.,	/Ms
being considered by RIM	S for admission in	to Master's in Hos	pital Administration course for the
academic year 2025-26 ar	nd if selected he/s	he will be relieved	within the prescribed time limit as
AND DESCRIPTION OF SECURISHING AND ASSOCIATION OF SECURISHING AS		period of study.	

Signature of the Employer (Name in Full & Designation) With Official Seal

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Annexure - II

List of Certificates to be submitted/shown at the time of admission:

- 1. Provisional/Final Degree Certificate
- 2. Marks Memos of Degree
- 3. Transfer certificate / Migration certificate of Degree
- 4. Bonafide and conduct certificate for 3 years immediately preceding the qualifying exam from the Head of Institutions.
- 5. 10th class Certificate/marks memo
- 7. Caste Certificate (For SC/ST/OBC candidates) if applicable (please note that the certificate issued should be dated on or after December 2024)
- 8. Fees to be paid as mentioned in prospectus.
- 9. Relieving order from the appointing authority (in case of in-service candidates)
- 10. Professional council registration certificate as applicable
- 11. NOC from relieving authority (for in service candidates)
- 12. Any Experience in Multi-specialty hospital working (100 beds and above only) as per eligibility.

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Annexure – III

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- 13. No Objection Certificate from employer (if applicable): Yes/No
- 14. Experience in Multi-specialty Hospital (100 beds and above), if any:

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15. Research Experience (Book chapter written, Paper published in Journals etc.)

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- 17. Annual Income of Parent/guardian:
- 18. Any other relevant information:

I hereby affirm that the above information is true and if any discrepancy is found in future suitable action may be taken as per the institutional rules and regulations.

Place:

(Signature of the candidate)

Date:

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Check List of Enclosures:

1.	Provisional/Final Degree Certificate.	Yes/No
2.	Marks Memos of Degree.	Yes/No
3.	Transfer certificate / Migration certificate of Degree,	Yes/No
4.	Professional council registration certificate as applicable.	Yes/No
5.	Certificates from High School onwards.	Yes/No
6.	Bonafide and conduct certificate for 3 years immediately preceding the qualifying exam from the Head of Institutions	Yes/No
7.	10th class marks memo showing full name and date of birth.	Yes/No
8.	Caste Certificate, if applicable.	Yes/No
9.	Fees to be paid.	Yes/No
10.	NOC from the appointing authority (in case of in-service candidates).	Yes/No
11.	Experience certificate in Multi-specialty Hospital (100 beds and above)	Yes/No
12.	Any additional qualification	Yes/No

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Annexure - III-A

Advt.No:			
ADMIT CARD For Entran	ce Examination for M	HA Program for the academ	ic year 2026-27
1. Name	:		
2. Father's name	:		Passport Size
3. Date of birth	!		Photo
4. Gender	:		
5. Marital Status	i		
6. Category (SC/ST/OBC/UF	k/EWS.) :		
7. Address for corresponde	nce (with PIN code)	i	
8. Signature of the Candida	te :		
9. Signature of the Candida	te (During Examination	n):	
10. Roll No	:		
11. Date & Time of Exam	:		
12. Venue	f		
Verified By (Exam Section):			

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Invigilator's Signature:

Annexure - IV

This certificate needs to be issued / signed by two separate Officers

CERTIFICATE OF CHARACTER

Certified that I have known Dr/Mr	/Ms	Son/daughter of
Shrifor the	ne lastyears	months & that
the best of my knowledge & belief he/sh	e bears reputed character & has	no antecedents which
render him unsuitable for employment in	this Institute.	
Dr/Mr/Ms	is not related to me.	
Place:	Signature	
Dated:	Designation	
	District Magistr	rate or Sub-Divisional
	Magistrate c	or Gazetted Officer
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