

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHAIRPERSON, AP STATE ALLIED AND
HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONS COUNCIL: AP: VIJAYAWADA.
PRESENT: Y. VENKATESWARA RAO, B.Sc., MPT.**

Proc. No:1768/E3/APSAHPC/2026

Date: 24-09-2026

Sub: - APSAHPC – Allied and Healthcare Professions – Diploma Courses – Merger of Diploma in Dark Room Assistant (DDRA) with Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology (DMIT)/(DMRIT) - Alignment of seat intake capacity as per NCAHP – Resolution of the Special meeting of the Council - Orders – Issued.

Ref: - 1. NCAHP Letter F. No. Z/58/2024-AHS-DOHFW DEPARTMENT, dated:24.04.2025.
2. NCAHP Letter F. No. Z/103/2024-AHS-DOHFW DEPARTMENT, dated:15.05.2026.
3. Registration Guidelines Notification No. Z-1011/16/2025/NCAHP (AHS), dated: 15.09.2026.
4. Resolution of the Special Meeting of the Council Body held on 23.09.2026.
5. Note orders of the Chairperson, APSAHPC dated: 23.09.2026.

ORDER:

As per the reference 4th cited, the National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP) has not listed Dark Room Assistant as a separate profession/course for registration under the applicable NCAHP framework.

And whereas, the Council Body, in its Special Meeting held on 23.09.2026, has considered the proposal for merger of Diploma in Dark Room Assistant (DDRA) with Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology (DMIT)/(DMRIT) and resolved that the existing Diploma in Dark Room Assistant (DDRA) shall be merged with Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology (DMIT), in conformity with the NCAHP Act, 2021 and the applicable regulations/guidelines of NCAHP.

The Council Body has further resolved to align the maximum seat intake capacity to forty (40) seats after merger, as per NCAHP letter dated 15.05.2026.

In view of the above and in accordance with the resolution of the Council Body, it is hereby ordered that the existing Diploma in Dark Room Assistant (DDRA) seats in the institutions offering the said course shall be merged with Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology (DMIT)/ (DMRIT) from the Academic Year 2026-27.

Accordingly, the seat capacity of the concerned institutions shall be aligned under Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology (DMIT)/(DMRIT), subject to the maximum permissible intake of forty (40) seats as per NCAHP norms, and as detailed in the enclosed list to these proceedings and shall form part of this order and the institutions are informed to make necessary changes in their course and seat particulars. The revised course and seat particulars shall be incorporated in the concerned institutional records.

The Principals/Managements of the institutions concerned are hereby directed to comply with the above orders and accordingly make the admissions.

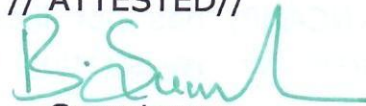
These orders are issued with the approval of the competent authority and shall be subject to the applicable guidelines/any further directions of the NCAHP.

Enclosure: List of institutions offering DDRA, with revised DMIT/DMRIT seat capacity.

Sd/-
Chairperson
Y. Venkateswara Rao
APSAHP Council
Vijayawada.

// BY ORDER//

// ATTESTED//



Secretary
APSAHP Council
Vijayawada.

To

The Principals/Managements of all concerned institutions offering the above Diploma Courses.

SECRETARY
A.P. STATE ALLIED AND HEALTH CARE
PROFESSIONS COUNCIL
Government of Andhra Pradesh
Vijayawada.

Copy submitted to:

The Secretary to Government, Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department,
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati.

ANNEXURE

Sl. No	Private Institute Names	DDRA seats	DMRIT seats	After Merger as DMRIT/DMIT	After Alignment as DMRIT/DMIT
1	Maharajah's Institute of Medical Sciences, Nellimarla, Vizianagaram Dist	10	0	10	10
2	Hyderabad Institute of Para Medical Technology, Giddalur, Prakasam District	30	0	30	30
3	Sri Bhargavi Institute of X Ray Technology, Ram Nagar, Ongole	20	0	20	20
4	Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Ravulapalem, East Godavari District	20	0	20	20
5	Sri Adi Siva Sadgur Institute of Paramedical Sciences, Guntakal	20	10	30	30
6	Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool	6	10	16	16
7	Siddartha Medical College, Vijayawada	3	10	13	13
8	Guntur Medical College, Guntur	3	10	13	13
9	Government Medical College, Ananthapur	10	30	40	40
10	Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada	6	10	16	16
11	Andhra Medical College, Visakhapatnam	6	10	16	16

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