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Report on One-Day Workshop on HPTU SSR

Organized at Gautam College of Pharmacy, Hamirpur

In Collaboration with Himachal Pradesh Technical University (HPTU), Hamirpur

Venue: Conference Room, Gautam College of Pharmacy, Hamirpur

Date: 17/12/2024

1. Introduction

In light of recent reforms in the institutional inspection process by Himachal Pradesh Technical University (HPTU), a **one-day workshop** on the **Self-Study Report (SSR)** based on the **NAAC (National Assessment and Accreditation Council)** framework was organized on **17/12/2024** at **Gautam College of Pharmacy, Hamirpur**. This initiative reflects HPTU's transition from its previous inspection methodology to an improved, outcome-oriented SSR format that aligns with national quality assurance benchmarks.

The event was jointly organized by **Gautam College of Pharmacy** and **HPTU**, with the goal of sensitizing and training stakeholders on the structural and procedural aspects of the newly adopted SSR format.

2. Participants

The workshop brought together a distinguished group of education leaders and quality coordinators, including:

- **Principals of all HPTU-affiliated colleges**
- **IQAC (Internal Quality Assurance Cell) Coordinators**
- **Senior faculty members and administrative heads**
- **Representatives from HPTU's Quality Assurance and Academic divisions**

3. Objective of the Workshop

The primary objectives of the workshop were:

- **To introduce the new SSR format based on the NAAC accreditation system.**



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- To provide a clear understanding of **criteria-based evaluation** under the revised format.
- To clarify the **documentation and data requirements**.
- To foster **collaborative dialogue** on implementing quality benchmarks.
- To ensure institutional readiness for **future inspections and accreditations**.

4. Workshop Proceedings

The workshop commenced with a **welcome address** by **Dean Academics, HPTU Dr. Jai Dev**, who emphasized the importance of quality assurance in higher education and the timely transition to the NAAC-based SSR system.

4.1. Inaugural Session

The session was formally inaugurated by representatives of **HPTU**, who provided an overview of the revised inspection methodology and its alignment with **NAAC's seven criteria**. Key points included:

- Emphasis on **quantitative and qualitative metrics**
- Integration of **student-centric outcomes and feedback**
- Introduction to **DVV (Data Validation and Verification)** processes
- Role of **institutional IQACs in continuous quality enhancement**

4.2. Technical Sessions

The technical sessions were structured around the **seven NAAC criteria**, with presentations delivered by experts from HPTU and senior academicians. Each criterion was discussed in detail:

1. **Curricular Aspects**
2. **Teaching-Learning and Evaluation**



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3. **Research, Innovations and Extension**
4. **Infrastructure and Learning Resources**
5. **Student Support and Progression**
6. **Governance, Leadership and Management**
7. **Institutional Values and Best Practices**

Each presentation included **case examples, documentation formats, and assessment techniques**, which were highly appreciated by the participants.

4.3. Interactive Discussions

An open discussion was held after each session, where Principals and IQAC Coordinators expressed their views, raised queries, and shared institutional practices. Issues such as:

- Challenges in evidence collection
- Maintaining compliance with NAAC standards
- Aligning institutional goals with quality indicators

were openly discussed, leading to a fruitful exchange of ideas.

5. Outcome of the Workshop

The workshop proved to be highly beneficial and led to the following outcomes:

- Enhanced understanding of the **SSR documentation and accreditation process**.
- Establishment of a **supportive peer network** among affiliated colleges for SSR preparation.
- Increased awareness of the **importance of data accuracy and stakeholder feedback**.
- Clarity on **institutional responsibilities** under the new NAAC-based system.

6. Glimpse of the Workshop



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Image 1: Vice Chancellor, HPTU and Dean Academic Addressing the audience



Image 2: Participant Principal during interactive session

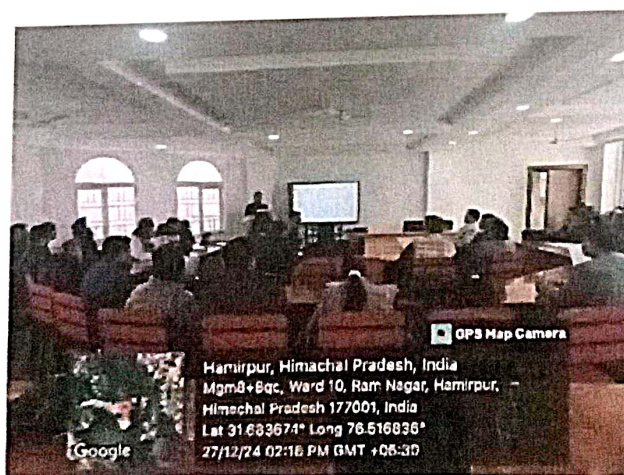


Image 3: Dr. Sanjay Kumar during interactive session



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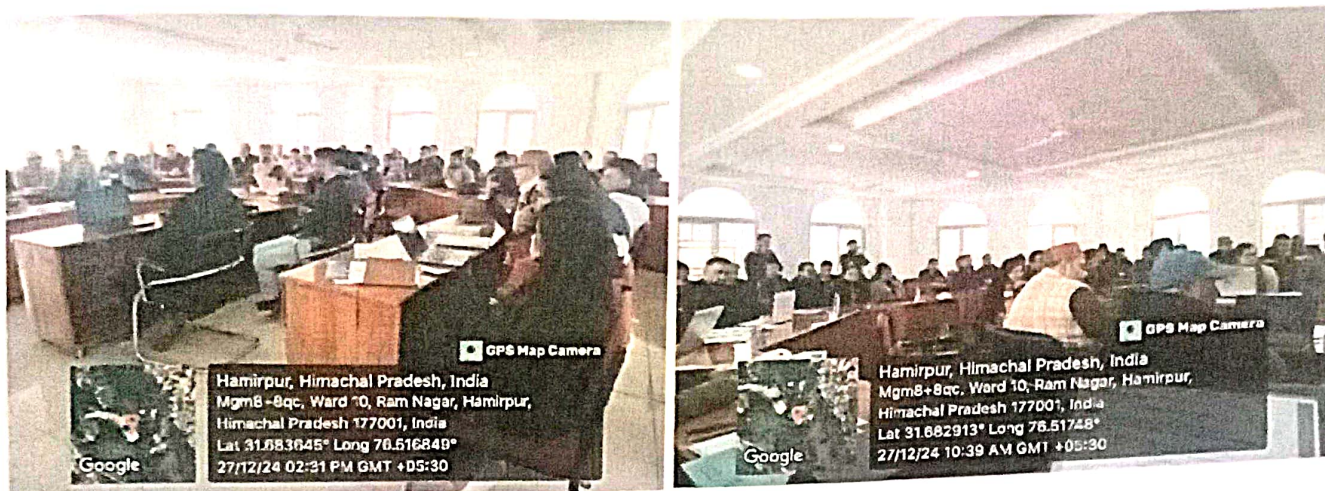


Image 4.5: Delegates

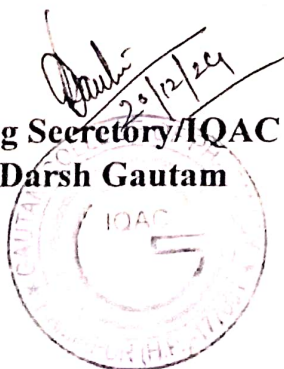
7. Conclusion

The successful conduct of the workshop marks a significant step towards **institutional quality enhancement** in line with national educational goals. Gautam College of Pharmacy, in collaboration with HPTU, took the lead in enabling a platform for **shared learning and capacity building**, ensuring that all affiliated institutions are well-prepared for future SSR submissions.

The participants expressed their appreciation for the initiative and recommended similar capacity-building workshops at regular intervals.

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