

GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND  
DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
NAGALAND: KOHIMA

No. DHFW-5/TRG/PMTI/2023-24

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Dated, Kohima the

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<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2025.

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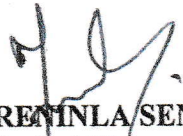
The Principal  
Para Medical Training Institute  
Nagaland, Kohima.

Sub: Regarding proposal to rename "Para Medical Training Institute, Nagaland  
Kohima to Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima."

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited, I am to forward herewith the Administrative approval of the Government vide letter no. HFW-39/B-23/B-3/SAHC-2021/446, dated the Kohima the 11<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2025 for renaming of the Para Medical Training Institute Nagaland Kohima as "Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima".

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

  
DR. MEREM INLA SENLEM  
Principal Director  
Directorate of Health & Family Welfare,  
Nagaland: Kohima

**GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND  
DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
NAGALAND: KOHIMA**

No. DHFW-5/TRG/PMTI/2023-24

Dated, Kohima the 11<sup>th</sup> Dec.2025.

**CIRCULAR.**

In pursuance to the administrative approval of the Government vide letter No. HFW-39/B-28/B-3/SAHC-2021/446 dated the Kohima the 11<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2025 and following the directive of the National Commission for Allied and Health Care Profession (NCAHP) Act 2021 under the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India regarding the discontinuation of the Term 'Paramedical', the following directives are hereby issued for immediate compliance by all Departments and Stakeholders concerned.

1. The name of the Para Medical Training Institute is officially changed to Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima
2. Henceforth, the Institute shall be officially known and referred to only as "Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima" in all official records, deeds, Writing, proceedings and transactions both Private and public.
3. The use of term 'Paramedical' is strictly prohibited in all forms of usage, verbal, written or electronic.
4. All existing reference to the Para Medical Training Institute in departmental records and further correspondence must be updated to reflect the new official name 'Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima'.

SD/-

**(DR. MERENINLA SENLEM)**

Principal Director

Directorate of Health & Family Welfare,  
Nagaland: Kohima

No. DHFW-5/TRG/PMTI/2023-24/12708-09

Dated, Kohima the 16<sup>th</sup> Dec.2025.

1. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Nagaland, Health & Family Welfare Department for kind information.
2. The Director, Directorate of Information and Public Relation, IPR Citadel, New Capital Complex, Kohima for publication in all local dailies at the earliest. Email : [dipradvert@gmail.com](mailto:dipradvert@gmail.com)
3. The principal, Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima.
4. Office Copy.

**(DR. MERENINLA SENLEM)**

Principal Director

Directorate of Health & Family Welfare,  
Nagaland: Kohima

17/11/25

GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND  
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT  
NAGALAND: KOHIMA

HFW-39/B-28/B-3/SAHC/2021/446

Kohima Dated, the 11 Nov., 2025

To,

The Principal Director,  
Health & Family Welfare Department  
Nagaland: Kohima.

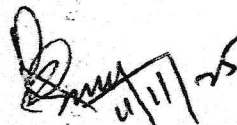
**Sub: Regarding proposal to rename "Paramedical Training Institute Nagaland Kohima" to Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare Kohima.**

Madam,

With reference to your Letter No. DHFW-5/TRG/PMTI/2023-24/3705 dated the 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 on the subject cited above, I am directed to convey the administrative approval of the Government for renaming of the "Paramedical Training Institute Nagaland Kohima" as "**Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare Kohima**".

This has the approval of the Hon'ble Minister, H&FW.

Yours faithfully,



(RENTHUNGO EZUNG)

Under Secretary to the Government of Nagaland

Directorate of Health & Family Welfare

Kohima Date : 19/11/25

Receipt No. 3534

Government of India  
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Profession

2nd Floor, Academic Block, NIHFW Campus,  
Munirka, New Delhi- 110067

Dated 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025

**CIRCULAR**

The term "**Paramedical**" has long been used to describe various healthcare-related professions that provide support services in healthcare delivery. However, with the enactment of the **National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP) Act, 2021**, the term "**Allied and Healthcare**" has been formally adopted to define, standardize, and recognize these professions under a unified framework.


2. In view of the above and for the purpose of **ensuring uniformity, standard terminology and alignment with the provisions of the NCAHP Act, 2021**, it is recommended by the Commission to implement the followings:

a) **All State Governments, Union Territories and relevant Universities / Institutions are recommended to discontinue the use of the term "Paramedical"** in all official correspondence, communications, policies, advertisements, training programmes, institutional titles, recruitment notifications, educational materials and any other Government-related documents or portals.

b) The term "**Allied and Healthcare**" as defined under Section 2 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (j) of the **NCAHP Act, 2021** shall **be used henceforth in place of "Paramedical"** in all forms of usage (verbal, written or electronic).

c) The Health Departments of the States/UTs are requested to communicate this to all concerned authorities, institutions and stakeholders under their jurisdiction and ensure necessary compliance at the earliest.

3. This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

  
(Elangbam Robert Singh)  
Secretary, NCAHP  
Ph: 011-26100352

Copy to:

1. Chairpersons of State Allied and Healthcare Councils
2. Additional Chief Secretary / Principal Secretary / Secretary (Health) of all States/ UTs

Copy to (for information):

Additional Secretary (AHS), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Nirman Bhawan,  
New Delhi.

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GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND  
HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
KOHIMA : NAGALAND.

NO.HTE/HE/NOC/1-57/2023

Kohima, dated 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2026.

**NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE**

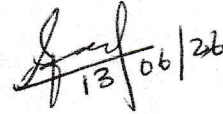
NO.HTE/HE/NOC/1-57/2023 /// The undersigned is directed to convey that this Department has **No Objection** in respect of the renaming of "Paramedical Training Institute Kohima" to "Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare Kohima".

NO.HTE/HE/NOC/1-57/2023/03  
Copy to;

Sd/- SARITA YADAV, IAS  
Secretary to the Govt. of Nagaland  
Dated Kohima the 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2026.

1. The Commissioner & Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Nagaland, Kohima.
- ✓ 2. The Principal Director, Health and Family Welfare, Nagaland, Kohima.
3. The Director, Technical Education, Nagaland, Kohima.
4. Office Copy.

Yours Sincerely

  
13/06/26

(SENTIYANGER PONGEN)

Addl. Secretary to the Government of Nagaland

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NO. NU-CDC/C-78/2018-

Dated: 02/02/2026

E-mail

**NOTIFICATION**

Subject to ratification by the Academic Council, the Vice-Chancellor, Nagaland University is pleased to approve the change of nomenclature of "Paramedical Training Institute, Nagaland Kohima" to "Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima" w.e.f. Academic Session 2026-2027.

Sd/-


Registrar

NU-CDC/C-78/2018- 5387

Dated: 02/02/2026

Copy to:-

1. The A. R, O/o Vice-Chancellor, Nagaland University, Lumami for information of the Vice-Chancellor.
2. The P.S. to Registrar, Nagaland University, Lumami for information of the Registrar.
3. The Jr. Steno to Controller of Examinations, Nagaland University, Lumami for information of the C.O.E.
4. The Director, Higher Education, Kohima, Nagaland for information.
5. The Principal, Nagaland Institute of Allied & Healthcare, Kohima for information.
6. The Deputy Registrar (Acad. & Conf), Nagaland University, Lumami with a request to place the matter in the forthcoming Academic Council meeting for ratification.
7. Office Records and Guard File-CDC.

  
02/02/26

(DR. KEVEZAI TURENG)

Director

College Development Council