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PHARMACISTS' ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN EMPOWERMENT AND RESEARCH

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

About POWER National Level Essay Contest-2

Q1. What is POWER?

Ans: POWER is a professional and scientific society that provides leadership, education, advocacy, and resources enabling women pharmacists to achieve excellence in practice and research. It is an official and registered organization managed by women executive committee and run by a team of experienced women pharmacists. The organization is working for women empowerment through a variety of programs.

Q2. What is this Essay Competition?

Ans: This is an essay writing contest being organized by POWER, giving an opportunity for the women pharmacists of various sectors to prove their writing skills. The number of words should not cross **2500 words**. The mode of contest is *powerpoint (ppt) contest*.

Q3. How to participate in this contest? What is the procedure to enroll in this competition?

Ans: It is simple! First you should be a women pharmacist or would be pharmacist (a student). There is no need of separate registration. It is **absolutely free to** participate, no registration fee. By **Nov 30th** you need to prepare the data in a ppt format (powerpoint) based on given theme and send that ppt to powerpharmacists@gmail.com along with mentioned enclosures in brochure.

Q4. Should I be a student to participate in the contest?

Ans: Any women pharmacist employed in India- teachers, drug inspectors, researchers, pharmacists, employees in industry, women pursuing their Ph.D degree in pharmacy can participate.
Any women pharmacy student in India- women studying Diploma in Pharmacy, Bachelor in Pharmacy, Master in Pharmacy and Pharma.D can participate.
There are *separate prizes* for these two categories.

Q5. How many women can form as a team to participate in single ppt preparation?

Ans: NO. *Only one participant is allowed for one ppt*. Each participant has to send one ppt.

Q6. I am not clear about photo restrictions; please give clear information in this regard.

Ans: These days plagiarism (simply cut, copy, paste) is a major issue being considered seriously by all professional bodies. We should not use other works as it is for our credit, we should compulsory give



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recognition to the main author by giving reference for every information we use for our knowledge. The same thing is applicable for photos or images too. Hence we are strict in this sense. Hence we requested participants to use their own creativity by having own sketches or own photography. The participant should not copy any image from internet or books or articles or any other existing source.

For e.g., if you want to keep an image of ginger, then just take a snap with your mobile cam or digital cam in your kitchen, that will be your own snap. Else draw the diagram, take a snap of it and use. It is said to be free from plagiarism.

For e.g., if you want to present picture of a herbal product, don't copy from internet, you just go to a medical shop and have a snap and use it. That's it.

If that product is not available in market near to you, then you can just give the URL (User related link, hyperlink from web) of that image in the ppt., but don't copy and paste that image as such! Only hyperlink is enough, we will check that.

If you commit any plagiarism, there will be negative marking.

Q7. Will you pay the IPC attending charges like TA, DA and registration fee?

Ans: NO. We will award the cash prize promised to winners and a merit certificate.

Q8. Will you give certificate to all participants or only to winners?

Ans: As we are here to encourage women, we will give participation certificates to all participants without any compromise. Just start working to prepare ppt.

Q9. If I become a winner and unable to come to IPC, then what will be the situation?

Ans: We are providing an opportunity to prove yourself and a great platform to receive the prize in Women Pharmacists Forum meet at 65th IPC. It is your choice to utilize the chance. Due to any specific reason, if you fail to come over there, then we will discuss for alternative!

Q10. How the evaluation of ppt's will be done?

Ans: Well experienced jury will evaluate all the ppt's and give scores. Based on the overall score, the winners will be announced at www.power-india.com and will also be mailed to all participants e-mails.