

Syllabus for Written Examination

(For Special Internal Competition)

Post: Pharmaceutical Laboratory Assistant

Subject: Pharmaceutical lab

Theoretical knowledge of basic Sciences (Chemistry, Microbiology, Anatomy and Physiology, and Bio- chemistry) and core Pharmaceutical Subjects (Pharmaceutics, Pharmacognosy, Pharmaceutical Analy- sis, Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmacology, Therapeutics, Community Pharmacy, and Clinical Pharmacy) which are generally included in the concerned bachelor level courses (50%)

2. Fundamental knowledge of Pharmaceutical Laboratories Practice

(50%)

- (a) Basic concept of Laboratory safety measures, Rules, Regulations, and Chemical hazards
- (b) Methods of Preparation of essential laboratory reagents and samples.
- (c) Labeling, storage, and disposal of organic chemicals, reagents, and waste materials.
- (d) Methods and significance of Procurement, Inventory management, and control of glass wares, chemicals, and equipment.
- (e) Crude drugs collection and storage, and Herbarium preparation.
- (f) Methods of handling biological samples, microorganisms, and laboratory animals.
- (g) Theory, instrumentation, and working principle of pharmaceutical laboratory instruments like Distillation plant, pH meter, Viscometer, Calorimeter, UV Spectrophotometer, HPLC, Dissolution apparatus, Disintegration apparatus, Friability apparatus, Hardness tester, Vernier caliper, Vacuum-pump rotary evaporator, Incubator, Hot air ovens, Autoclaves, Weighing balance, Sonicator, Centrifuge, Soxhlet apparatus, TLC, Column Chromatography, Analgesiometer, Rota Rod Apparatus, etc.
- (h) Process of Calibration, Validation, and Designing Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) of necessary lab instruments.
- (i) Principles of Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP).
- (j) Preparation of datasheet and lab recording.