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#### LIBRARY POLICY

The library at Sree Narayana Nursing College serves as a vital resource for students and faculty, providing access to a wealth of information and fostering an environment conducive to learning and research. This policy outlines the objectives, roles, responsibilities, and operational procedures related to the library.

#### **Objectives**

- To provide access to a comprehensive collection of resources, including books, journals, and digital materials.
- To promote information literacy among students and faculty.
- To ensure efficient management of library resources and services.
- To facilitate remote access to library resources through DELNET (Developing Library Network).

## Roles & Responsibilities of Library Committee Members

#### 1. Chairperson

- Leadership: Lead the Library Committee and coordinate its activities.
- **Policy Oversight**: Ensure that library policies are effectively implemented and reviewed regularly.
- **Reporting**: Present annual reports on library usage, resources, and improvements to the administration.

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2. Secretary Documentation: Maintain accurate records of committee meetings, decisions, and action items.

• Communication: Communicate relevant information to library staff and users.

• Follow-Up: Track the progress of initiatives and report on their status.

#### 3. Librarian

• Resource Management: Oversee the acquisition, organization, and maintenance of library resources.

• User Support: Provide assistance to students and faculty in locating and utilizing resources.

• Training: Organize training sessions on library resources and information literacy.

#### 4. Technical Services Coordinator

• Cataloging: Manage the cataloging and classification of library materials.

• **Digital Resources**: Oversee the management of digital resources and ensure remote access is available.

• **System Maintenance**: Ensure the library management system is updated and functioning properly.

#### 5. Reference Librarian

• Research Assistance: Provide reference services to assist users in finding information for research and studies.

• Information Literacy: Conduct workshops on research methodologies and effective resource utilization.

• Feedback Collection: Gather user feedback to improve library services.

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### 6. Student Representative

- Feedback Liaison: Serve as a communication link between students and the library committee.
- Advocacy: Advocate for student needs regarding library resources and services.
- **Promotion**: Promote library services and resources among the student body.

## Membership & Issue of Books

- Eligibility: Membership is open to all students, faculty, and staff of Sree Narayana Nursing College.
- Registration: Users must register at the library to obtain a library membership card.
- Borrowing Policy:
  - o Students may borrow up to 5 books at a time for a period of 14 days.
  - Faculty may borrow up to 10 books for a period of 30 days.
  - o Renewals may be granted if there are no holds on the borrowed items.
- **Fines**: Late returns will incur fines as per the library's fee structure.

#### **Remote Access to DELNET**

- Access Provision: The library provides remote access to DELNET resources for all registered members.
- Login Credentials: Users must obtain their login credentials from the librarian for access.
- **Resource Availability**: Users can access a wide range of journals, articles, and e-books through DELNET, promoting research and learning.

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