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POORNIMA UNIVERSITY GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL MECHANISM

1. Introduction

At Poornima University, we value transparency and student satisfaction. The grievance redressal mechanism is established to ensure students can report any concerns related to academic or non-academic issues. This process provides a structured platform to address and resolve student complaints in a timely and fair manner.

Types of Grievances:

Grievances may include but are not limited to:

- Academic-related grievances
- Non-academic grievances
- Grievances related to assessment and evaluation
- Complaints regarding victimization, attendance, or fees
- Issues related to ragging or harassment
- Grievances related to the conduct of examinations

2. Grievance Redressal Committees

2.1 Department Level Committee:

This committee addresses grievances related to the academic and administrative matters within a department.

- Convener: Head of Department (HoD)
- Members: Faculty members from the concerned department

2.2 School Level Committee:

This committee deals with grievances that concern the entire school and also reviews appeals from department-level decisions.

- Convener: Dean of the School
- Members: Faculty members from different departments, administrative staff

2.3 University Level Committee:

This committee handles university-wide grievances and appeals from the school level.

- Convener: Dean, Student Welfare (Dr. Rakesh Gupta)
- Members:
- Registrar (Dr. Chandni Kirplani)
- Controller of Examinations (Mr. N.K. Jain)
- Chief Warden (Hostel & Sports)
- Proctor and Associate Dean
- Women's Cell Representative
- Student Counselor

3. Procedure for Grievance Redressal

Step 1: Department-Level Submission

-Submission: The student must first submit their grievance in writing to the HoD. -Response Time: The department will review the grievance and respond within one week of receipt.

Step 2: School-Level Appeal

Submission: If the grievance is unresolved at the department level, the student may escalate the Matter to the school level within one week of receiving the department's response.
Response Time: The school committee will review and address the grievance within 10 days.

Step 3: University-Level Appeal

- **Submission:** If unsatisfied with the school-level decision, the student may appeal to the University Grievance Committee within one week.
- **Response Time:** The university-level committee will take appropriate action and respond within 15 days.

4. Ombudsperson

If the grievance remains unresolved even at the University level, the student may approach the Ombudsperson for further action.

- Ombudsperson: Dr. V.K. Gupta (Contact: 9414458026, Email: ombudsperson@poornima.edu.in)

5. Key Contacts for Grievance Redressal

Role	Name	Contact Details
Dean, Student Welfare	Dr. Rakesh Gupta	dsw@poornima.edu.in
Registrar	Dr. Chandni Kirplani	registrar@poornima.edu.in
Controller of Examination	Mr. N.K. Jain	coe@poornima.edu.in
Women Cell Representative	Dr. Bhawana Sharma	womencell@poornima.edu.in
Associate Dean, Hostel & Sports	Mr. Ashok Poonia	assoc.dean@poornima.edu.in
Student Counselor	Dr. Pragya Mishra	pragya.mishra@poornima.edu.in
Hostel Warden (Girls)	Ms. Beena Brahmbhatt	beena.brahmbhatt@poornima.edu.in

6. General Guidelines

All grievances will be addressed in a fair and transparent manner, adhering to the principles of natural justice. The committees will ensure grievances are resolved within a reasonable timeframe. The student may directly escalate their concerns if they feel they are not being addressed adequately at any level.