



IPA-DEVINDER PAL - NATIONAL ELOCUTION COMPETITION – 2018

Indian Pharmaceutical Association
Education Division

Dr. G.Nagarjuna Reddy, Convener, NEC - 2018

MAIN FEATURES AND GUIDELINES

1. Aim:

The aim of the **Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA)** is to create a platform for the students to express their views freely and also gain a lot of exposure to the wisdom of the co participants and bring out the new talent to the limelight. This Endeavour of IPA would certainly go a long way in inculcating the spirit of pharmacy profession right from their student hood.

2. Competition:

The competition is divided into four rounds and the language of speech is English.

- i. Preliminary Round----- Date and time will be fixed by the head of the institution**
- ii. State/Zonal Round ----- Venue, Date and time will be fixed by the State Coordinator**
- iii. Semi-final Round----- Venue, Date and time will be fixed by the Convener, NEC-2018**
- iv. Final Round ----- Duration and timing will be fixed by the Convener, NEC-2018**

3. Eligibility:

Competition Level	Eligibility
i. Preliminary /Institution Round	Bonafide students of Final B.Pharm /M.Pharm / Pharm.D 4 th ,5 th & 6 th year students for the academic Year 2018-19, who must be a Life / Student Member of IPA. Final winners of former NEC should not participate as NEC motto is to bring out new talent.
ii. State/zonal Round	All the Winners of Institution Round belongs to respective State/zone
iii. Semi Final Round	First & Second place Winners of all the States/zones
iv. Final Round	Top Six candidates of the semi-final round

4. Topics for the competition:

The topics for I & II rounds of NEC-2018 are given below with probable dates.

Competition Level	TOPIC	Due date
i. Preliminary /Institution Round	"Pharmacists for a Healthy India"	Before 07-10-2018
ii. State/zonal Round	"Pharmacists are your Medicines Experts"	Before 04-11-2018
iii. Semi Final Round	Will be intimated to the Winners of the State round on or before 10-11-2018.	Before 30-11-2018
iv. Final Round	Will be intimated to the Winners of the Semi Final round on or before 10-12-2018.	21 st to 23 rd December 2018

The Semi Final & Final round topic will be intimated well in advance to all the contestants on or before scheduled dates by email or by phone. If any contestant has not received the subject by 5:00 PM on above date, they need to contact the respective state coordinator / Convener, NEC-2018. Contestants are requested to ensure their email/phone be informed to the organizers and make sure the listed phone line is open during this time.



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5. The Schedule

i. Preliminary / Institution Round: to be completed before 7th October, 2018.

The respective **Head of the Institution** should announce the exact date and time at least three days prior to the competition and forward the results immediately after the competition, both hard copy by post & soft copy by email to the relevant **State/Zonal Coordinator** and **Convener NEC-2018** in Format-B.

ii. State/Zonal Round: to be completed on or before 4th November, 2018.

The respective **State / zonal Coordinators** should announce the exact date and time at least seven days prior to the competition and forward the list of **participants in Format-C and results in Format-D** immediately after the competition, both hard copy by post & soft copy by email to the **Convener NEC-2018**.

iii. Semi-Final Round: to be held on or before 30th November, 2018.

The Convener, NEC-2018 will communicate the venue, date, time and Competition time limit of the semi-final round to the state round winners on or before 15.11.2018.

iv. Final Round: During 70th IPC at New Delhi, 21st to 23rd December, 2018.

The Convener, NEC-2018 will communicate the exact date & time of the final round to the Semi-final round winners on or before 05.12.2018.

6. Prizes:

i. Prize for Institution / Preliminary round:

(a) Winner will receive certificate.

ii. Prizes for State/Zonal Round:

(a) **1st Place:** Certificate + Rs. 1000/- cash award.

(b) **2nd Place:** Certificate + Rs. 750/- cash award.

iii. Prizes for Semi-Final Round:

(a) **Best six Participants** will be selected for **final round** and get complementary registration & accommodation for 70th IPC New Delhi from 21st to 23rd December 2018.

iv. Prizes for Final Round:

(a) **1st Place** : Memento + Certificate + **Rs. 20000/-** cash award.

(b) **2nd Place** : Memento + Certificate + **Rs. 10000/-** cash award.

(c) **3rd Place** : Memento + Certificate + **Rs. 5000/-** cash award.

(d) **4 to 6th Place** : Certificate + **Rs, 2500** cash award each.



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7. Expenses:

- i. **No expenses** will be paid for the Preliminary Round.
- ii. Participants of the **State/Zonal round competition** will be paid to and fro **II class sleeper fare / bus fare** from the place of studying to where the **State/zonal round competition** is being held and in addition, he/she will be paid a sum of **Rs. 150/-** (Rupees one hundred and fifty) as incidental expenses. The contestants will not be entitled to any other expenses. (Original travel Tickets to be produced).
- iii. Participants of the **Semi-Final round competition** will be paid to and fro **II class Sleeper fare (Train) / bus fare** from the place of studying to where **Semi-Final Round** is being held and in addition, he/she will be paid a sum of **Rs. 350/-** (Rupees three hundred and fifty) as incidental expenses. The contestants will not be entitled to any other expenses. (Original Tickets to be produced).
- iv. Participants of the **Final round competition** will be paid to and fro **II class sleeper train fare / bus fare** from the City / Town of studying to where **Final Round** is to be held and complementary registration & accommodation for 70th IPC New Delhi from **21st to 23rd December 2018** along with sum of **Rs. 750/-** (Rupees seven hundred and fifty) as incidental expenses. The participants will not be entitled to any other expenses (Original Tickets of Travel have to be produced).
- v. While claiming for expenses a signed voucher duly countersigned by the Head of the Institution or State Coordinator will have to be sent to the convener, NEC - 2018 within 10 days of completion of the competition and only the permissible amount will be reimbursed.

8. Board of adjudicators:

- i. **Preliminary Round: Three adjudicators** to be appointed by the Head of the Institution.
- ii. **State/zonal Round: Three adjudicators** from different institutions to be appointed by the State/zonal Coordinator.
- iii. **Semi-Final Round: Five adjudicators** from different organizations to be appointed by the National Convener, NEC-2018.
- iv. **Final Round: Five adjudicators** from different organizations to be appointed by the National Convener, NEC-2018.
- v. The decision of the judging panel will be final and binding by all contestants.



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9. Miscellaneous guidelines:

A) To the Contestants:

1. With regard to the result the decision of the **Judges / State/Zonal coordinator / National Convener** of the competition will be final and binding.
2. All participants are expected to maintain decorum in the hall where the event will be held.
3. The organizers reserve the right to take appropriate action against any unethical, unprofessional and immoral conduct of contestants or their supporters.
4. The organizer's decision regarding interpretation of rules or any other matter related to competition will be final and binding.
5. If there is any situation not contemplated in the rules, the organizer's decision on the same shall be final and binding.
6. The Dress Code will be formal.

B) To the Organizers:

1. Decision of the **judges / State coordinator (for state level) / National Convener** will be final and binding. The names of the judges should be communicated to the National Convener-2018 by the Head of the Institution or the State/zonal Coordinator as the case may be.
2. **Principal / Head of the Institution** of the participating college should **be in contact** with the respective state coordinator to know the venue, date & timing of the state round competition.
3. The winner & runner of the State round should contact the convener, NEC-2018 through email ipanec2018@gmail.com to get the exact information regarding the Semi Final / Final round competitions.
4. Changes if any will be communicated by the Convener, NEC-2018 from time to time in advance.
5. Students should carry original documents & duly attested copies showing their **IPA membership, course and class** of study (college Identity Card, previous year passed marks memos along with latest bonafide certificate) at the each level of competition and submit one set of duly attested copies to the organizers as and when required.
6. In case of any dispute, the decision of the National Convener -NEC-2018 will be final and binding.



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10. Guidelines to the Jury:

A) Time limit:

Maximum time is 6+2=8 minutes for each contestant. The contestant's name will be called out and if he/she didn't turn-up, with one minute interval a second call will be made. The contestant is expected to be on stage and start the speech before end of second call. The time starts immediately after the second call. If the contestant doesn't turn up due to some unforeseen conditions, a third call may be given at the discretion of the adjudicators. If still not on stage within 1 minute, contestant will be disqualified.

Each contestant will be given a time limit not exceeding 8 minutes to speak on the subject with a warning bell at completion of 8 minutes and a final bell after 8 minutes. If the contestant surpasses the allocated time limit, then the negative marks will be awarded at the discretion of the adjudicators.

B) Judging Criteria:

Marks may be awarded as per the marking Parameters. The average of the marks awarded by all judges should be calculated. The average marks thus calculated shall be the final score for a particular Candidate on the basis of which who so ever has scored the highest will be declared winner and second highest scorer will be declared as runner-up of the event and so on.

C) Marking Parameters: Each judge will award marks on a 10 point scale. The grading will be based on the following, on the order of priority:

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|-----------|---|----------|----------------|
| a) | Introduction | - | 1 mark |
| | a. Greeting | | |
| | b. Opening | | |
| b) | Knowledge | - | 4 marks |
| | a. portraying of subject | | |
| | b. Depth & Memory | | |
| | c. Uniqueness and novelty | | |
| | d. Relevance in the current world & Message to the audience | | |
| | e. Interpretation: (Interesting, varied, appropriate) | | |
| c) | Presentation | - | 3 marks |
| | a. Body Language (Natural, meaningful & appropriate gesture) | | |
| | b. Voice quality & Delivery (Pleasant, clear, enunciation, Variety of pace) | | |
| | c. Eye contact (With audience) | | |
| d) | Conclusion | - | 2 marks |
| | a. Effective summarizing / punch | | |
| | b. Meeting the time limits | | |

NOTE: Candidate should not use any external objects/subjects for comparison or display to portrait his topic, fails to which such candidate will be disqualified from the competition.



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Format - A

This form is to be filled up by the Institutions participating in Preliminary Round and send immediately to the State Coordinator and Convener NEC - 2018.

To

Dr. G.Nagarjuna Reddy
Convener, NEC-2018 &
Principal,
KLR Pharmacy College
KLR Colony, Behind Contractors colony,
Paloncha - 507115,
Khammam District, Telangana state
Mob: 09676964664,
E-mail:ipanec2018@gmail.com

Dear Sir,

Sub: IPA-DEVINDER PAL - NATIONAL ELOCUTION COMPETITION (NEC) – 2018-reg.

We are happy to inform you that our Institution will be participating in NEC - 2018 being organized by the **Education Division** of **Indian Pharmaceutical Association**. We have read the rules of the competition and we accept them.

Name of the Institution							Est. Year:
Head of the Institution Name							Ph:
Address for correspondence With Email id							
Affiliating University							
Courses offered & Admission Intake	D.Pharm	B. Pharm	Pharm.D	Pharm.D (PB)	M. Pharm	Ph.D.	
Venue of the Competition							
Probable date of Competition							

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

Date:

Signature and Seal
(HEAD OF THE INSTITUTION)



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Format – B

To be filled up by the Institution participating in Preliminary Round competition and send the hard copy by post and soft copy by email on the same day, at the end of the competition, to the State Coordinator & Convener, NEC-2018.

Name of the Institution					Date of competition			
Number of Participants	Final B.Pharm		M.Pharm		Pharm.D		Total	

Details of the Jury:

S.No.	Name	Institution	Designation
1			
2			
3			

Details of the Winner:

Name:	Course & Year of Studying:		
Phone:	Email id:		
College Address:			
IPA Membership No. & Associated branch Name		Copy enclosed	YES / NO

Date:

signature & Seal
(Head of the Institution)

Note: This form is valid and considered only with the head of the Institution's Seal & signature along with copy of IPA membership details of the winner.



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Format – C

This form is to be filled up by the state coordinator and send the scanned copy by e-mail to the Convener NEC-2018 on the day of state round competition.

Detailed List of Participants for State Round Competition of NEC-2018

Venue: _____, Date: __ / __ / 2018

State Coordinator: _____

S. No.	Name of the Participant	Name & Address of the Institution	Course & Year of study	IPA Membership No. & Branch	Phone	Email	Signature

Date:

Place:

Signature of the State Coordinator

Address for Correspondence:

Dr. G.Nagarjuna Reddy

Convener, NEC-2018 & Principal,

KLR Pharmacy College,

KLR Colony, Paloncha - 507115,

Khammam District, Telangana state,

Mob: 09676964664,

E-mail: ipanec2018@gmail.com

Note: The coordinator should verify the IPA membership details of the each participant and forward the copy of their membership details along with Form-C.



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Format-D

This format is to be filled up by the state coordinator and send the hard copy by post and soft copy by E-mail to the Convener NEC-2018 immediately after the state round competition is completed.

State / zone	Name & address of the Coordinator						Date of competition	
Number of Participants	Final B.Pharm		M.Pharm		Pharm.D		Total	

Details of the Jury:

S.No.	Name	Institution	Designation
1			
2			
3			

Winners Details:

Details	winner	Runner
Name (Mr./Ms.)		
Course & Year of study		
Address for communication		
Phone		
IPA Membership No.		
IPA Branch		
Email id:		

Date:

Place:

Signature of the State Coordinator



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Note: This form is valid and considered only with IPA membership details of the Winners.