

**S.A. Raja Pharmacy College
Vadakangulam, Tirunelveli- 627 116**

Institutional Review Board (IRB)

Institutional Review Board (IRB) of S.A. Raja Pharmacy College, Tirunelveli was established to streamline and support the research effort of faculties and students.

Vision

To develop institute as a Centre for Excellence in Pharmaceutical Research and Drug Development.

Mission

- To suggest measures for improving existing infrastructural facilities both for academic and sponsored research and enhancing research ambience.
- To provide policy guidelines and direction for the growth and development of research activities.
- To draw the research attention towards priority of national/regional/local interest.
- To establishing Industry-Institute cell and to tap funds for research.
- To motivate young talented minds in research and to inculcate research culture among students.

Objectives

- Expand research activities in new avenues and emerging segments.
- To invoke a dynamic research program and to promote active participation of all faculty in research.
- To network with experts in other Institutions and Industry to foster collaborations.

Constitution of S.A. Raja Pharmacy College Institutional Review Board (IRB)

Dr V. Shankarananth- Principal- Chairperson

Dr K. Venkateshwaran- Vice Principal (Academics)-Research Coordinator

IRB Members

Dr A. Helen Sonia- Vice Principal (Admin), HOD (Pharmaceutics) & Professor

Dr V. Jenila Jose Jancy- Professor & HOD (Pharmacology)

Mr S. Manikandan- Professor & HOD (Pharmacy Practice)

Dr N. Ramasamy- Professor & HOD (Pharmacognosy)

External member from other institute

Responsibilities

- Encourage, promote and coordinate research in thrust areas of national importance.
- To look after research metrics of S.A. Raja Pharmacy College, Tirunelveli.
- Develop a comprehensive list of potential funding agencies and the requirements for submission.
- Manage faculty-wise research projects and keep updates for submission to the funding agencies (DST/DBT/ICMR/DHR/UGC/TNSCST etc).
- Encourage all faculty members to submit at least one proposal in a year for funding.
- Coordination in publishing research articles/book chapters/magazines in reputed journals/books.
- Coordinate research activities and enhance Industry-Institution collaborative research for further promoting Industry link and help improve student placement.
- Upgradation of laboratory facilities.
- Conduct of workshop related to scientific writing and communication skills for young faculties.
- To encourage Young Faculties to register PhD.
- To periodically review and assist in the progress of the research work of the B Pharm/M Pharm/Pharm D students.