#### INFORMATION TO STUDENTS OF AILMS BHUBANESWAR

Bhubaneswar, is the capital of the Indian state of Orissa, officially spelled Odisha.

#### Weather

Geographically, Bhubaneswar is situated in the eastern coastal plains of Orissa and south-west of the Mahanadi River. The city is subdivided into townships and housings. The average temperatures range between a minimum of around 12 °C (54 °F) in the winter to a maximum of 45 °C (113 °F) in summer. Sudden afternoon thunderstorms are common in April and May. The south-west monsoons appear in June. The average annual rainfall is 154 cm, most of which is recorded between June and October.

## **Transport**

The Bhubaneswar Bus Station is situated at Barmunda, 8 km from the city centre Bhubaneswar Railway Station (BBS) is one of the main stations in India. It is located in the city center and is connected to major cities of the country such as New Delhi, Mumbai, Pune, Kolkata, Chennai, Bangalore, Kochi, Jamshedpur,Raipur, Ranchi, Guwahati, Siliguri, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Lucknow, Thiruvananthapuram, Jodhpur, Bokaro etc., by daily express and passenger trains. It has five railway stations within its city limits, namely (from north to south) Patia Halt, Mancheswar, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar station (near Master Canteen) and Lingaraj Temple Road. Biju Patnaik Airport also known as Bhubaneswar Airport is the only major domestic airport in Orissa. It is situated 3 km south of the city. There are flights to destinations across India to New Delhi, Hyderabad, Kolkata, Mumbai, Bangalore, Chennai, Vishakhapatnam, Coimbatore, and Port Blair.

## Students are advised to observe following precautions to avoid any health issues.

- 1. Protect yourself from mosquito bites by using mosquito nets in hostel rooms, applying mosquito repellants during peak biting hours of mosquitoes and avoiding any artificial collection of water in the vicinity of residential complexes.
- 2. Avoid drinking un-boiled water from food stalls.
- 3. Try to consume hot and properly cooked food items to avoid diarrhoea. Contact Faculty Members for adequate treatment.

# **General Instructions**

- 4. Avoid going outside AIIMS Campus at Odd Hours for safety and security reasons.
- 5. For any queries or problems contact Mentors or Warden or Student Co-ordinator. Information will be provided on 1st day of Admission to AIIMS BBSR.
- 6. We recommend students to bring the following items:
  - a. Pillow.
  - b. Bed Sheet.
  - c. Mosquito net and Repellents (All out/ Good Knight etc)
  - d. Bucket, Mug and Umbrella.
  - e. Lock and Keys (3keys)
- 7. Documents to bring with them for verification
  - a. 10th Certificate (date of birth) and mark sheet
  - b. 12th certificate and mark sheet
  - c. admit card of AIIMS Examination
  - d. Caste/OBC Certificate
  - e. Photographs
  - f. PAN Card (For opening of Bank Account in Bank of India)
- 8. Advised to carry at least Rs 10,000/- for hostel /Mess charges and students day to day expenses. Final decision will be conveyed.

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