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# Andhra Pradesh Nurses, Midwives, Auxiliary Nurse-Midwives and Health Visitors Council

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## ETHICAL COMMITTEE OF THE A.P. NURSES AND MIDWIVES COUNCIL

A.P. Nurses and Midwives Council has constituted an Ethical Committee for regulating the professional standards of Registered Nurses, Midwives, Multipurpose Health Workers (Female) and Nursing Educational Institutions.

The Committee composed of Government officials and Nurse Educators, Administrators, Registered Medical Practitioner and Legal Advisor.

The committee is responsible for attending to issues related to Unethical practices of Nursing Personnel who are registered with APNMC. Registered candidates indulged in any kind of activities or practices against rules and guidelines, violating the Nursing Council norms, shall be called for explanation by the Council. Such issues will be referred to Ethical Committee for necessary enquiry and required action. The committee is expected to give recommendations/proposals upon enquiry remarks to the Council for approval

13) Any Person Who-----

a) dishonestly makes use of any certificate or registration issued under the provisions of this Act to him or to any other person.

b) procures or attempts to procure registration under the provisions of this Act by making or producing or causing to be made or produced any false or fraudulent declaration, certificate or representation whether in writing or otherwise or

c) willfully makes or causes to be made any false representation in any matter relating to the register or the certificates issued under the provisions of exceeding two hundred and fifty rupees.

14) (1) and (2): Any person, who, not being a registered nurse, midwife, auxiliary nurse midwife and Health Visitor takes or uses the name of titles of registered nurse or uses any name, title, description, uniform badge or signboard, with the intention that it may be believed or with the knowledge that it is likely to be believed that such person is a registered nurse, shall be punishable with fine not exceeding once hundred rupees

40. The Council may refuse to register or remove from the register permanently or for a specified time the name of the Nurse, Midwife, Auxiliary Nurse-Midwife or Health Visitor for-

(a) any offence including a breach of any by law which provides that such breach shall be deemed to be an offence for the purpose of this rule.

(b) professional incompetence, negligence or contravention of methods ordinarily inculcated in the course of training of Nurses, Midwives, Auxiliary Nurse-Midwives and Health Visitors.

(c) defect on character which in the opinion of the Council would render the entry or retention of her name on the register undesirable.

50. If the Council finds the charges against the respondent to be proved either Wholly or in part, it may refuse to include her name in the register or remove her name from the register permanently or such period as it thinks fit.

  
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