

PlatPharm Skilling & Careers LLP, Mumbai

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### "ALPHA + CAREER EXPLORER PROGRAM"

A PlatPharm Employability Focussed Program

For

**Third Year B.Pharm Students** 

H. K. College of Pharmacy Mumbai

May 2025





May 03, 2025

To Mr. Waseen Khan, General Secretary, Maharashtra Educational Society Mumbai.

Dear Sir,

We are pleased to submit a report on the 'Alpha + Career Explorer Program' recently conducted for the 3rd year B.Pharm students at H.K. College of Pharmacy, Mumbai.

Attached herewith is a detailed report on the program, highlighting the key takeaways, student feedback, and overall impact of the initiative.

Thank you for providing us with this opportunity to engage with your students.

We look forward to continuing our collaboration with the institute and contributing to the development of industry-ready Pharma professionals.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Third year of the B.Pharm course, is the time when students start getting oriented towards career options, either higher education or jobs. Knowledge & awareness is the key for making proper choices/decisions.

To make this process easy, PlatPharm has designed a flagship program, a combination of Alpha Program and Career Explorer Program.

### i) PLATPHARM "ALPHA PROGRAM SERIES"

It orients the students towards importance of skilling, experiential learning, and various opportunities in the healthcare and Pharmaceutical industry.

### ii) CAREER EXPLORER MODULE

Students get to identify the best-fit career roles for themselves using the scientific and internationally acclaimed psychometric assessment, mapping their personality traits to the various job-roles. This is followed by a detailed individual counselling to help students identify the "best-fit" career roles and strengthen their resumes through focussed internships, skilling, etc. in their areas of interest.

#### METHODOLOGY:

- A Foundational series of workshops for career planning having interactive sessions, Expert talks, Panel discussions with industry experts, videos, etc.
- Experiential learning through case studies, group activities, role plays
- Individual psychometric assessment, individual reports & one on one counselling was the key -methodology for the program delivery.

Program Duration: August 2024 to April 2025

Team PlatPharm,

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# BROAD AGENDA - WORKSHOP 1 WHY EMPLOYABILITY SHOULD BECOME THE LASER FOCUS October 19, 2024

Time	Topic	Details	Learning Outcome
9.45-10.00am	Inauguration & Welcome Address		
10.00-10.15 am	Objective and outline of the program - 'Alpha Program & Career Explorer Program	The purpose of the program, its need, importance and program outline to be discussed with the students	Students get to know all about the program and the way it would proceed throughout the academic year.
10.15 -10.30 am	"Introspect" – 15min participative activity	Students will answer a few questions in Google form to trigger career related queries in their mind	Students will get oriented to their career related questions, the answers of which they would get during each session.
10.30 -11.00 am	Healthcare as a Profession and Its standing in the Global Scenario	Criticality of the profession wrt. job responsibility and its direct/ indirect impact on human life & moral code of conduct	Students understand the core and moral responsibility of a Pharmacist Profession
11.00-11.15am	1:	Tea Break	
11.15 – 11.45 pm	A Pharma Organization in India – Closer Look from Career Perspective	Overview of the industry composition, evolution over the years and how the role of pharmacist has changed today (	Students will learn about the different types of enterprises and how they should target each for employability in today's dynamic scenario
-	Pharma & Healthcare Industry: Career Opportunities and Challenges in the 21st century	A brief idea about the industry  – Trends, Outlook, Opportunities, Challenges, Competition	Learnings regarding the industry and what are the key takeaways for students as they plan their career forward
11.45 – 1.00 pm	Employability in Today's Context	Meaning of employability, discussion, scenario of pharma students and why should one focus on employability early in the program	Students to be sensitized about "employability" and How they could focus on this important factor in the long term
	Identifying one's "best-fit" career roles	Tells about how one can find out the best-fitting role and why it is necessary	Students can begin to introspect and start thinking in these lines
1.00 – 1.45 pm	NTPHARM	Lunch Break	



1.45 - 2.45 pm	Communication – A non-negotiable pre-requisite: Student Participative Activity	Emphasize the importance & how to develop the same; a group exercise to be conducted for demonstration	Practical demonstration regarding the relevance & importance of communication in career
2.45 -3.00pm		Tea Break	100
3.00 - 4.15 pm	Masterclass on Desired Candidate Profile by Industry Expert	Panel discussion with Ms. Chitra Shetty – General Manager - HR, Alembic Pharmaceuticals Limited	Students learn about the additional skills necessary to improve their employability
4.15 – 4.30 pm	Quick Evaluation & Feedback Round, In nut Shell	Students will participate in an online evaluation & feedback on the day's sessions	Students' learnings can be determined
4.30 – 4.45 pm	Group Photo Session Vote of thanks	Time to get doubts clarified, ask questions and summarizing of key points	Students get a quick revision of the entire day's learning and discussion



Panel Discussion with -

Ms. Chitra Shetty – General Manager - HR, Alembic Pharmaceuticals Limited





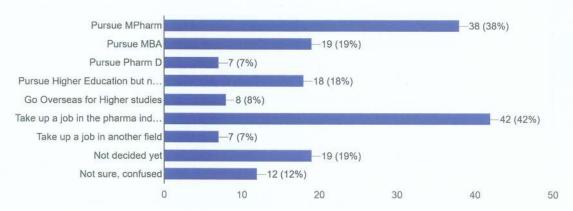




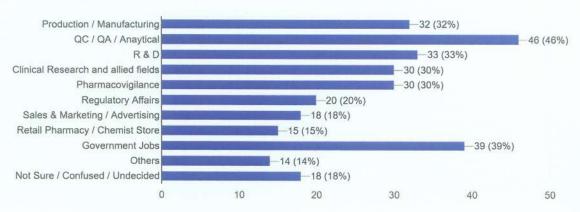


### Students' Feedback for Workshop 1

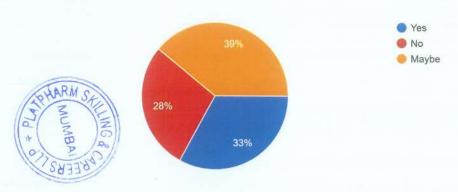
What would you like to do immediately after B.Pharm? (Tick all applicable) 100 responses



My area of interest in the industry. Please mark all that you maybe interested in. 100 responses



Are you aware of skills needed for the areas of interests mentioned by you? 100 responses





### **WORKSHOP 2**

# PERSONALITY TRAITS, SKILLS & ROLES – THE CORRELATION

### **BROAD AGENDA - DAY 1**

### December 19, 2024

Time	Topic	Details	<b>Learning Outcome</b>
09.45am – 10.00 am	Inauguration &	Welcome Address	
	Quick Awareness / Perception Assessment With respect to Traits & Skillsets		
10.00 am– 11.00 am	Personality Traits - What they are & their relevance  An Audio - Visual Presentation & Discussion	What are personality traits, how do they determine an individual's industry readiness & fitness	Students understand what are traits, learn to identify their individual traits and how they can align their goals wrt their traits
11.15am – 1.00 pm	An Interactive & Group Participative Session to demonstrate the elements of Personality & Behavioural Characteristics	A Group session to help students get practical perspective on personality & behavioural traits and how they are relevant in developing the skillsets needed for a particular job function & mapping of skills.	Students get to understand the importance of identifying traits and developing job related skillsets

### **BROAD AGENDA - DAY 2**

### December 20, 2024

Time	Topic	Details	Learning Outcome
10.00 am- 11.00 am	An Audio – Visual Discussion & Presentation to explain individual DISC characteristics; Their relevance at the work place in the Pharma Industry	DISC characteristics – each one explained in depth through an audiovideo session and moderation for bringing out their importance with respect to the pharma industry	Learning to identify each characteristic and how they are applicable in a job role
11.00am – 12.30pm	Group Participative Session to help understand and identify the Key Personality Traits in an individual & in a group	Group activity to make the students learn about key qualities needed in a corporate set-up and explain on how to work on developing these essential qualities.	Practical demonstration to bring out personal characteristics
12.30pm – 1.00pm	Questions & Answers On - Personality  Assessments, Feedback, Gro		Students will get their doubts answered.





A group Activity

Role Play by Students to understand personality characteristics & its relevance in the job-roles

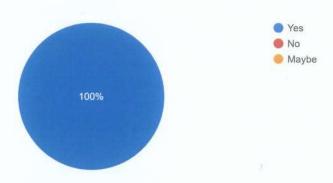




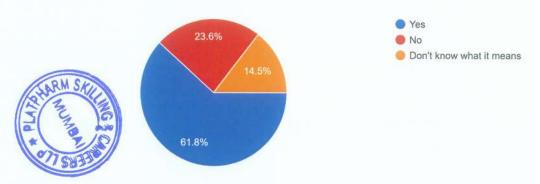


### Students' Feedback for Workshop 2

Are you keen to know your DISC type? 7 responses



Have you ever thought about your career in terms of matching it with your personality? 55 responses





## WORKSHOP - 3

# Importance Of Higher Education & Communication

# February 18, 2025

Time	Topic	Details	Learning Outcome
9.45 – 10.00 am	Inauguration	& Welcome Address	
10.00 – 10.30 am	Role and Relevance of Higher Studies & Additional Degrees	Role of higher education and the impact on career growth and trajectory at various points in time	Students get to understand the reality vs myths
10.30 – 11.00am	Importance of English as a Universal Language of Communication	Creating awareness about the importance of communication in English and the ways in which students can develop their communication skills in English; discussion of some case scenarios	Students to be made aware and directed towards building a positive attitude for practicing the language
11.00am - 1.00pm	Conversational Communication - Participative Group Activity	Conversational communication in various settings - demonstration through group activity conducted by Corporate Trainer, <b>Bhuvaneshwari Venkatesh</b>	Students feel motivated and confident as they know how they can work on their conversational English in formal & informal settings
1.00 – 1.45pm	L	unch Break	*
1.45 - 2.30pm	Diverse Paths in Career - Making the Choice & Planning	Discussion of various alternatives available in higher education; how & when to make the choice	Create awareness about the paths to simplify the dilemma commonly faced by students
2.30 – 3.00pm	Experiential Learning -What is it? How can one plan for it?	Explanation about experience-based learning through internships. And trainings.	Students learn about importance of internships and planning of the same.
3.00 – 3.30pm	Brief about the 'Career Explorer' program	Discussion on how the program will be conducted and its importance.	Students learn to know how the Career Explorer program will help them in career mapping.
3.30 – 4.15pm	'Nutshell', and Q & A	Learning of all the three workshops will be revised.	Students get their queries solved in a direct interact.
4.15- 4.30pm	Group Pho	to, Vote of thanks	





Interactive Session by the mentor,
Bhuvaneshwari Venkatesh

# A group activity - Role Play

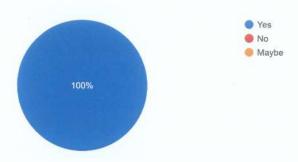






### Students' Feedback for Workshop 3

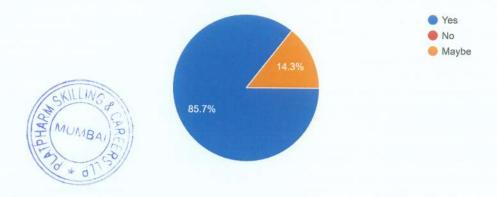
Do you think this workshop was useful/beneficial to you? 7 responses



### Can you give reasons for your above answer?

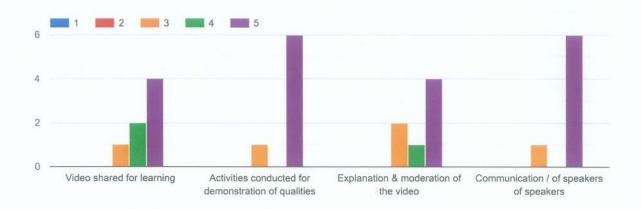
- ✓ Helped in building confidence and fluency.
- ✓ The speaker thought us about how to build a confidence and how to present yourself.
- ✓ The instructor for conversational English help a lot with her tips and activities.
- ✓ Usually such brainstorming sessions don't happen in my college...such sessions help in focusing us students on something besides studies so yeah it was great thing.
- ✓ The speaker was absolute with her words.
- ✓ It will help to build care.er

Did you think the session on English Communication was important and relevant to you? 7 responses

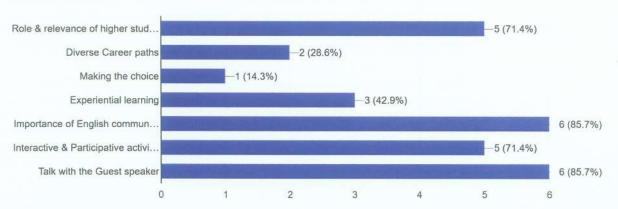




Can you rate the effectiveness of the workshop for the following parameters on a scale of 1-5?



Which of the following sessions did you find beneficial? (Please tick all that you found useful  $7\,\mathrm{responses}$ 



### Students' Speak -

- √ Good
- √ Very good
- ✓ Good
- √ Very helpful
- ✓ It was great





# **PSYCHOMETRY BASED CAREER EXPLORER PROGRAM**

Stages of Program	METHODOLOGY		
Stage 1	<ul> <li>As the first step, Talent Assessment was conducted for the studens</li> <li>Psychometric Assessment Link was provided to students upon registration</li> <li>The completed the assessment in the college using the individual assessment link in the college computer lab which was personally monitored by the PlatPharm Team.</li> </ul>		
Stage 2	<ul> <li>Career Mapping Report - A detailed report was compiled for each student.</li> <li>The report included fitment levels of the individual personality against each job-role. Total 18+ Pharma - Healthcare roles covered.</li> </ul>		
Stage 3	<ul> <li>Talent Assessment analysis and report was discussed with individual student in a One-on-one interactive Career Mapping Counselling session with the Counsellor Team.</li> <li>During counseling students' doubts about higher education, career preferences, study abroad, etc. were also discussed in addition to the report giving them a complete road-map for future.</li> </ul>		



# Counselling by the PlatPharm mentors







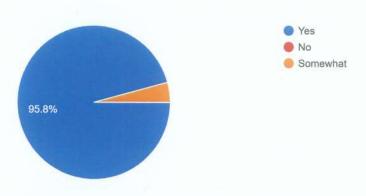






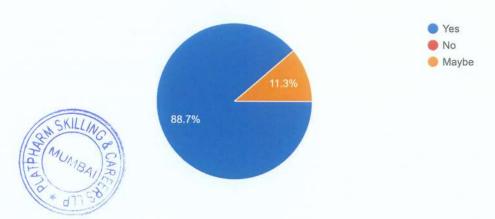
## Students' Feedback

1) Did you understand the Psychometric Assessment Report shown to you? 71 responses



2 a) Do you think the Psychometric Assessment clearly brought out your behavioral characteristics (strengths & limitations)?

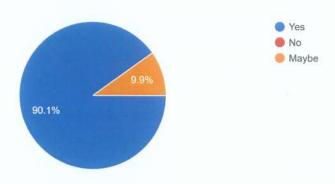
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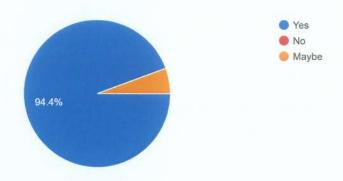


3) Do you think the Psychometric Assessment helps you in planning your career based on your strengths and also giving you the direction for developmental inputs?

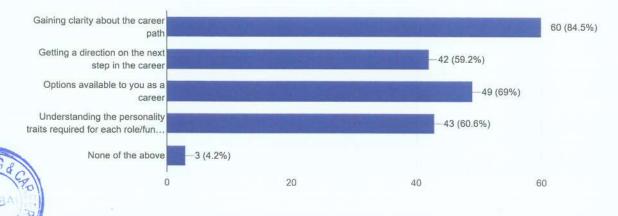
71 responses



4) Was the Counselling session useful/beneficial to you? 71 responses

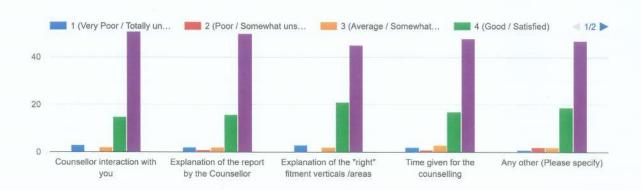


5) Can you please tick all points in which you think the counselling session helped you? 71 responses

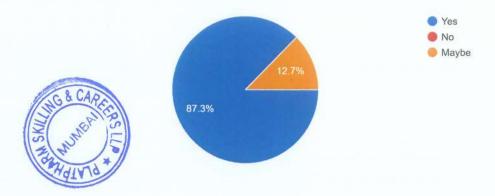




6) How will you rate the counselling session on the following parameters? Instruction: Rate from 1 to 5 on the scale given below; where 1 is lowest and 5 is highest.



8) Would you recommend PlatPharm Psychometric Assessment and Counselling to others? 71 responses





### Students' Testimonials

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# Ancit Yadav (TYBP)-B-104

I loved the concouncilling program and It help me alot for my life. It helps me to finding the proper path and how can improve my weathers and how can overcomes from my wimitation. I really wanted to thank you ma'cum for such kind of help. I promise that i will keep remembe an of an instruction:

Nasneen eyouri
T.Y. A. B. pharm Roll no. 12
HKCp.

The session was very helpful for me. I was very confused about my quiture job, now 9 got a clear view which field is suitable for me according to my personality.

Thank you.



Ansari Mutana
2011 no s-1

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Saulta Chowhan. # 4 I am very glad to say that this session is best, Because such session has never I attended ever, In this session I used to understand or analyze my (DISC) where to act Conducted my two mount, which Both are Comforting, no hesitation while shaving our about Even in this session, also moran suggested that how of I can in my job, In this leaven that the qualities I have to meduce and invuence. In intiation I was not aware of this susion but after awarenes Z suggest my friends and other, that showed also Joined this session for their betterment. Thanking to both malam

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Sneha Tiwari (TY-B-91) I am happy for having such a wonderful session that has truly enlighten. me for my future prospectus. I am happy to get a breif analysis (strengths, weakness and DISC) of my own personality which was unknown to me. Ahubha ma'am has truly the checked landysed my personality and given a brief idea for my job role (tey fits). This session has made me more enthusiastic for my future thankyou maard

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The session was
really very nice and
made me realize my
fotential.

I now sealise what
I want to pussue
as my cares.
Really insightful;
counseling session.
Thankyou.



Thank you.



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It was an engaging interaction for the PlatPharm Team with the **Third Year B.Pharm** students **of H. K. College of Pharmacy** during the one – on – one counselling sessions held between, March – April, 2025. We spent about 45 – 60 mins with each student for this session wherein we began with a free-flowing discussion to understand the student personality & aspirations and then discussed the Career Guidance Report and the PPA (Personality Profile Analysis) Graphs.

Sharing a glimpse of the real-time videos of the sessions and the feedback of students in the drive folder below for reference:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1q508NnvhPaVdLEEyaTtztTjH3w5ey5D3?usp=sharing

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