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The Enabling Unit shall function as the single point of contact for students with benchmark disabilities and shall, inter alia:

- Facilitate access to reasonable accommodation, academic and clinical support measures, and barrier-free access within the institution;
- Receive and address requests relating to disability-specific accommodations during the course of study, including clinical training and internship;
- Disseminate information regarding the availability, role, and contact details of the Enabling Unit to all students at the time of admission and through the institution's website and notice boards;

  
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- D. Coordinate with the designated Disability Assessment Board, faculty, hospital administration, and other competent authorities to ensure timely implementation of reasonable accommodation in accordance with the RPwD Act, 2016 and the guidelines issued by the National Medical Commission; and
- E. Maintain records of requests received and accommodations provided, while ensuring confidentiality and non-discrimination.
- F. Shall ensure that the Enabling Unit is functional, adequately publicized, and readily accessible to students with benchmark disabilities so as to promote an inclusive educational environment consistent with the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 and the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

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