To,
All State/UTs Pharmacy Councils

Sub: 1. Approval of online Refresher courses
2. Necessity of the physical fitness

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, it is informed that the subject cited issues were considered by 112 Central Council of the PCI in its meeting held in June, 2021. The decisions are as under:

a) Regarding approval of online Refresher courses

- In the light of Covid-19 pandemic, it was decided to approve online Refresher courses for renewal of registration under regulation 4.2 of the Pharmacy Practice Regulations, 2015 (PPR-2015).

b) Regarding necessity of the physical fitness

- It was decided to reiterate regulation 8.1 (b) of the PPR-2015 mandating that Registered pharmacist having any incapacity detrimental to the patient or which can affect his performance vis-a-vis the patient shall not be permitted to practice his profession.

This is for information and necessary action at your end.

Yours faithfully,

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Registrar-cum-Secretary