## 4.2.1. Library is automated using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)

Chalapathi Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (CLPT) has a library with a rich collection of text books, reference books, journals, magazines, CD-ROM's, research reports and online databases and is spread over in 344.45 Sq.M. area. It is aimed to provide to its students and staff a chance to explore world of knowledge in a comfortable environment. Amenities of the library are reprography, internet, book bank, new arrivals section, reference section and digital library. Apart from books relevant to the curriculum, a rich collection of books, news letters, magazines, CD's related to general study, research, personality development are also provided for the enrichment of the students. Preparative materials for the competitive exams like GPAT, GRE, TOEFL and IELTS, PGECET provided in the library to help the students to prepare for higher studies. The Institute always strives to provide the latest and best collection of books and journals. Library is moitored through library committee.

Library has the facilities for issue return of books and maintaining record of books such as NewGenLib software. Digital Library is also available with facilities such as subscription for e-journals (Science Direct, DELNET, Inventi, J-Gate, API Database and e-Shod Sindhu) and e-books. The details of library facilities is as follows

## **Library Strength:**

Number of Volumes : 10128 Number of Titles : 2824 Number of CD's : 242 Number of Journals : 40 Number of e-Journals : 6972 Number of Thesis reports : 1254

## **Library Working Hours**

8.30A.M. to 7.30 P.M. Working Days

9.30A.M. to 01.00 P.M. Sunday

9.30A.M. to 4.30 P.M. During Vacations

Reprography/scanning and printout facility, book bank facility, reference service, lending service, digital library, inter library loan service, overnight lending service, new arrivals, departmental library, library tour, book exhibition and wi-fi is available in library. All the information regarding library is communicated to the users by the way of library notices and notifications on the notice board. Institute has provided internet access for students and staff in the library. Internet can be accessed through Wi-Fi network or broad band connection. Unlimited download facility is available for staff and students in the library.

The faculty member (library in-charge) and library staff extend orientation to students of B.Pharm. / M. Pharm. / Pharm. D. The orientation includes rules and regulations of the library, procedure for issue and return of books, available e-resources in the library, membership of National Digital Library (NDL) and access to the same. Library staff also assists the newly appointed staff / admitted students, as and when required.

Chalapathi Institute Pharmaceutical Sciences (CLPT) to improve library utilization library services by faculty/ students, the institute introduced library utilization award to faculty/one student of each programme. Library of CLPT secured best library award by Acharya Nagarjuna University in the years 2016 and 2017. Library also encourages staff/students to

author books with ISBN and book chapters (faculty and students published 08 books and 06 book chapters.)

Name of the ILMS software
Nature of automation (fully or partially)
Version
Year of automation
NewGenLib
Fully
V3.1.4
2010