

YOUR PHARMACIST ID IS GOING DIGITAL

HPR Integration with DIGI-PHARMed: What Every Pharmacist Should Know



A new step towards a digitally verified professional identity for pharmacists

The Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), in collaboration with the National Health Authority (NHA), has integrated the Health Professional Registry (HPR) with the PRTS/DIGI-PHARMed Portal.

The HPR integration went live in August 2026. For pharmacists, this means that your professional information is moving towards a standardised, digitally verifiable profile within India's digital healthcare ecosystem.

What is HPR?

HPR – Health Professional Registry is a national digital registry of healthcare professionals.

For pharmacists, the integration with DIGI-PHARMed is intended to connect verified pharmacist registration information with the wider **Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM)** ecosystem.

Think of it as:

Pharmacist Registration → Digital Verification → HPR Profile → Digital Professional Identity

The important thing to remember is that HPR does not replace your State Pharmacy Council registration. Pharmacist registration, renewal and transfer continue to be handled by the respective State Pharmacy Councils.

Already a Registered Pharmacist?

Here's what you need to do

If you already have a valid **BH-P Number/username on DIGI-PHARMed**, check your HPR profile and complete the required validation.

STEP 1 - LOGIN: Log in to the official **PRTS/DIGI-PHARMed Portal** using your existing credentials.

STEP 2 - COMPLETE e-KYC: Complete the required e-KYC/authentication process.

STEP 3 - CHECK YOUR DETAILS

Carefully review your:

- Personal details
- Professional details
- Educational qualifications
- State Pharmacy Council registration details

STEP 4 - COMPLETE PENDING INFORMATION: Fill in any mandatory fields or information required for your HPR profile.

STEP 5 - SUBMIT & VALIDATE: Ensure that all information submitted is **accurate, complete and up to date**, and complete the HPR profile generation/validation process.

STEP 6 - STATE COUNCIL VERIFICATION

Your profile is then subject to scrutiny by the concerned **State Pharmacy Council**.

After approval → HPR profile/card generation.

What if I am a NEW pharmacist?

For new users/profiles being registered through the **PRTS/DIGI-PHARMed or applicable NHA workflow**, HPR profile generation has been incorporated into the registration process from the HPR go-live date.

In simple terms:

New Registration



HPR Profile



State Pharmacy Council Verification



HPR Profile/Card

So, new applicants should not think of HPR as an entirely separate registration unrelated to pharmacist registration.

WHY DOES THIS MATTER?

A digitally verified professional profile can help create a more **standardised and connected identity for pharmacists** across India's digital healthcare ecosystem.

For pharmacists, this is part of a larger shift:

Paper-based records → Digital records → Verified professional identity → Connected healthcare ecosystem

It also makes it increasingly important for pharmacists to ensure that their **registration, qualification and personal information are accurate and updated.**

DON'T CONFUSE THESE!

State Pharmacy Council Registration : Your statutory registration as a pharmacist.

HPR: Your digitally verifiable professional profile in the national healthcare ecosystem.

ABHA: A digital health identity associated with an individual.

They serve different purposes.

PCI specifically states that pharmacist registration/renewal/transfer is handled by the **State Pharmacy Councils, not PCI directly.**

PHARMACIST CHECKLIST

Before you finish your HPR process, ask yourself:

- ☐ Do I have access to my DIGI-PHARMed account?
- ☐ Is my name correctly recorded?
- ☐ Is my State Pharmacy Council registration number correct?
- ☐ Are my educational qualifications correct?
- ☐ Are my personal/professional details updated?
- ☐ Have I completed the required e-KYC?
- ☐ Have I completed all mandatory HPR fields?
- ☐ Have I submitted the profile for verification?

Don't just create your profile - check the details.

A digital profile is only as reliable as the information entered into it.

Facing a Technical Problem?

For HPR-related technical grievances, State Pharmacy Council guidance currently directs pharmacists to the **DIGI-PHARMed grievance/login-issue route**, selecting:

Department → IT

Issue Type → HPR/Pharmacists Registration or Profile Issues

Healthcare is becoming increasingly digital - and the pharmacist's professional identity is becoming part of that ecosystem too.

The HPR–DIGI-PHARMed integration is not just another online form. It is a step towards **standardised digital verification and visibility of pharmacists as healthcare professionals.**

Stay registered. Stay verified. Stay digitally ready.

 **For official information**

Pharmacy Council of India: [PCI Official Website](#)

DIGI-PHARMed Portal: [DIGI-PHARMed Portal](#)