

PRIME MINISTER'S ELECTRIC WHEELCHAIR SCHEME - PHASE II

HEC has launched its second phase of Prime Minister's Electric Wheelchairs for Public Sector University. This scheme is aligned with the United Nation's Standard Development Goals (SDGs) projecting to eliminate gender disparities in education and ensure equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for the **vulnerable persons with disabilities**.

Description:

Ambulatory disabilities are those that have an impact on one's ambulation. This includes people who limp, who experience pain when walking, who cannot walk unaided, who use wheelchairs-canes-walkers and whose walk is impaired because of a physical difference.

Ambulatory disability means a disability because of which a person:

1. Has a physical and permanent disability to such a degree that the person is unable to move from place to place without the aid of a wheelchair;
2. Is not able to cross curbs because of paralysis or loss of function of the person's legs;
3. Is missing one or both legs; or
4. Has a permanently impaired or unsteady gait that makes it impossible or impractical to walk as a means of transportation.

Eligible students are requested to apply for subject scheme via online portal at portal.hec.gov.pk/wheelchair

Last date to apply for subject scheme is **30th April, 2020**

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