

## **Bow Valley College initiates healthcare programme with Chitkara University**

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Bow Valley College in Canada, is a publicly funded College that has announced a pathway programme with Chandigarh based Chitkara University, in the faculty of healthcare for students.

Chitkara students who have graduated from any stream of healthcare programmes can now transfer to the Health & Human Services Management (HHSM) one-year post-diploma certificate at Bow Valley College through Chitkara University.

Eligible candidates will be offered a letter of acceptance from Bow Valley College in Canada. The students will apply for their study permit and go through four weeks of orientation programmeing at Chitkara University, before coming to Canada.

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The first cohort under the HHSM post-diploma certificate arrangement is expected to start in January 2021, based on the easing of travel and other restrictions in Canada. An innovative healthcare programme, HHSM combines elements of business study and managing the Canadian Health system to prepare students for management positions in the Canadian healthcare sector.

Students who will graduate from Bow Valley College will be eligible to apply for a post-graduate work permit in Canada or even pursue other diploma programmes from Bow Valley College or a degree with a public university pathway partner