

Press Note

Press Note No. 60/DCA/2025

Date: 11-06-2025

Drugs Control Administration, Telangana, raided a medical shop located at Zamistanpur, Musheerabad, Hyderabad, which was operating illegally without a drug license and seized drugs that were stocked for sale at the unlicensed medical shop during the raid.

The details are as follows:

Drugs Control Administration, Telangana officials, acting on credible information regarding the illegal sale of medicines, raided a medical shop named **New Al-Shifa Medical and General Stores** located at D.No.: 1-7-500/14, Near Bandham Function Hall, Zamistanpur, Musheerabad, Hyderabad, on 10th June, 2025.

Mohd Saddam Hussain was running a medical shop at the said premises illegally, without a drug licence.

During the raid, DCA officers detected unauthorized stocking of a huge quantity of medicines for sale. A total of **35 varieties** of medicines, including antibiotics, abortion kits, habit forming drugs viz. Alprazolam Tablets, Tramadol Tablets, IV fluids etc., were found stocked for sale at the premises and the stock, worth **Rs. 25,000**, was seized during the raid.

Smt. D. Saritha, Assistant Director, Secunderabad, Smt. P. Renuka, Drugs Inspector, Musheerabad, Sri. B. Govind Singh, Drugs Inspector, Secunderabad, Sri. G. Anil, Drugs Inspector, Malakpet, and Sri. M. Surendranath, Drugs Inspector, Begumpet, were among the officers who carried out the raid.

DCA officers lifted the samples for analysis. Further investigation shall be carried out and action shall be taken as per the law against all the offenders.

Wholesalers/Dealers who supply medicines to such unlicensed shops, which are stocking and selling drugs without a drug license, are also punishable under the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, and stringent action shall be taken against such Wholesalers/Dealers. Wholesalers/Dealers shall mandatorily ensure that the recipient entities hold a valid drug license before supplying medicines to them.

Drugs Control Administration, Telangana, issues drug licenses for the stocking and selling of medicines in accordance with the provisions of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act.

Stocking drugs for sale without a drug license is punishable under the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, with imprisonment for up to five years.

Public Awareness

The public should avoid purchasing medicines from unlicensed sources and never buy medicines from unregulated websites or other online platforms. Purchasing medicines from such sources significantly increases the risk to public health, as they are unregulated. It is advisable to purchase medicines only from licensed medical shops, which typically display their drug licenses,

issued by the Drugs Control Administration, Telangana, conspicuously in a prominent place that is easily visible to the public.

Selling medicines without a license is an offence, and medicines purchased from unlicensed premises are **likely to be counterfeit products.**

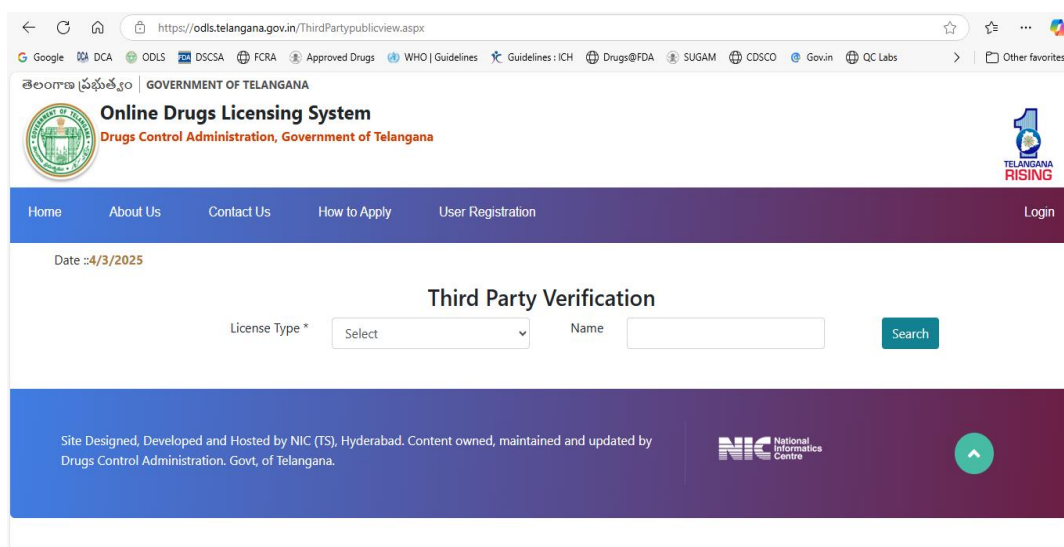
The public can verify whether a medical shop or pharmacy holds a license issued by the Drugs Control Administration, Telangana, through the **"Third-Party Verification"** feature.

The public can enter the name of the pharmacy or medical shop in the search box provided under the "Third-Party Verification" section of the ODLS website at <https://odls.telangana.gov.in/ThirdPartypublicview.aspx> to verify the details of drug licenses issued by the Drugs Control Administration, Telangana. This enables the public to check whether the medical shop or pharmacy is authorized to sell medicines or not.

Step-1:

Visit the following website:

<https://odls.telangana.gov.in/ThirdPartypublicview.aspx>



The screenshot displays the 'Online Drugs Licensing System' website for the Government of Telangana. The page features a header with the system's name and a navigation bar with links: Home, About Us, Contact Us, How to Apply, User Registration, and Login. Below the header, the date is shown as 4/3/2025. The main section is titled 'Third Party Verification' and contains a form with two input fields: 'License Type *' with a dropdown menu set to 'Select', and 'Name' with a text box. A green 'Search' button is positioned to the right of the 'Name' field. The footer includes a disclaimer stating the site is designed, developed, and hosted by NIC (TS), Hyderabad, and is owned, maintained, and updated by the Drugs Control Administration, Govt. of Telangana. The NIC logo and a green upward arrow button are also present in the footer.

Step-2:

Select "Sales" under the License Type.

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Step-3:

Enter the name of the medical shop or distributor in the search box and click on "Search." The license details will be displayed on the page.

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Third Party Verification

License Type * Name

Records per page: Search

| S.No. | Firm Name | License Validity | License Number | Address |
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| 1 | MEDIHAUXE PHARMA PRIVATE LIMITED | 29/06/2020 28/06/2025 | TS/RR/2020-62110 (Whole Sale & Retail,Grant) | D.NO.5-192/B, GROUND FLOOR AND FIRST FLOOR, BEHIND SOUTHINDIA SHOPPING MALL, MADINAGUDA, SERILINGAMPALLY MANDAL, RANGA REDDY DIST,Madeenaguda (D),Serilingampally (M),RANGA REDDY (D),Telangana State,India |

The public may report any suspected manufacturing activity related to drugs, including narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, in residential, commercial, or industrial areas, as well as any other complaints regarding illegal activities concerning medicines, through the **Drugs Control Administration, Telangana Toll-Free Number 1800-599-6969**, which is operational from 10:30 am to 5:00 pm on all working days.

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**Photograph - Raid on an Unlicensed Medical Shop at Zamistanpur,
Musheerabad, Hyderabad**