

6.1.1 The institution has a clearly stated vision and mission which are reflected in its academic and administrative governance.

The governance of the Institute is reflective of its vision and mission. They define its distinctive characteristics in terms of addressing the needs of students, society and government. It has been established with a vision to position itself as a premier teaching and research institution and be a centre of excellence on population, health and related issues.

The involvement of leadership is achieved through well-defined systems and organisational structure consistent with the vision and mission. The Institute has various bodies for governance through development of policies, regulations and guidelines. Its bye-laws are the instruments through which all the academic, administrative and research activities are administered and monitored for effective implementation, thus ensuring quality and continuous improvement.

The leadership takes all efforts to realize the goal of achieving the vision and mission of the Institute. The Director, along with the General Council, Executive Council, Standing Finance Committee, Academic Council and Board of Studies and Research are responsible for developing, implementing, improving participatory and decentralized management systems. Director is assisted by HoDs, faculty members, Registrar, Assistant Registrars, and Assistant Finance Officer. The faculty and staff members are involved at various levels by the Institute leadership in developing and implementing the management system.