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INFORMATION BROCHURE

**FOR
ADMISSION INTO
POST DOCTORAL (D.M. AND M.Ch.)
DEGREE COURSES IN
GAUHATI MEDICAL COLLEGE,
GUWAHATI, ASSAM.**

**DIRECTORATE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION, ASSAM
SIXMILE, KHANAPARA, GUWAHATI – 781022**

The admission into the Post Doctoral (D.M. and M.Ch.) Degree Courses in the Super Speciality Disciplines in Gauhati Medical College, Guwahati.

1. COURSES AND SEATS –

(1) NUMBER OF SEATS :-

Sl. No.	Subject	No. of seats	Name of College
1.	Pediatric Surgery	2	GMC
2.	Plastic Surgery	2	GMC
3.	Cardiothoracic Surgery	2	GMC
4.	Neurology	2	GMC
5.	Cardiology	2	GMC
6.	Urology	2	GMC
7.	Endocrinology	2	GMC
8.	Neuro Surgery	2	GMC
9.	Nephrology	2	GMC

Provided that the number of seat/seats shall be determined by the Government from time to time with the approval of the Medical Council of India. The total number of seats shall be notified in the advertisement inviting applications for admission into the Post Doctoral Degree Courses.

(2) Reservation of seats:-

Reservation of seats shall not be applicable for the candidates in Post Doctoral Degree Courses for the time being; provided that provisions for reservation may be made by the Government depending upon the increase in the number of seats from time to time.

There shall be no seats for the sponsored candidates.

The selection shall be strictly on the basis of merit to be judged as per provisions of sub-clause (3) of clause 3 bellow.

(3) **DURATION OF COURSES :-**

- (i) The duration of the Post Doctoral Degree Courses shall be of 3 (three) years from the date of respective admission.
- (ii) On completion of the third year of the Post Doctoral Degree Course, there shall be a final examination to be conducted by Srimanta Sankaradeva University of Health Sciences, Guwahati (SSUHS).
- (iii) The candidate shall have to submit one dissertation or proof of research work as required in clause 9, three months before the completion of the third year of the course and the final examination. No candidate shall be allowed to appear in the D.M. / M.Ch. examination until his/her dissertation has been approved.
- (iv) On successful completion of the Post Doctoral Degree Course, a certificate shall be presented to the candidate conferring D.M./ M.Ch. Degree by the Srimanta Sankaradeva University of Health Sciences, Guwahati.

2. **ELIGIBILITY FOR ENTRANCE EXAMINATION –**

For appearing in the Entrance Examination for admission into the Post Doctoral Degree Courses, a candidate must:

- (i) Be a citizen of India;
- (ii) Have a post graduate degree (M.D) or DNB in Medicine or Pediatrics for admission into the Post Doctoral Degree Courses in Cardiology, Neurology, Endocrinology, Nephrology or Post Graduate Degree M.S. or DNB in Surgery for admission into Post Doctoral Degree Courses in Pediatric Surgery, Plastic Surgery, Cardiothoracic Surgery, Urology, Neuro-Surgery, from any Medical College/ Institution/ University, recognized by the Medical Council of India.
- (iii) Have a permanent registration with State Council for Medical Registration or Medical Council of India,
- (iv) Not have been undergoing a Post Doctoral Degree / Diploma in any Medical College of India at the time of application and shall submit an undertaking in this regard.
- (v) Be a permanent resident of any of the State/ Union Territories of India and must furnish a certificate to this effect.

- (vi) Be of 37 years of age or below as on the 1st January of the year on which the entrance examination for the course takes place, which is relaxable in case of SC/ST/OBC/MOBC candidates by a maximum of 5 years.

3. **SELECTION BOARD AND SELECTION PROCESS –**

(1) Constitution of the Selection Board: There shall be a Selection Board for the purpose of selection of candidates for admission into the Post Doctoral Degree Courses.

(2) The Selection Board shall consist of the following members:-

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| a. Director of Medical Education, Assam | - | Chairman |
| b. The Principal-cum-Chief Supdt. Of GMC&H,Guwahati | - | Member |
| c. Professor and HOD of Surgery, GMCH,Guwahati in case -
Selection for M.Ch. course | - | Member |
| d. Professor and HOD of Medicine, GMCH,Guwahati in case-
Selection for D.M. course | - | Member |
| e. Prof & HOD of the concerned Deptt. GMCH,Guwahati | - | Member Secretary |

(3) The selection shall be on the basis of Four stages of performances:-

(a) STAGE – I:

- (i) A written Entrance Examination shall be conducted by the Srimanta Sankaradeva University of Health Sciences,(SSUHS) Assam, Guwahati.
- (ii) The written Entrance Examination shall carry 100 marks for a duration of 100 minutes in the concerned subject. The question Paper shall consist of 100 multiple choice questions (MCQ). For each correct answer 1(one) mark shall be awarded. Each wrong answer shall carry one third negative mark (-1/3). More than one answer shall be treated as wrong and awarded Negative mark. Zero mark shall be given for question not answered.

(b) STAGE – II:

- (i) The candidates securing 50% marks or above in the written test (STAGE – I) and 6 times the number of seats advertised shall be called in order of merit for Department Clinical Assessment on the fourth day or on the day as may be notified.

(ii) The Departmental Clinical Assessment shall be conducted by the concerned Department of Gauhati Medical College Hospital, Guwahati. The clinical Assessment shall carry 50 marks. This assessment shall be carried out by a Committee as follows appointed by the SSUHS.

1. HOD of the department concerned.
2. Professor/Associate Professor of the department concerned
3. One professor of Medicine for the DM Courses/ One professor of Surgery for M.Ch. Course.

Each of the above committee shall award marks out of 50 and average shall be taken as marks obtained by the candidate in stage – II.

(c) STAGE – III:

The final result shall be declared by the university on the basis of marks obtained by a candidate both on written test and clinical assessment.

(d) STAGE – IV:

(i) After the final result, the selected candidates shall have to face a Board of Interview to be conducted by the Selection Board and the decision of the board shall be final and binding to the candidate.

(ii) In the event of two or more candidates securing equal marks in Stage – III, the merit amongst them shall be decided on the basis of percentage of marks obtained by each of them in the Final MBBS examination.(both part – I and part– II)

Provided that in the event of two or more candidates securing equal percentage of marks in the final MBBS examinations, their inter se merit shall be decided on the basis of the percentage of marks obtained by them in the Second MBBS Examination. If the marks further tally then marks of First MBBS examination shall be considered.

(iii) The candidates shall have to produce the original mark sheets of all the three MBBS examinations before the Board at the time of interview and the Board shall prepare a merit list after scrutinizing the marks secured by the candidates which shall be notified by hanging a copy of the same in the notice Board of Gauhati Medical College or in the website of the Gauhati Medical College www.gmchassam.gov.in or any daily News paper of the State.

(4) The candidates shall have to show the following original documents during admission.

- (a) H.S.L.C. Admit Card/ H.S.L.C. Pass certificate.
- (b) Mark Sheets and Pass Certificates of HSSLC (10+2), of all MBBS examinations and Post graduate Examination (MS/DNB in Surgery or MD/DNB in Medicine/Pediatrics).
- (c) Internship completion Certificate;
- (d) Permanent Registration Certificate of State Council for Medical Registration or Medical Council of India;
- (e) Caste certificate issued by competent authority;
- (f) Certificate for providing the age of the candidate.

(5) The candidate or his/her representative shall have to sign on an acceptance letter stating the subject and college in the Post Doctoral Degree Course allotted to him/her, expressing his/her acceptance of the same and deliver it to the Member Secretary of the Selection Board.

(6) Each category of candidate/ candidates shall be called for counseling as there is no reservation of seat/ seats on the basis of caste.

(7) Counseling shall be held as per guidelines of the Medical Council of India (MCI)

4. **ADMISSION –**

(1) The candidate/ candidates must take admission on the stipulated date, otherwise their allotment of seat shall be cancelled.

(2) During admission each candidate shall have to deposit the following documents in original which shall remain in the safe custody of the Principal of the Medical College, till the completion of the course and shall be returned to the candidate only after obtaining Hostel/Mess/Library clearance certificate on completion of the Course:-

- (i) H.S.L.C. Admit card/ H.S.L.C. Pass certificate;
- (ii) Mark sheets and Pass Certificates of HSSLC (10+2) and all MBBS examinations and post graduate examinations (MS/DNB in \Surgery or MD/DNB in Medicine/Paediatrics).
- (iii) Internship completion certificate.
- (iv) Permanent Registration Certificate of State Council for Medical Registration or Medical Council of India;

- (v) Permanent Resident Certificate of the representative state.
 - (vi) Caste certificate issued by competent authority for the relaxation of age in case of candidate belonging to SC/ST/OBC/MOBC;
- (3) If a candidate or his/her representative is absent in the counseling no seat shall be allowed to him by the Board.

NOTE:

- (a) The results of the Stage-I shall be displayed on the Notice Board of the Srimanta Sankaradeva University of Health Sciences and in the website of the University www.ssuhs.in . No individual intimation shall be sent to the candidates.
- (b) Candidates who fail to attend any of the stages mentioned above shall not be eligible for admission.
- (c) Incomplete application or application accompanying false information shall be liable to be summarily rejected.

5. RESIGNATION OR RELINQUISHMENT FROM THE SEAT-

In Case a candidate resigns or relinquishes the course from a particular session/year during the period of the post Doctoral Degree course after admission for any reason whatsoever, or he/she applied for allotment of seat in the subsequent batch, he/she shall:

- (a) return the stipend if already drawn to the Principal of the Medical College;
- (b) Pay a penalty of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakhs) only by way of Bank Draft payable to the Director of Medical Education, Assam at SBI, Dispur Branch.
- (c) Be eligible to get back the original certificates deposited with the Principal of the Medical College, after the fulfillment of the provisions of sub rule (a) and (b) above.

6. TRANSFER –

Under no circumstances a candidate once selected and admitted for the particular post Doctoral Degree Course shall be transferred to another course or another college, as per the Medical Council of India norms.

7. APPEAL –

- (i) The Government shall dispose off the appeal if any, received from any candidate aggrieved by the decision of the Selection Board within seven days from the date of its receipt.

- (ii) Any candidate aggrieved by the decision of the Selection Board may prefer appeal before the Government within two days of the communication of the Selection Board's decision to him/her.
- (iii) Such appeal shall be addressed to the Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam, Health & Family Welfare Department, Dspur, Guwahati – 6

8. **EMOLUMENTS –**

The students undergoing Post Doctoral courses for D.M. and M.Ch. degree shall be posted as Senior Residents and shall be paid emoluments as per rules of the Government of Assam.

9. **DISSERTATION –**

Every candidate shall be required to submit a dissertation or furnish a proof of having undertaken research work of high order which may be in the form of a manuscript of an original article fit for publication or already accepted by an approved journal, or present evidence of having published papers of research value in the concerned subject in indexed journals. All these should have been done during the entire training period in the concerned department of the Institute.

NOTE

The registration of those candidates who do not submit the dissertation or proof of research work as required mentioned above at least 3(three) months prior to the commencement of the final examination, shall automatically stand cancelled.

10. **BOND -**

After being selected, the candidates belonging to the State of Assam shall have to execute a Bond on a non-judicial stamp paper for value of Rs.100/- (Rupees one hundred) only in the form as appended, for binding himself/ herself to serve under the Government of Assam for a period of 5 years and in breach thereof, have to pay a sum of Rs.10.00 Lakhs (Rupees ten lakhs) only to the Government of Assam as compensation and deliver the same to the Government of Assam.

11. **MISCELLANEOUS –**

- (1) Every candidate shall have to apply in the prescribed form to be obtained from the office of the Principal, Gauhati Medical College on payment of such fees as may be specified in the advertisement.
- (2) Application form must be filled up by the candidate in his/her own handwriting and shall be accompanied by all necessary certificates, documents, and fees as may be prescribed in the advertisement. Incomplete application forms in any respect shall be rejected and no communication in this regard shall be entertained. The Authority/ Institute shall not be responsible for any delay in the receipt or loss of application in postal transit and no correspondence in this regard shall be liable to be entertained. Any document/ certificate which is found to be false or fabricated at any stage shall make the application liable to be rejected and admission if given on the basis of such document/ certificate shall be liable to be cancelled without any refund of any fees etc. paid in this regard.
- (3) No candidate shall, after taking admission into a Post Doctoral Degree Course be allowed to do private practice or to take up any job part time or otherwise till the completion of the course.
- (4) Every candidate shall have to pass the final Post Doctoral Degree (D.M/M.Sc) examination in maximum 3(three) attempts and within a period of 6(six) years.
- (5) Candidates continuously absent in the course without any information for 3 months from the date of commencement of the course shall forfeit the seat.

12. **REMOVAL OF DIFFICULTIES –**

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Brochure, the Government shall have the power to take any action, not inconsistent with the clauses of these provisions, as may be necessary to remove any difficulty for which no express provision exists in this Brochure.

Sd/-
Director of Medical Education, Assam
Sixmile, Khanapara, Guwahati – 22

**BOND TO BE EXECUTED BY A CANDIDATE UNDERGOING POST DOCTORAL
COURSES WITHIN THE STATE OF ASSAM.**

Know all by these presents that I,

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..... under the Government of Assam do hereby bind himself and my heirs, executors and administrators to pay to the Government of Assam (hereinafter referred to as the Government) on demand by the Government of Assam the entire expenditure incurred in connection with my having been placed on..... For Post Doctoral course in In reputed and recognized Institute within the country for the period from with interest thereon from the date of demand of Government rates for the time being in force on Government loans.

Dated this.....

WHEREAS the above Bounden,.....placed on By the Government and whereas for the better protection of the Government the above bounden has agreed to.

Now the condition of the above written obligation is that, in the event of the above boundenresigning or retiring from after the expiry on termination by the period of training or at any time, within a period of ten years after his return to duty or in case of failure to pass the examination or complete the Post Doctoral course satisfactorily, or fail to serve the Government of Assam for a period of 5 years by those who are already in service and by those whose services are required by the Government of Assam in public interest, he/she shall forthwith refund to the Government of Assam as may be directed by the Government to refund on demand, the said sum of Rs.10,00,000/- (Rupees ten lakhs) only on account for his having been placed on As aforesaid together with interest thereon from the date of demand at Government rates for the time being to force as Government loans I am bound to serve at least 5(five) yeas under the Government of Assam.

AND upon the above bounded obligator
.....the sureties aforesaid making such payments the
above written obligation shall be void and no effect, otherwise it shall remain in full force
and virtue.

Provided always that the liability of the sureties hereinunder shall not be
impaired or discharged reason of time being granted or by any forbearance act or omission of
the Government or any person authorized by them (wherether with or without the consent or
knowledge of the sureties) nor shall it be necessary for the Government to use the said
Obligator before suing the above bounden
sureties..... for amounts due thereunder.

The Government of Assam has agreed to bear the stamp duty payable on this bond.

Signed and delivered by the above
bounden.....

In presence of.....

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Witness:

Accepted for and on behalf of the Government of Assam

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Secretary to the Govt. of Assam
Health & Family Welfare (B) Department
Dispur, Guwahati - 6