

**The Tamil Nadu  
Dr. M.G.R. Medical University  
Chennai**



**REGULATIONS FOR THE  
M.D. / M.S. / DIPLOMA COURSES**

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**Regulations of the University**

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 44 of the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai Act, 1987 (Tamil Nadu Act 37 of 1987). The Standing Academic Board of the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai hereby makes the following regulations :-

**SHORT TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT :-**

1. These regulations shall be called 'THE REGULATIONS FOR THE M.D. / M.S. POST GRADUATE DEGREE AND DIPLOMA COURSES OF THE TAMIL NADU DR.M.G.R. MEDICAL UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI.

2. They shall come into force from the academic year 2017-18.

The regulations framed are subject to modification, made by the standing Academic Board from time to time.

**1. REGISTRATION**

A candidate admitted into M.D. / M.S. / Diploma Post-Graduate Courses in any of the affiliated institutions of the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai, shall register with the University by remitting the prescribed fees along with the application form for registration duly filled in and forwarded to the Controller of Examinations of this University through the Head of the affiliated Institution within the stipulated date.

**2. ELIGIBILITY**

1) Every student, selected for admission to a Post Graduate medical course in any of the medical institutions on acquiring MBBS Degree or an equivalent qualification thereto shall have obtained permanent registration with the Medical Council of India, or any of the State Medical Council(s).

2) For a candidate is eligible for admission to any Post Graduate Degree / Diploma courses in a particular academic year it shall be necessary to qualify NEET and obtain minimum Eligibility marks as prescribed by the Medical Council of India, New Delhi.

3) The admitting authorities of the Institutions will strictly ensure that every candidate admitted to the M.D. / M.S. / Diploma Post-Graduate Courses has obtained permanent registration certificate from any one of the State Medical Councils.

### **3. DURATION OF THE COURSE**

#### **(1) Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) / Master of Surgery (M.S.)**

The period of training for obtaining these degrees shall be three completed years including the period of examination.

Provided that in the case of students having a recognised two year postgraduate diploma course in the same subject, the period of training, including the period of examination, shall be two year.

#### **(2) Diplomas**

The period of training for obtaining a postgraduate Diploma shall be two completed years including the examination period.

### **4. COMMENCEMENT OF THE COURSE**

The academic year for M.D. / M.S. / Diploma Post-Graduate Courses shall commence from May 1<sup>st</sup> of the academic year.

### **5. CUT-OFF DATE**

MAY 31<sup>st</sup> of the academic year

### **6. CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS**

The curriculum and the syllabi for the course shall be as specified in these regulations.

## **7. COMMENCEMENT OF EXAMINATION**

There shall be two University examinations in an academic year.

May 15<sup>th</sup> / October 15<sup>th</sup>

If the date of commencement of the examination falls on Saturdays , Sundays or declared Public Holidays the examination shall begin on the next working day.

## **8. ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO EXAMINATION**

All the candidates joining the Post Graduate training programme shall work as 'Full Time Residents' during the period of training and shall attend not less than 80% (Eighty percent) of the imparted training during each academic year including assignments, assessed full time responsibilities and participation in all facets of the educational process.

## **9. EXAMINATION :**

The examinations shall be organised on the basis of 'Grading' or 'Marking system' to evaluate and to certify candidate's level of knowledge, skill and competence at the end of the training. Obtaining a minimum of 50% marks in 'Theory' as well as 'Practical' separately shall be mandatory for passing examination as a whole. The examination for M.D./ M.S. shall be held at the end of 3<sup>rd</sup> academic year and for Diploma at the end of 2<sup>nd</sup> academic year. An academic term shall mean six month's training period.

A candidate who is undergoing Postgraduate Degree/Diploma should pass theory and practical examinations separately in terms of the governing provisions pertaining to the scheme of examination in the Postgraduate Regulation and recommended that an examinee should obtain minimum 40% marks in each theory paper and not less than 50% marks cumulatively in all the four papers for Degree examination and three papers in Diploma examination to be cleared as "passed" at the said Degree/Diploma examination as the case may be.

A candidate shall secure not less than 50% marks in each head of passing shall include (1) Theory (2) Practical including Clinical and Viva Voce examinations.

No grace marks should be awarded to Postgraduate Degree/Diploma courses.

## 10. TRAINING IN OUTSIDE CENTRES

The Head of the Post-graduate Departments should make necessary arrangements for their Post-graduate candidates to undergo training in various skills in other centres within and outside the State if facilities are not available in their own institution or hospitals.

## 11. MIGRATION / TRANSFER

Under no circumstance, Migration / Transfer of student undergoing any Post Graduate Degree / Diploma courses shall be permitted.

## 12. RE-ADMISSION AFTER BREAK OF STUDY

As per the procedure laid down in a common Regulation for all the Post Graduate Degree / Diploma courses of this University.

### BRANCHES OF STUDY

#### M.D. & M.S. - DEGREE / DIPLOMA COURSE

	<b>M.D. – COURSES</b>
<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Specialities</b>
1.	M.D. Anesthesiology
2.	M.D. Anatomy
3.	M.D. Biochemistry
4.	M.D. Community Medicine
5.	M.D. Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy
6.	M.D. Forensic Medicine
7.	M.D. General Medicine
8.	M.D. Geriatrics
9.	M.D. Immuno Haematology and Blood Transfusion
10.	M.D. Microbiology
11.	M.D. Nuclear Medicine
12.	M.D. Emergency Medicine
13.	M.D. Pathology

14.	M.D. Paediatrics
15.	M.D. Pharmacology
16.	M.D. Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
17.	M.D. Physiology
18.	M.D. Psychiatry
19.	M.D. Radio-diagnosis
20.	M.D. Radio-therapy
21.	M.D. Respiratory Medicine
22.	M.D. Tropical Medicine
23.	M.D. Family Medicine

<b><u>M.S. COURSES</u></b>	
<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Specialities</b>
24.	MS Otorhinolaryngology
25.	MS General Surgery
26.	MS Ophthalmology
27.	MS Orthopedics
28.	MS Obstetrics & Gynecology

<b><u>P.G. DIPLOMA COURSES</u></b>	
<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Specialities</b>
29.	Diploma in Anesthesiology (D.A.)
30.	Diploma in Clinical Pathology (D.C.P.)
31.	Diploma in Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy (DDVL)
32.	Diploma in Obstetrics & Gynecology (D.G.O.)
33.	Diploma in Ophthalmology (D.O.)
34.	Diploma in Orthopedics (D.Ortho.)
35.	Diploma in Oto-Rhino Laryngology(D.L.O.)

36.	Diploma in Paediatrics( D.C.H.)
37.	Diploma in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (D.Phy. Med. & R.)
38.	Diploma in Psychiatry (D.P.M.)
39.	Diploma in Public Health (D.P.H.)
40.	Diploma in Radio-diagnosis (D.M.R.D.)
41.	Diploma in Radio-therapy (D.M.R.T.)
42.	Diploma in Tuberculosis & Chest Diseases (D.T.C.D.)
43.	Diploma in Diabetology

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