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CIRCULAR

Sub:	Compulsory Rotating Medical Internship [CRMI] Transfer of students pursuing Health Science courses in Affiliated colleges of RGUHS.		
Ref:	As per following Gazette Notifications of India: -		
1.	Medical: -	NMC - dt:18/11/2021 & Circular dt: 19/05/2022.	
2.	Dental:-	No.DE-1-2016/12273 dt:16/01/2017	
3.	Ayurveda:-	NCISM DT:16/02/2022	
4	Unani:-	NCISM DT:28/02/2022	
5.	Homoeopathy:	Revised Ordinance 2009.	
6.	BPT	Notification Dated:19/01/2017.	
7.	AHS Courses	Opinion of Dean and Ordinance.	

RGUHS has prescribed general guidelines/conditions for Compulsory Rotating Medical Internship [CRMI] transfer of students from one University/College/Institution to another college/institution affiliated to RGUHS and Recognised by the Concerned Apex bodies. While framing these guidelines, university has adopted the guidelines issued by the concerned apex body and Ordinances related to particular courses where there is no apex bodies. It is noted that the guidelines issued by apex body of other faculties are not in conformity with the guidelines thus adopted. There are some faculties that have no apex bodies. Hence, this circular for uniformity.

SI. No	Course	Guidelines to be Adopted
1.	MBBS- Medical	As per NMC Gazette of India,dt:18/11/2021.Schedule-II.
		1. Indian Medical Graduates.
		a. The applicant should have successfully completed the MBBS course of any University from a college or institution approved and recognised by the commission and listed by the Undergraduate Medical Education Board under the provisions of section 35 of the Act. b. The qualifying examination for Indian Medical Graduates shall be in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of the Commission at the time of commencement of internship. 1. The final MBBS Examination of various Universities or

institutions of India

- 2. The National exit test (Next) step-1 held under subsection (1) of section 15 of the act whenever this examinations becomes operational
- 3. Any other requirement as may be regulated or notified by the Central Government or, as the case may be, the commission.
- c. All Indian Medical Graduates shall complete their entire period of compulsory rotating internship training [CRMI] in the institution where they have pursued and completed their Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery [MBBS].
 - 1. One-year approved service in the Armed Forces Medical Services, after passing the final MBBS examination shall be considered as equivalent to the pre-registration training detailed above and such training shall, as far as possible, be at the base or General Hospital. The training in Community Medicine should fulfil the norms of the NMC as proposed above. However Next step 2 will be mandatory for these candidates also.

2. Foreign Medical Graduates.

- a. All Foreign Medical Graduates, as regulated by the National Medical Commission (Foreign Medical Graduate Licentiate) Regulations 2021, are required to undergo internship at par with Indian Medical Graduates if they desire to seek Permanent Registration to practice Medicine in India.
- 1. All Foreign Medical Graduates, unless otherwise notified shall be required to undergo CRMI at par with Indian Medical Graduates after the National Exit Test Step-1 after Next becomes operational.
- b. Indian citizens (including overseas Indian citizens) who are Foreign Medical Graduates who do not fall under the purview of the National Medical Commission (Foreign Medical Graduate Licentiate) Regulations, 2021 shall be regulated by the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 13 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 (102 of 1956) in accordance with the advisorv No MCI-203(1)(Gen)/2020-Regn/118239, dated September 2020 and shall be required to complete CRMI in India if they have not undergone such practical training after obtaining such qualification as may be required by the rules and regulations in force in the country granting such qualification or has not undergone any practical training in that country.
- c. Foreign Medical Graduates who require to complete a period of Internship shall do so only in medical colleges or

institutions approved for providing CRMI to Indian Medical Graduates.

- 1. Foreign Medical Graduates may be posted first in colleges which have been newly opened and have yet to be recognized.
- 2. May be posted to different medical colleges or institutions through a counselling or seat allocation process based on the merit.
- 3. Medical colleges or institutions may allow up to 7.5 per cent of their permitted quota of interns to accommodate internship by Foreign Medical Graduates [with clear vacancy]
- 4. The College or Institution and its Affiliated Hospitals and Community Health Centres shall be recognised by the Commission for conducting the CRMI programme.
- 5. National Medical Commission vide circular dated 4th March 2022 also clarified that no amount/fee is charged by the medical college from FMGs for permitting them to do their internship. The stipend & other facilities of FMGs should be extended equivalent to India Medical Graduates being trained at Government Medical College as fixed by the appropriate authority applicable to the Institute/University or State.
- As per the provisions of the NMC's CRMI 6. Regulation 2021, interns (not more than 15 interns at any given time in one centre) are posted at Rural Health Centres for period of 12 weeks. However, it has been observed that due to paucity of Rural Centres adopted by college authorities, a large numbers of interns are posted in one Rural Centre. Therefore, the college authorities are advised to adopt **Rural Centres** more to accommodate internship training and also provide residential accommodation or transportation (to and from Rural Centres) to these interns at the cost of college authorities.
- 7. All State Medical Councils and Directorates of Medical Education are requested to kindly take immediate necessary action in this regard and ensure that no internship fee is charged by the Medical College/Institutes from these interns Indian and Foreign Medical Graduates, and stipend including other facilities is being provided to FMGs as equivalent to Indian Medical Graduates in the states/UTs.

2.	BDS- DENTAL	As per DCI Gazette of India, dt:16/01/2017.Schedule-II.
		1. Reference DCI's circular No DE-1-2016/2609 dated 09.06.2016 by which, transferee dental college were requested not to allow/transfer any of the student in their dental institution without the prior NOC of the DCI for doing one year paid internship programme from one dental college to another dental college.
		2. In the connection, it is clarified that the dental institutions shall not transfer/admit the students, directly in their institutions without getting the prior NOC of the Dental Council of India, which is violation of the DCI norms. Therefore, all the students those are willing to get themselves transferred for doing their one year internship programme in any dental institution are required to apply to DCI along with the requisite documents i.e NOCs issued by both the recognised dental colleges, final year mark sheet and the prescribed fee of Rs. 500/- in way of Demand Draft/Pay Order in favour of Secretary, Dental Council of India, New Delhi and only after getting the NOC issued by the Dental Council of India, the transferee dental college, (in which the applicant is seeking transfer for doing his/her oneyear Rotatory paid internship), shall admit the applicant/student for the purpose.
3.	BAMS-	3. Further, all the dental colleges are hereby directed not to issue NOC for remaining period with regard to internship, since such kind of application shall not be entertained by the Dental Council of India. Students have to undergo only one year paid internship in the transferee dental college (with the prior permission of the Dental Council of India) instead of remaining period. The dental colleges shall be bounded to inform their students regarding the DCI's rules with regard to do internship from one dental college to another dental college, accordingly, to avoid any litigation in future. If any dental college (parent college) shall issue NOC for the remaining period or if any transferee dental college shall admit the student in its college will, solely, be responsible for any consequence.
3.	AYURVEDA	As per NCISM Gazette of India,dt:16/02/2022.Schedule-II.
		Compulsory Rotatory Internship
		1. The duration of Compulsory Rotatory Internship including Internship Orientation programme shall be one year and ordinarily commence on first working day of April

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- 2. The student shall be eligible to join the compulsory Internship programme after passing all the subjects from first to third (Final) Professional examination including

nine elective and after getting Provisional Degree Certificate from respective universities and Provisional Registration Certificates from respective State Board or Council for Compulsory Rotatory Internship.

- 3. Stipend: During internship, to the interns belonging to Central Government, State Government and Union territory institution, the stipend shall be paid at par with other medical systems under respective Government and there shall not be any discrepancy between medical systems.
- 4. Migration during Internship: Migration of Internship shall be with the consent of both the colleges and University, in the case where migration is between the colleges of two different Universities.

4. BHMS-HOMOEOPATHY

As per Revised Ordinance Governing BHMS Course 2009

Compulsory Internship Training

- 1. Each candidate shall be required to undergo compulsory rotating internship of one year, after passing the final BHMS Examinations, to the satisfaction of the Principal of the Homoeopathic College. Thereafter only, the candidate shall be eligible for the award of Degree of Bachelor of Homoeopathic Medicine and Surgery (BHMS) by the University.
- 2. All parts of the internship training shall be undertaken at the hospital attached to the college and in cases where such hospital cannot accommodate all of its students for internship then such candidates/students shall be informed in writing by the college and it shall be the responsibility of the college to ensure that each of such students is put on internship training in a Homoeopathic Hospital or dispensary run by Government or local bodies.
- 3. To enable the State Board/Council of Homoeopathy to grant provisional registration of minimum of one year to each candidate to undertake the internship, the University concerned shall issue a provisional passed certificate on passing the final BHMS examination to each successful candidate.

Provided that in the event of shortage or unsatisfactory work, the period of compulsory internship and the provisional registration shall be accordingly extended by the State Board/Council.

4. Full registration shall only be given by the State Boards if the BHMS degree awarded by the University concerned is a recognized medical qualification as per section 13 (1) of the Act, and Board shall award registration to such candidates who produce certificate of completion or compulsory rotating internship of not less than one year during from the Principal of college where one has been a

bonafide student which shall also declare that the candidate is eligible for it.

- 5. The intern students shall not prescribe the treatment including medicines, and each of them shall work under the direct supervision of Head of Department concerned and/or a Resident Medical Officer. No intern student shall issue any medicolegal document under his/her signatures.
- 6. Each candidate shall complete the internship training within a period of 24 months after passing the final year examination. in extraordinary circumstances, if the candidate fails to complete within the stipulated period, he/she shall seek extension from the university.

The internship training shall be regulated by the Principal in consultation with concerned Heads of Departments and R.M.O. as per the procedure laid down in ordinance.

5. BUMS- UNANI

As per NCISM Gazette of India, dt: 28/02/2022. Schedule-II.

Compulsory Rotatory Internship

- 1. The duration of Compulsory Rotatory Internship including Internship Orientation Programme shall be one year and ordinarily commence on **first working day of April for regular batch students and first working day of October for supplementary batch students.**
- 2. The student shall be eligible to join the compulsory Internship programme after passing all the subjects from first to Third (Final) Professional Examination including nine electives and after getting Provisional Degree Certificate from respective universities and Provisional Registration Certificate from respective State Board or Compulsory Rotatory Internship.
- 3. Stipend: During internship, to the interns belonging to Central Government, State Government and Union territory institution, the stipend shall be paid at par with other medical system under respective government and there shall not be any discrepancy between medical system.

4. Migration during Internship: -

- 1. Migration of internship shall be with the consent of both the colleges and university, in the case where the migration is in between the colleges of two different universities.
- 2. If migration is only between colleges of the same university, the consent of both the colleges shall be required.
- 3. Migration shall be accepted by the university on the

		production of the character certificate issued by the institute or college and the application forwarded by the college and university with a 'No Objection Certificate' as the case may be.
6.	BNYS- NATUROPATHY	As per NCISM Gazette of India,dt:16/02/2022.Schedule-II.
		Compulsory Rotatory Internship
		1. The duration of Compulsory Rotatory Internship including Internship Orientation programme shall be one year and ordinarily commence on first working day of April for regular batch students and first working day of October for supplementary batch students.
		2. The student shall be eligible to join the compulsory Internship programme after passing all the subjects from first to third (Final) Professional examination including nine elective and after getting Provisional Degree Certificate from respective universities and Provisional Registration Certificates from respective State Board or Council for Compulsory Rotatory Internship.
		3. Stipend: During internship, to the interns belonging to Central Government, State Government and Union territory institution, the stipend shall be paid at par with other medical systems under respective Government and there shall not be any discrepancy between medical systems.
		4. Migration during Internship: - Migration of Internship shall be with the consent of both the colleges and University, in the case where migration is between the colleges of two different Universities.
7.	BPT- Physiotherapy	There shall be six months [26 weeks] of internship after the final year examination for candidates declared to have passed the examination in all the subjects. a. Internship should be done in a NMC recognized hospital/University affiliated college hospital. b. Transfer of Internship can be given within India. c. Only 20% of total students passing in respective examination/year can obtain transfer outside university. d. To get a transfer, No objection certificate [NOC] shall be obtained from the intended hospital/Institution/University desiring to do internship and shall also obtain NOC from the Principal/HOD of the College where BPT was studied to be submitted to University and have to obtain NOC from University.

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180 working days compulsory rotational postings during which students have to work under the supervision of experienced staff.

When a candidate wishes to complete the internship from other hospitals or clinical laboratory other than approved by RGUHS, Bangalore whom the application has been granted for this program, the following procedure needs to be followed:

- 1. The Hospital/Institutions which the student wishes to do the internship should be recognized by National Medical Council/MCI,NABL accredited/NABH accredited.
- 2. The candidate should obtain a Letter/NOC from such institution to do internship there.
- 3. Only after satisfying the above-mentioned criteria the affiliated colleges should permit the students to do internship in other Hospitals/Institution/laboratory.

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To: -

The Dean/Director/Principals of all colleges affiliated to RGUHS.

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- 3. The Director, Department of Medical Education, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore 560 009
- 4. PA to Vice-Chancellor/Registrar /Registrar (Eva)/Finance Officer
- 5. Director, Curriculum Development Cell/Public Information Officer.
- 6. The Home Page of RGUHS Website
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