NOTIFICATION

Sub: Ordinance Governing Central Assessment program (CAP) for Theory paper assessment of MBBS Course

PREAMBLE: RAJIV GANDHI UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, has introduced digital valuation system for evaluating answer scripts of all the examinations in health science subjects from the year May 2015 onwards. In respect of UG examination several notifications governing the system of evaluation were issued by the University from time to time. The procedure and Number of evaluations contained in the previous notifications was the subject matter of several writ petitions before the Hon’ble High Court of Karnataka. National Medical Commission erstwhile Board of Governors in Super-session of Medical Council of India makes Graduate Medical Education Regulations (Amendment), 2019 and also issued the clarification in the Advisory No. MCI (34) (41) (Gen)-Med/2020 dated: 28-01-2021 regarding the no. of examiners required to check the MBBS theory answer scripts. Further to state that MBBS exams are also starting very soon. In view of the above said situations, it is proposed to promulgate an ordinance in super-session of all the previous ordinances/Notifications pertaining to multiple evaluations as below:

Ordinance Governing Central Assessment program (CAP) for Theory paper assessment of MBBS Course

In exercise of the powers conferred under sections 13 (2) of RGUHS Act, 1994 and In supersession of all earlier Notifications/Circulars/Orders and Ordinances published governing MBBS Course Valuation, the Vice Chancellor of RGUHS is please to promulgate this ordinance:

1. TITLE & COMMENCEMENT:
   a. This Ordinance may be called “Ordinance Governing Central Assessment program (CAP) for Theory paper assessment of MBBS Course”.
   b. This Ordinance shall come into force with effect from the examination conducted on or after 01.02.2021

2. APPLICABILITY: This Ordinance shall apply to all the theory answer scripts of Undergraduate Course in Medical and is not applicable for viva/clinical/practical examinations.

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3. DEFINITIONS:

a. General Valuation – means two evaluations conducted by two independent examiners of a particular theory Answer script subject.

b. Deviation Valuation – means the valuation conducted by the 3rd examiner as per this Ordinance in case of deviation between the total marks awarded by the two examiners in the General Valuation is equal to or more than 15% of the maximum marks prescribed for the paper. The algebraic formula for the purpose of 3rd valuation shall be as follows:

"If the total mark awarded by the first examiner is X, and that awarded by the second examiner is Y, and the maximum marks prescribed is Z, then answer paper goes for the third valuation if \([X-Y] \geq (0.15 \times Z)\)".

c. Central Assessment Programme (CAP) – means conduct of MBBS theory paper assessment through digital valuation system as per this Ordinance.

4. Appointment of examiners for theory answer scripts evaluation shall be as per clause 11.2.9 (a) of Graduate Medical Education Regulations (Amendment), 2019.

5. Procedure for Valuation of Theory Answer Scripts:

a. All the theory answer scripts are evaluated through Digital valuation System of RGUHS.

b. i) General Valuation: All the theory answer scripts shall be evaluated by eligible examiners as specified in 11.2.9(a) of GMER, 2019. Every theory answer script shall be evaluated by any eligible two Internal examiners from affiliated institutes of Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.

ii) Deviation Valuation: All the theory answer scripts where the difference in award of total marks between two examiners in the general valuation is 15% or more of the maximum marks prescribed for the paper, shall be referred to any other eligible 3rd internal examiner for evaluation.

6. Procedure for computation of results:

a. The average of total marks awarded by the two examiners in the general valuation shall be considered for computation of results.

b. In the event of the answer scripts referred to 3rd evaluation as per clause 5 (b) (ii) mentioned above, the average of best two total marks awarded by the three examiners shall be considered for computation of results.

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c. Any decimals occurring either during individual total marks awarded by the examiner for the paper and / or occurring after averaging shall be rounded off to the next higher value for the purpose of computation of results.

The marks awarded and results declared after the above evaluation process shall be final. Under any circumstances there shall be no further evaluation / re-evaluation of answer scripts.

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