



GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB  
SPECIALIZED HEALTHCARE &  
MEDICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
(MEDICAL EDUCATION WING)

Dated Lahore, the 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2025



## NOTIFICATION

**NO.SO(ME-II)7-1/2025(L-IV)(CPDP):** The Competent Authority has been pleased to notify the “Continuous Professional Development Policy” for capacity building and professional development in following Institutional Certification programs:

- i. Hands and Upper Limb Surgery (HULS) (02 years)
- ii. Interventional Pulmonology (IP) (01 year)

### 2. Eligibility:

Following is the eligibility criteria for applying:

#### i. General:

- a. Regular Senior Registrar, Assistant and Associate Professors working on regular basis in the teaching Institutions under the administrative control of SHC&ME Department
- b. Minimum Level-III qualification (FCPS/MS/MD or equivalent) as defined by PM&DC in relevant eligible specialties as mentioned in specific eligibility requirements
- c. Minimum Two years of regular Post Fellowship experience at their credit in the respective specialties.
- d. Age less than 45 years on last date of submission of application
- e. At least one research article must be published in the PM&DC and HEC recognized Journals
- f. No enquiry and No Objection certificate from the department

#### ii. Specific:

- a. Hands and Upper Limb Surgery : FCPS/MS Orthopedics
- b. Interventional Pulmonology:
  - I. FCPS/MD Pulmonology; OR
  - II. FCPS/MD Critical care with FCPS/MD Pulmonology as first fellowship; OR
  - III. FCPS/MS Thoracic surgery

### 3. Application Process and Selection Criteria:

- i. Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department shall advertise the seats on PHF portal and departmental website.
- ii. Interested eligible applicants shall submit an online application along with a processing fees amounting to Rs.2000/-.

- iii. HULS shall be offered at Combined Military Hospital Lahore while Interventional Pulmonology shall be offered at SIMS/Service Hospital Lahore.
- iv. The candidates shall be selected for the said Program through merit based system as per notified Selection criteria for induction in Second Fellowship dated 19-05-2025.
- v. There shall be two seats for each program (2 HULS; 2 IP).
- vi. The induction shall be made once a year.
- vii. The interview committee shall be notified by the department.
- viii. The selection list shall be notified on the PHF portal.
- ix. In case of selection the candidate shall submit online consent within stipulated time failing which offer shall be given to the candidate next in merit.

#### 4. Terms and Conditions:

- i. Upon selection on merit, the said trainees shall be placed at CMH, Lahore (Hands and Upper Limb Surgery Department) or SIMS/ Services Hospital by SHC&ME Department.
- ii. The initial deputation orders shall be issued only on submission of No Objection Certificate, No Inquiry Certificate and due verification of 2 years of regular service in favor of inducted trainees from the respective administrative Department.
- iii. The terms and conditions of deputation shall be same as notified in the Policy and Procedure Manual for Second Fellowship.
- iv. The deputation duration shall be one year for Interventional Pulmonology
- v. In case of HULS, the deputation shall be granted initially for a period of 1 year which shall be extendable for second year subject to the satisfactory Performance Evaluation Reports by the Training Institution and service continuation certificate from SHMED.
- vi. The PG Trainee provided shall furnish a surety bond undertaking that after completion of PG Training, he / she shall serve his / her parent Department for at least three years. In addition, he / she will not apply for any kind of Leave/ EOL / resignation from the Government service during this period after completion of training. In case he/she decides to do it, he/she will return the salary received during his / her training period.
- vii. No substantive post shall be held at the department during the training period and candidate shall draw salary from the PGMI, Lahore against a vacant post.
- viii. The training of post graduate residents shall be regulated under the Policy and Procedure Manual for the Second fellowship/Supra Specialty programs Post graduate residents. This shall be in addition to the rules/regulations under which regular employees are regulated by the Government of the Punjab. Moreover, the trainees shall follow the code of conduct of the Training Institution.

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5. **Assessment and Certification**

- i. There shall be ongoing assessment throughout the training period by the Supervisor and Institution which shall be mandatory condition for continuation of training.
- ii. Failure to perform upto the mark during the training, shall lead to cancellation of the training/deputation by the SH&MED upon recommendation by the Supervisor/Institution.
- iii. Each resident shall be required to submit one research paper/case report as first author for publication in PMDC approved Journal at his own expenses during the training period which shall be counted for satisfactory completion and certification of the program.
- iv. Each resident shall be required to have done ACLS workshop at his own expenses, if not already done, during the training period which shall be counted for satisfactory completion and certification of the program.
- v. Final assessment shall be at the completion of training period and only successful candidates shall be awarded certificate by the respective Institution.
- vi. The trainee shall report to the Department upon completion of certification program.

**SECRETARY  
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB  
SPECIALIZED HEALTHCARE &  
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**EVEN NUMBER & DATED.**

Copy of the above is forwarded for information and necessary action to the:

1. Minister for Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education, Punjab.
2. President, Pakistan Medical and Dental Council, Islamabad.
3. Commandant, Combined Military Hospital, Lahore.
4. Managing Director, Punjab Health Foundation, Lahore.
5. All Vice Chancellors of public sector Medical Universities in Punjab
6. All the Principals of Autonomous Medical Teaching Institutions in Punjab.
7. All the Deans/Heads of Specialized Health Institutions in Punjab.
8. Principal, SIMS/ Services Hospital, Lahore.
9. Principal, Post-Graduate Medical Institute, Lahore.
10. Director IT, SHC&ME Department with the request to upload the same on the official website.
11. PSO to Secretary Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department.
12. PSO to Special Secretary (OPS) & (D&R) Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department.
13. Section File.

  
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