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From the desk of Executive Director

Greeting from the National Board of Examination in Medical Sciences!

National Board of Examination in Medical Sciences (NBEMS) was established in the year 1975 by the Government of India with the objective of improving the quality of the Medical Education by establishing high and uniform standards of postgraduate examinations in modern medicine on an all-India basis and utilizing existing infrastructure for capacity building.

NBEMS has emerged as the guiding beacon of postgraduate medical education in India. More than 14500 seats are accredited with NBEMS for its various postgraduate courses (DNB, DrNB, FNB, Diploma) in 101 specialty subjects in more than 1400 hospitals in the country.

NBEMS is continually striving to bridge the gap between undergraduate and postgraduate seats and impart quality postgraduate training to the aspiring young doctors in the country. Mentoring of newly NBEMS accredited hospitals by the already established institutions and student exchange program in the form of need-based short-term training in different institutions will be augmented. Greater efforts will be made to attract foreign national graduates to take NBEMS accredited postgraduate courses as their career option in India. NBEMS is committed to improve medical education in the country and to take it to a greater heights by focusing on teaching and training of postgraduate trainees and faculty development who are involved in running the NBEMS courses in various institutions.

NBEMS has been successfully conducting various all India level examinations such as NEET-PG, NEET-SS, NEET-MDS, FET/ FPIS, DNB-PDCET, FMGE, FDST-BDS/MDS, GPAT etc. Ensuring the sanctity of examinations and raising the standards of postgraduate medical education are paramount for the development of competent, ethical, and proficient healthcare professionals. As we advance into an era where medical science evolves rapidly and patient care becomes increasingly complex, it is essential to uphold the highest standards in assessing the knowledge, skills, and attitudes of future medical specialists.

By implementing robust, standardized examination protocols that are both rigorous and fair, NBEMS will ensure that every post-graduate possesses a consistent level of expertise, regardless of his/her training institution. This commitment to excellence will not only safeguard the integrity of medical qualifications but also enhance public trust in the healthcare system. Furthermore, by embracing innovative assessment methods, NBEMS will provide a more comprehensive measure of a candidate's capabilities.

Over the past 4 decades, NBEMS has made great strides in creating capacity and applying quality standards in postgraduate medical education across the country. We will continue our sincere efforts and endeavour to enhance postgraduate medical education and training in our country.

My sincere thanks to all the faculty who have helped us in our mission and my best wishes to trainees for their bright career.

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