

Rahbar Medical & Dental College

No: RMDC/DME/	
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Policy on Electives for RMDC Students

1. Purpose:

To encourage medical students to carryout clinical training in various disciplines of their choice in recommended teaching hospitals in and outside Pakistan during their 5 years training program of MBBS in order to gain clinical experience. This clinical experience will help them to broaden their vision and improve upon themselves in the field of various disciplines of Medicine and Surgery. It will also help them in acquiring post-graduation after qualification of MBBS program.

2. Scope:

All RMDC students.

3. Procedure:

Following factors will be considered prior to assigning electives to the students:-

- a. Application will be rendered by the student for particular elective training.
- b. Availability of electives training slots in the recommended hospital.
- c. Hospital where the elective training is to be done shall be recognized with PM&DC or regulatory body of its country in case of abroad.
- d. Consideration of merit will be prime factor in selection of student for elective training.
- e. For nomination of a particular elective, willingness of hospital in writing is required prior to requesting the approval by the selection board.
- f. Choice of two electives training at a time is not permitted.
- g. All logistics and transportation will be the responsibility of the student concerned.
- h. Meeting the UHS requirements to be eligible to take professional examination will be the responsibility of student concerned.

i. Elective trainings will be considered for approval during summer vacation only.

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4. Composition of Selection Board:

President:

Prof Dr. Noreen Rahat, HOD Community Medicine Dept.

Members:

(1) HOD Surgery & Allied

(2) HOD Medicine & Allied

(3) HOD Gynecology / Obstetrics

(4) HOD ENT

Following Teaching Hospitals are Recommended in Pakistan:

- (1) Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital and Research Centre Lahore.
- (2) Services Institute of Medical Sciences, Lahore
- (3) Jinnah Hospital, Lahore
- (4) Doctors Hospital, Lahore
- (5) National Hospital, Lahore
- (6) Shalimar Hospital Lahore
- (7) Other Teaching Hospital in other province of Pakistan.
- 5. Any teaching Hospital / Tertiary Care Health Facility Abroad.

6. Students to Seek Guideline From Medical Education Dept:

Prior to joining elective training, the medical education dept will facilitate the student at the maximum during his / her training.

7. Institutional Students Exchange Program:

RMDC is included in the WHO world directory of Medical Schools, therefore student will render written request to the institution concerned abroad to carry out clinical training under student's exchange program.

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