

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

No. ME-II-M-08/2018 - 1721 Notification /H, Dated: 19.01.2018

Sub: Enhancement of stipend of PG students in Pre-Clinical and Para-clinical disciplines of Govt. Medical Colleges in the state.

Enhancement of stipend for PG students in Pre-Clinical and Para-Clinical disciplines of Govt. Medical Colleges in the State for attracting the MBBS students to opt for pursuing Post graduation in pre and para clinical subjects. It has been observed that majority of MBBS students do not prefer to continue PG in these two disciplines, the main reasons being their non-clinical nature and lack of possibilities of higher earnings in future as is the case in clinical subjects. This initiative is expected to boost interest amongst students to pursue PG in Pre & Para-Clinical Courses.

Whereas Govt. is grappling with acute shortage of doctors, efforts are being continuously made to provide quality health care to all by specialized doctors. Steps are also been taken to retain pass out doctors by way of awarding place based incentives, additional weightage in marks enabling to pursue PG courses. This intervention has led to increased turn out of doctors including specialised ones. The numbers of PG seats are also getting enhanced every year to generate more numbers of eligible faculties required for upcoming new Medical Colleges.

Faculties in pre-clinical and para-clinical subjects are sine qua non for starting new Medical Colleges. However, last few years have witnessed lack of interest among young MBBS doctors to opt for Post-Graduation in Pre-clinical (Anatomy, Physiology and BioChemistry) and para-clinical subjects (Pharmacology, FMT, Pathology, Microbiology and Community Medicine). Every year, more than 60 PG seats in these disciplines are lying vacant. Continuous vacancies in these two categories have led to drastic shortage of faculties which may eventually make it difficult for these institutions to meet the norms laid down by Medical Council of India.

Further, doctors employed with Govt. who are selected for Post-Graduation upon admission get stipend / salaries only without getting Post based incentives being awarded, which causes further pecuniary losses and this situation gets even more aggravated for those willing to pursue post-graduation in Pre-Clinical & Para-Clinical disciplines.

Under these circumstances, Government, after careful consideration, have been pleased to enhance the stipend to post graduate students in the above Pre-Clinical and Para-Clinical disciplines as under.

Sl. No.	Year	Existing Stipend (Rs. per month)	Revised Stipend (Rs. per month)
1	1 st year	39,950/-	48,302/-+18,000/-(incentive)=66,302/-
2	2 nd year	41,899/-	50,658/-+18,000/-(incentive)=68,658/-
3	3 rd year	43,848/-	53,014/-+18,000/-(incentive)=71,014/-

This shall be made effective from the date of issue of this notification.

This has been concurred in by Finance Department in their file No.FIN-SOS3-ESTT-0039-2017.

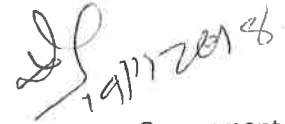
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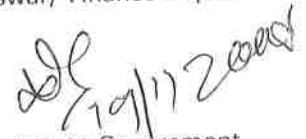
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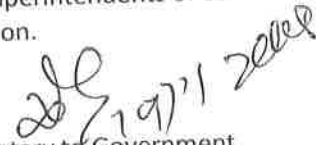
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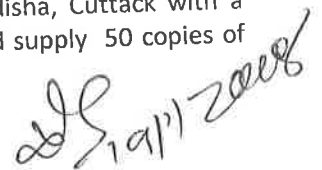
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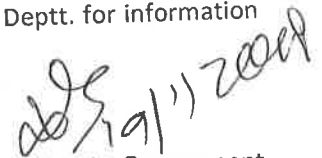
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