



**University School of Medicine and Paramedical Health Sciences
Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University**

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Clarification regarding University Exit Examinations for MD, MS Courses

Several proposals have been received from the medical student community pursuing MD, MS courses in medical institutions affiliated to GGSIP University. The most significant request proposed doing away with this year's MD, MS University Exit Examinations in view of the COVID 19 pandemic and to declare results based on thesis review and sent up grades.

Even though the proposal did not meet with the University rules and regulations and the MCI PGME regulations, considering the extraordinary circumstances, the request was placed before the esteemed Members of the Board of Studies (BoS), University School of Medicine & Paramedical Health Sciences. None of the BoS members felt that the proposal merited consideration. The BoS was of the unanimous view that exit examinations be held as and when the situation becomes conducive.

The student community is therefore cautioned not to believe in any of the rumours being floated around this year's MD, MS University Exit Examinations. A revised time table will be announced soon as the situation normalizes.

Further, the affiliate institutions are hereby informed that it is up to them to seek permission of the respective governing authority regarding the continuation or not of the 3rd year MD, MS students beyond their stipulated tenure. The request to extend the tenure may be placed on the simple basis that in view of the pandemic the NEET PG admission counselling has been deferred and that extension may be granted till a fresh batch of postgraduates is admitted. The GGSIP University however has no *locus standi* in this matter.


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