

Circular Letter No. 32/2015

My No. PGIM/EX/3/CCA (15)
Postgraduate Institute of Medicine,
160, Norris Canal Road,
Colombo 7.
01st April 2015

To : Director/NHSL,
Directors of Teaching/General Hospitals,
Regional Directors of Health Services,
Deans of Faculties of Medicine/Medical Sciences,
Universities of Peradeniya/Colombo/Jaffna/Ruhuna/Kelaniya/
Sri Jayewardenepura,

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCE IN ANAESTHESIOLOGY EXAMINATION –
JUNE, 2015**

The above examination will be held on **1st June, 2015.**

1. Applications are invited by me from medical officers possessing the following minimum requirements to sit the above examination.

- (a) successful completion of the MD (Anaesthesiology) Part IA ; and
- (b) completed a minimum of five (5) years experience in Anaesthesiology by the date of closure of applications, ie. **30th April 2015.**

Note :-

The 5 years of experience should be certified as satisfactory by the Consultant Anaesthetist-in-Charge of training of the candidate or by the Administrator of the hospital concerned.

2. The prescribed fees for the examination for candidates are as follows:-

- (a) Registration - Rs. 4,000.00 (non refundable)
- (b) Entry to Examination - Rs. 15,500.00

3. The examination shall consist of Essay Paper and Viva. The content areas from which the questions are based on is described in the prospectus and relevant documents available at the PGIM.

4. The Candidates will have to obtain a minimum (60%) marks in the essay paper and a minimum (60%) marks in the viva to pass the examination.

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5. Eligible candidates should obtain the prescribed application forms from the Examinations Branch, Postgraduate Institute of Medicine on payment of Rs.1,000/-. Requests for application and other details by post should accompany a SASE 9” x 4” in size and a money order for Rs.1,000/- drawn in favour of Postgraduate Institute of Medicine and payable at the Cinnamon Garden Post Office, Colombo 7. The envelope should be marked **“Certificate of Competence in Anaesthesiology”** at the top left hand corner. The application form also could be downloaded from our website <http://pgim.cmb.ac.lk> on payment of Rs. 1000/=.

6. Completed applications with **every cage duly filled** should be forwarded through the Head of Department, confirming that the applicants if selected would be released for postgraduate training in the PGIM. The applications should reach the Assistant Registrar/Examinations, Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, 160, Norris Canal Road, Colombo 7 on or before **30th April 2015**. **Incomplete applications and late applications will not be considered under any circumstances.**

7. The results will be valid and official only after they are approved by the **Senate of the University of Colombo.**

8. The candidates will be issued an **“Examination Feedback Form”** with the admission documents and this should be sent back to Director/PGIM under confidential cover **within 48 hours after conclusion of the examination.** If the form is not received it will be assumed that you do not have any concerns regarding the examination and it was conducted according to the Prospectus/rules/regulations of the PGIM. **No complaints or concerns regarding the examination will be entertained after 48 hours of conclusion of the examination or following release of results nor will these be investigated by the PGIM.**

9. Please bring the contents of the Circular Letter to the notice of all medical officers concerned in your department/division/faculty.

10. **Please note that there shall be no repeat examination for the year 2015**

Professor H. Janaka de Silva
Director, PGIM

- c.c. 1. Secretary, Ministry of Healthcare & Nutrition.
2. Director General of Health Services.
3. Registrar, Sri Lanka Medical Council
4. Secretary of Board of Study in Anaesthesiology.
5. Hony. Secretary, Sri Lanka College of Anaesthesiologists.
6. Hony. Secretary, GMOA.
7. PGIM Library
8. PGIM Branch Library, Peradeniya.