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To: Director/NHSL, Colombo,
Directors/MSS 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/Rajarata

**SELECTION EXAMINATION IN MD MEDICINE AND GERIATRIC MEDICINE –
April, 2018**

1. The above examination is scheduled to commence on **26th April, 2018**.
2. Applications are invited from medical officers in the state sector, non-state sectors, universities and armed forces possessing the following requirements to sit the Selection Examination in MD Medicine and MD Geriatric Medicine.
 - (a) A medical degree registered with the Sri Lanka Medical Council ;
 - (b) Satisfactory completion of internship acceptable to the Sri Lanka Medical Council ;
 - (c) Satisfactory completion of one year of post internship in medical practice in a University / Public Sector Institution / Private Sector Institution in Sri Lanka acceptable to the PGIM as at the date of closure of applications.
 - (d) Have six (6) months of experience in general medicine as an intern house officer, and/or six (6) months of experience as a full-time medical officer after internship (consecutively or in total), with both in-ward and out - patient care, with first-on-call commitments, under the supervision of a full-time specialist, in general medicine or in cardiology, clinical oncology, dermatology, gastroenterology, nephrology, neurology, respiratory medicine, or rheumatology **(a letter certified by the relevant consultant should be sent along with the application)**.
 - (e) Produce a letter (medical certificate) from a **specialist physician** to confirm general mental and physical fitness.
 - (f) Comply with any other PGIM regulations.

Notes:

- (i) the criteria prescribed in paragraph (c) has to be satisfied by the applicants by the date of closure of applications. Where a short- fall has occurred due to any reasons including sick, maternity or other leave, the doctor concerned should complete such shortfall in order to become eligible to apply for the Selection Examination.
- (ii) foreign nationals who seek registration in respect of selection examinations should possess a medical degree registrable with the Sri Lanka Medical Council.

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