

My No. PGIM/EX/10/MD/Oph (18)
Postgraduate Institute of Medicine,
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Colombo 7.
10th August 2018

To : Director/NHSL,
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,
Director/Eye Hospital, Colombo.
Heads of Eye Units, General/Teaching Hospitals,
Kandy/Peradeniya/Jaffna/Galle

MD (OPHTHALMOLOGY) EXAMINATION – OCTOBER 2018

1. The above examination will commence on **Tuesday, 23rd October 2018.**
2. Applications are invited by me from medical officers possessing the following requirements to sit the above examination.
 - (a) Successful completion of the 2 years Registrar training period of clinical appointments in Ophthalmology in an approved institution after successful completion of Ophthalmic Basic Sciences examination.
 - (b) Successful completion of MD (Ophthalmology) Optics & Refraction examination.
 - (c) Satisfactory progress reports acceptable to the BOS
 - (d) Satisfactory Peer Team Ratings acceptable to the BOS
 - (e) A duly completed Pre MD training Portfolio which is accepted by the BOS
 - (f) Successful completion of Continuous Assessments.
3. The examination consist of 3 sections as follows: -
 - I. Theory – this section consists of 2 components
 - i. MCQ Paper – 2 hours
 - ii. Structured Essay Questions – 3 hours
 - II. Clinicals in Ophthalmology - this section consists of 2 components
 - i. Clinicals in Anterior Segment – 30 minutes
 - ii. Clinicals in Posterior Segment – 30 minutes
 - III. Clinico – Orals - this section consists of 3 components
 - i. Clinicals in Neurology & Medicine in relation to Ophthalmology – 30 minutes
 - ii. Viva voce examination – Ophthalmic Medicine/Ophthalmic Surgery – 20 minutes
 - iii. This section consists of 2 sub components
 - a. Viva voce examination – Basic Sciences in relation to Ophthalmology– 20 minutes
 - b. Viva voce examination – Ophthalmic Pathology – 20 minutes

