



**INFORMATION BROCHURE for  
Post Doctoral Advance Fellowship (PDAF) / Post  
Doctoral Certificate Course (PDCC) / Senior  
Demonstrator (SD) / Medical Physics Resident (MPR) /  
Statistical Fellow (SF); Beginning from April -2025**



**Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences  
Lucknow, India**

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<b>IMPORTANT DATES AT A GLANCE</b>	
Date for uploading of information brochure and commencement of online registration of applications	10.03.2025
Filling of the application form will start on	13.03.2025
Written examination (Part A & B)	<b>15.04.2025</b>
Provisional Result to appear on Institute's website on or after	16.04.2025
Last date for appeal for review of result	
Final Result to appear on Institute's website on or after	23.04.2025
Counselling of the Successful eligible candidates after securing minimum marks in Result	28.04.2025
Appointment / Admission letter to be issued through email	29.04.2025
Joining of selected candidates will be started	30.04.2025

## **AN OVERVIEW**

Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences has been established under the State Legislature Act in 1983. It was created by the state of Uttar Pradesh as a Centre of excellence for providing medical care, education, and research of the highest order. The institute is situated in a 550 acres campus at Raebareli Road, 15 km from the main city. Lucknow is located about 500 km east of New Delhi and is the capital of Uttar Pradesh. It is rated among the top medical institutions in the country. A highly skilled and dedicated faculty provides quality education and state-of-the-art patient care and is involved in research that strives to meet the needs of society. The Institute awards DM, MCh, MD and MS degrees that are recognized by the National Medical Commission of India. It also offers a PhD program, a 2-year Master in Hospital Administration program (approved by the University Grant Commission) and one-year Post-Doctoral Certificate Courses (PDCC), One-year Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) & two years Post-Doctoral Advance Fellowship (PDAF) courses in different medical specialties. In addition, the Institute offers several non-degree/non-certificate training positions, such as Senior Resident (hospital services) and Junior Resident (Non-academic) positions in several medical specialties, a Senior Demonstrator program in Molecular Medicine & Biotechnology, Statistical Fellows in Biostatistics and Health Informatics and a Medical Physics Resident program in Radiotherapy.

**ENTRANCE EXAMINATION/ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS**

<b>Department</b>	<b>Speciality</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Essential Qualification (must be recognized by the MCI/NMC/DCI/ AICT/UGC as appropriate)</b>
<b>Post Doctoral Advance Fellowship (PDAF)</b>			
Anaesthesia	Cardio-vascular & Thoracic Anaesthesia	PDAF	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Anaesthesia	Intensive Care Medicine	PDAF	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Anaesthesia	Neuro Anaesthesia & Neuro Critical Care	PDAF	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Anaesthesia	Organ Transplant Anaesthesia	PDAF	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Anaesthesia	Pain & Palliative Care Medicine	PDAF	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery	Pediatric CVTS	PDAF	MCh/DNB (Cardiothoracic & Vascular Surgery)
Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery	Minimal Invasive Cardiac Surgery	PDAF	MCh/DNB (Cardiothoracic & Vascular Surgery)
Neurosurgery (Under "Neuro-otology")	Neuro-otology	PDAF	MS/DNB (ENT/Oto Rhino laryngology)
<b>Post Doctoral Certificate Course (PDCC)</b>			
Anaesthesia	Pediatric Anaesthesia	PDCC	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Anaesthesia	Trauma Anaesthesia and Intensive care	PDCC	MD/DNB (Anaesthesiology)
Clinical Immunology	Pediatric Clinical Immunology and Rheumatology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Critical Care Medicine	Pediatric Critical Care Medicine	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Critical Care Medicine	Critical Care Medicine	PDCC	MD/DNB (Anaesthesia/ Internal medicine/Pulmonary)

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Emergency Medicine	Resuscitative Emergency Medicine	PDCC	MD/MS/DNB (Anesthesiology/ Emergency Medicine/ General Surgery / Internal medicine/Orthopedics/ Respiratory/Pulmonary medicine)
Endocrine Surgery	Breast Surgery	PDCC	MS/DNB (General Surgery)
Endocrinology	Pediatric Endocrinology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Endocrinology	Diabetes	PDCC	MD/DNB (General Medicine / Internal Medicine)
Hematology	Pediatric Hematology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Hematology	Hemato-Oncology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics/Medicine)
Hematology	Hemato-Pathology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pathology)
Hospital Administration	Patient Safety including Infection Control	PDCC	MD/DNB (Hospital Administration/Microbiology/ Any Broad Specialty)
Maternal & Reproductive Health	Maternal & Fetal Medicine	PDCC	MD/MS/DNB (Obstetrics& Gynecology)
Medical Genetics	Clinical molecular genetics and Genomics	PDCC	MD/MS/DNB (Pathology/ Microbiology/Biochemistry/Laboratory Haematology/Laboratory medicine/anatomy or any other laboratory-based subject)
Microbiology	Infectious Diseases	PDCC	MD/DNB (Microbiology/ General Medicine)
Neonatology	Neonatology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Nuclear Medicine	Correlative Imaging,	PDCC	MD/DNB (Nuclear Medicine)
Nuclear Medicine	Radionuclide Therapy.	PDCC	MD/DNB (Nuclear Medicine)
Ophthalmology	Neuro-Ophthalmology	PDCC	MS/MD/DNB (Ophthalmology)
Orthopedics (ATC)	Pelvis-Hip and Knee Injury	PDCC	MS/DNB (Orthopedics)
Pathology	Renal Pathology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pathology)
Pathology	Hepato Pathology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pathology)

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Pediatric Gastroenterology	Pediatric Gastroenterology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Pediatrics)
Pulmonary medicine	Sleep Medicine	PDCC	MD/DNB (General Medicine / Tuberculosis/ Respiratory/Pulmonary medicine/ Pediatrics)
Radio-diagnosis	Gastro-radiology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Radiology or Radio-diagnosis)
Radio-diagnosis	Neuro- radiology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Radiology or Radio-diagnosis)
Radio-diagnosis	Vascular Radiology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Radiology or Radio-diagnosis)
Radiotherapy	Advance technique in Radiation Oncology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Radiotherapy)
Radiotherapy	Palliative Oncology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Radiotherapy)
Transfusion Medicine	Apheresis Technology and Blood Component Therapy	PDCC	MD/DNB (Immuno-hematology and Blood Transfusion/ Transfusion Medicine)
Transfusion Medicine	Immuno-Hematology	PDCC	MD/DNB (Immuno-hematology and Blood Transfusion/ Transfusion Medicine)
Biostatistics and Health Informatics	Biostatistics and Health Informatics	Statistical Fellow	M.Stat / M.Sc. in Statistics / Biostatistics / Applied Statistics. OR Master of computer application (MCA) with mathematics and Statistics at Graduate level. Degree must be recognized by the UGC/AICTE at time of application, MCI Recognition is not applicable)
Molecular Medicine and Biotechnology	Molecular Medicine and Biotechnology	Senior Demonstrator	M.Sc (any branch of Science) followed by Ph.D in subject related to Health Sciences from a recognized university. Degree must be recognized by the UGC/AICTE at time of application, MCI Recognition is not applicable

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Radiotherapy	Medical Physics	Medical Physics Resident	M.Sc in Medical Physics / Physics from a recognized University, followed by Postgraduate Diploma in Radiological Physics from BARC, Mumbai or equivalent qualification recommended by AERB, Mumbai. (MCI Recognition is not applicable)
NOTE: - Post Doctoral Advance Fellowship/ Post Doctoral Certificate Course/ Senior Demonstrator/ Medical Physics Resident / Statistical Fellow can be posted in anywhere in SGPGIMS.			

### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

#### **Nationality**

Only Indian nationals are eligible.

#### **Essential Educational Qualifications**

Candidates must possess, as on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2025, a requisite qualification **RECOGNISED** by the National Medical Commission of India (except for degrees not covered by Medical Council of India / National Medical Commission of India, where the degrees must be recognized by the respective bodies that approve the qualifying courses). Postgraduate degrees from Departments / Institutions to which MCI/NMC recognition has not been formally granted (for example: under consideration) will not be considered and candidature of applicants with such degrees may be rejected at any stage (including after admission if this fact comes to notice at that stage).

#### **Age**

The upper age limit for eligibility of PDCC / PDAF / Medical Physics Resident/ Senior demonstrator/ Statistical Fellows is 45 years. Age relaxation to a maximum of 5 years may be given to SC/ST/OBC candidates having domicile of Uttar Pradesh, and to widowed / divorced / legally separated women who have not re-married, and to disabled/handicapped persons, as per Government rules.

## **Reservation**

For Medical Physics Resident/ Senior demonstrator/ Statistical Fellows, reservation will apply as per UP Government rules. Only candidates having domicile of Uttar Pradesh will be eligible for the benefit of reservation. Reserved category candidates having domicile other than Uttar Pradesh will be treated as Unreserved category candidates for all purposes.

Reserved category candidates should produce certificate of their category in the prescribed format available on website hosted by the State Government. The certificate should be less than 6 months old.

There is no reservation in PDCC and PDAF Courses.

## **Sponsored Candidates**

Admission to various courses is open for candidates sponsored by Central/State Government organizations, universities, or defense services, subject to the following conditions.

- a) The sponsored candidate will not be given relaxation in method of selection, duration of course, practical training, pattern of examination and payment of prescribed fee, etc. except relaxation in age as per rules.
- b) SGPGI will not pay the sponsored candidates any salary, stipend, or any other emoluments during the entire training period.
- c) The candidate should provide a certificate from the sponsoring authority that:
  - a. The candidate is a permanent employee of the sponsoring organization.
  - b. He / She will be granted leave for 2 years/ 1 year in case of PDAF/PDCC programs.
  - c. The candidates, after completing the course, will be suitably employed by the sponsoring organization to work in the specialty in which the training is provided.
  - d. The sponsoring authority shall be responsible for payment of salary or any other emoluments to the candidate during the period of training.
- d) A sponsorship certificate should be attached to the application form, failing which the sponsorship will not be entertained.

## **Application fee**

Rs 1000, payable by Net Banking, Debit / Credit card or through a computer-generated challan form in any branch of State Bank of India through "State Bank Collect". Additional bank transaction charges may apply. The application fee is not refundable either in full or in part under any circumstances.

## **Option for PDAF/PDCC:**

Admission to PDAF (Post Doctoral Advance Fellow) and PDCC (Post Doctoral Certificate course) will be on a merit basis as per availability of the specialty courses. The department of Anesthesiology, in which PDAF and PDCC both courses are available with same question paper and qualification, the candidates have the option to select either PDAF or PDCC subject to as per their order of merit.

## **Opportunity for Senior Resident (Hospital services):**

Successful candidates who could not get admission in PDCC/PDAF but secured the minimum passing marks for Senior Resident Hospital Services (minimum 45% marks, relaxation of 5%



marks for SC/ST candidates) may be offered Senior Resident (Hospital Services) within 6 months from the date of counselling.

Similarly, after completion of the PDCC/PDAF, in case candidates are willing to continue in the institute as Senior Resident (Hospital Services), such candidates may be offered an appointment for one year (For PDAF/PDCC) and extendable up to maximum period of another one year (For PDCC only).

Candidates from Department of Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery, whose PDAF entry level requisite qualification is MCh/DNB (Super-specialty), will not be eligible to receive an additional offer for the post of Senior Resident (Hospital Services) after completion of PDAF.

A candidate can get a maximum of three years appointment as Senior Resident Hospital Services (Including the period of PDCC/PDAF and Senior Resident Hospital Services at SGPGI or any other institute) after obtaining their MD/MS/DNB degree. The above offer may be given to the willing eligible candidates, subject to proper recommendations from the Head of the department concerned and available seats in the applicable category.

## **METHOD OF SELECTION**

The Entrance Examination will be of total 100 marks (Part –A, 60 Questions, 60 Marks & Part–B, 20 Questions, 40 Marks).

An objective-type, examination of **180 MINUTES** duration, consisting of multiple-choice questions. Each question will have five options, and each option should be marked as TRUE or FALSE. The candidate should select the correct answer from the given options in the questions.

**Part A:** For each correctly marked response, 0.2 marks will be awarded. For each incorrectly marked response, 0.05 marks (25% negative marking) will be deducted. No marks will be awarded if a response is not marked.

**Part B:** For each correctly marked response, 0.4 marks will be awarded. For each incorrectly marked response, 0.1 marks (25% negative marking) will be deducted. No marks will be awarded if a response is not marked.

In case of tie, In the event of two candidates securing identical total marks, the candidate with higher marks in Part B will be ranked higher and if marks in Part B are also identical then the older candidate will be ranked higher.

## **Qualifying marks**

Candidates are required to obtain following minimum marks to qualify the test / Examination:

Examination component	PDAF/PDCC candidates	Medical Physics Resident, Senior Demonstrator, Statistical Fellows	
		General / OBC	SC/ST
Part A (60 Questions, 60 Marks)	50%	45%	40%
Part A + B (80 Questions, 100 marks)	50%	45%	40%

### **Selection Process for the Qualifying Candidates:**

1. For the course / programs are being advertised, all the eligible qualified candidates need to be present in person in the COUNSELLING CENTER on the scheduled date and time at least one hour before the start of the process. During the counselling, all the candidates those get final selection need to undergo the document verification (original documents along with one set of photocopies) and deposit the fee immediately. After this, these candidates shall get a provisional appointment letter. Such selected candidates need to join the respected course within 7 days from the date of issuing the appointment letter, failing which the seat will be awarded to the next candidate. After the 7 days, another round of the counselling may be done for the vacant / unfilled seats where all other candidates (only those not selected in the first round of the counselling) to be allowed to participate. The candidates once offered (the appointment/admission letter) for the course must join the course in the stipulated time and such offered candidates will not be allowed to change or upgrade the course / program in any situation. If any seat is to be vacated in future, then that seat will be given to the next eligible candidate on the basis of merit as per rules.
2. In PDCC courses (Pediatric Clinical Immunology & Rheumatology, Pediatric Critical Care Medicine, Pediatric Endocrinology, Pediatric Hematology, Neonatology, and Pediatric Gastroenterology), the educational qualification of the candidate is MD/DNB (Pediatrics). In these courses,

Part A question paper is the same for all the above courses whereas the question paper of Part B is different for each of the above courses (department specific). In above courses, eligible candidate who has secured the minimum qualifying marks and was eligible for select the respective course/programme and attended the counselling but could not get a seat in that respective course due to unavailability of the seat as per the order of merit, such candidate can request to allocate a seat in the other courses (where seats are vacant after counselling) for which the qualification and other eligibility criteria are same. In such a case, the candidate concerned may make a written request to the Head of the Department concerned (where seat is vacant after counselling and no candidate is available/reported for that vacant seat) to permit him/her to choose a seat in the course/programme of that Department. However, such a request may be accepted or rejected by the concerned-Head of the Department where the seat is vacant. After obtaining the recommendation of the Head of Department concerned, and subject to approval from the Competent authority of the Institute, appointment / admission letter to be issued. In case more than one candidate is recommended for the same post, by the head of the department concerned, or in case of any conflict, the candidates having a higher percentage (basis of Part A) will come first in order of merit and will be given preference.

### **3. STEPS AFTER SELECTION**

#### **Medical examination**

No candidate will be permitted to join a course unless declared medically fit by the Medical Board constituted by the Institute for the purpose. The decision of the Board shall be final. Withholding information about current or past illness / treatment if discovered at a subsequent stage may result in appropriate disciplinary action that may include termination of appointment at any stage.

## Joining

If a candidate fails to join the PDAF/PDCC Courses/ Senior Demonstrator / Statistical Fellow / Medical Physics Resident (MPR) by the date stipulated in the appointment /selection letter, the offer shall automatically stand cancelled, and the seat will be offered to candidates in the waiting list in order of merit.

## Duties and responsibilities

Students admitted to PDAF/PDCC courses shall simultaneously work as Senior Residents. They will be required to perform such work as may be assigned to them and is necessary in the interest of patient care, teaching, training, research and in emergency services as and when required. Similarly Medical Physics Resident (MPR)/ Statistical Fellows / Senior Demonstrator will also be required to perform such work as may be assigned to them and is necessary in the interest of patient care, teaching, training, research and in emergency services as and when required. All can be posted anywhere in SGPGIMS by the competent authority.

## Duration of appointment

All Medical Physics Resident (MPR)/ Statistical Fellows / Senior Demonstrator are appointed for a maximum period of 3 years subject to renewal after a satisfactory performance report from their departments at the end of every year whereas The appointment for the PDCC course is for one year & for PDAF is for two years. If a PDAF/PDCC student takes extra-ordinary leave or maternity leave for more than 3 months, the tenure of training will be extended by another six months and examination will be delayed as per the Institute rules in force from time to time.

## Salary:

The salary of PDAF/PDCC course candidates will be equivalent to first year Senior Resident. Statistical Fellows are paid salary of Rs.37,000/ PM during his/her first- and second-year term, whereas for the third year the salary of Rs.42,000/ PM & other allowances as per rules during his/her term. Senior Demonstrator are paid salary of Rs.56,100/-PM (Level-10) exclusive NPA and other allowances, as per the Institute rules. Medical Physics Resident shall be paid salary of a Rs. 35400 Level-6 per month and other allowances as per Institute rules.

## Hostel accommodation:

All PDAF, PDCC, Medical Physics Residents, Senior Demonstrator and Statistical Fellows are required to reside in the campus. They are provided semi-furnished hostel as per the rules and policy of the Institute subject to availability.

## Leave entitlement for PDAF/PDCC/ Medical Physics Resident / Senior Demonstrator/ Statistical Fellows:

The following leave is permissible

1	Casual Leave:	8 days in a complete calendar year
2	Restricted Holidays	2 days
3	Earned Leave:	30 days per year
4	Maternity Leave	Up to 180 days to women residents / candidates (for up to first 2 children)

5	Paternity Leave	Up to 15 days to men residents / candidates (for up to first 2 children)
6	Medical Leave:	10 days

## FEES

Fee structure (in Indian Rupees):

### (A) Senior Demonstrator / Statistical Fellows / Medical Physics Resident.

Particulars	1st year	2nd Year	3rd Year
Course Fees	12,000	12,000	12,000
Caution Money (Refundable)	20,000	-	-
Medical Subscription Fees	1,800	1,800	1,800
Library fees	500	500	500

### (B) PDAF/PDCC Courses

	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> year (for PDAF only)
Admission Fees	5,000	-
Course Fees	45,000	45,000
Examination Fees	2,500	-
Enrolment Fees	500	-
Degree / Diploma Certificate Fees	300	-
Migration Certificate Fees	300	-
Caution Money (Refundable)	20,000	-
Medical Subscription Fees	1,800	1,800
Library Fees	500	500

### Leaving the course of PDAF/PDCC/Senior Demonstrator/Statistical Fellows/ Medical Physics Resident Program:

As per rules applicable to senior residents.

## MISCELLANEOUS INSTRUCTIONS

- The date, time and venue of the examination will be provided on the admit card.
- No TA/DA shall be paid for appearing in the entrance examination or for joining.
- The number of seats/posts indicated in the advertisement for various programs is provisional and subject to change without prior notice.
- Any attempt on the part of a candidate to suppress facts, to provide false information or to influence selection directly or indirectly will be treated as a disqualification. If evidence of this surfaces after selection, the services may be terminated and admission cancelled, even at that stage.

- Each selected candidate shall have to pay the fee/dues within the prescribed period, failing which his/her admission/appointment shall be cancelled.
- The selected candidates shall need to have present original documents (medical registration, date of birth certificate, certificates of educational qualification, experience and relieving and good conduct certificate from the University/Institution last attended) for inspection and verification by the Institute authorities and submit a self-attested copy of each at the time of joining.
- The training programs are full-time and continuous, and private practice in any form after joining the Institute is strictly prohibited. Any violation of this may lead to termination of appointment and cancellation of admission.
- Those who work in departments where there is potential for radiation exposure, shall be compulsorily required to abide by the rules of the Institutes radiation safety cell, (in conformity with the Atomic Energy Regulatory Board guidelines).
- The candidates admitted in the Institute shall maintain good conduct, attend their classes regularly and abide by the regulations/guidelines of the Institute failing which their names are liable to be struck off the rolls of the Institute.
- Participation in any agitation, protest, strike, etc. is prohibited. Candidates not abiding with these provisions are liable to be terminated.
- Ragging is strictly prohibited. If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the student concerned shall be given liberty to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/her from the Institute.
- No intimation to non-selected candidates will be sent and no correspondence on this subject will be entertained.
- These rules are subject to change in accordance with the decisions of the Institute, taken from time to time.
- The decisions taken by the Director of the Institute in all matters related to the selection of candidates for admission to various courses shall be final and no appeal shall be entertained on this subject.

### **Force majeure**

If the entrance examination is postponed or cancelled (in part or in full) due to any reason whatsoever beyond the control of the organizers (viz. elements of nature, force majeure or orders/directives issued by any competent government authority), the institute shall not be responsible for any loss or injury sustained by the candidates directly or indirectly.

### **Disclaimer**

The contents of the brochure are for information and guidance only, and not valid for any legal purpose. Although every precaution has been taken, the Institute accepts no responsibility for any printing errors.

### **Disputes**

All legal disputes are subject to the jurisdiction of judicature at Lucknow only.

**IMPORTANT :** For the advertised posts, candidates are required to submit their application form through online mode only, on or before the last date of application. There is no need to submit the filled application form by post or any other medium.