

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS PAKISTAN

MCPS EXAMINATION

EXAMINATION GUIDELINES

FOR CANDIDATES APPEARING IN PAKISTAN AND ABOARD

WARNING

CANDIDATES FOUND GUILTY OF MISCONDUCT OR USE OF UNFAIR MEANS DURING THE EXAMINATION ARE LIABLE TO BE DEBARRED FOR ANY SPECIFIED PERIOD.

1. EXAMINATION DETAILS

MCPS Theory examinations (conventional) in following subject is conducted in different shifts at Pakistan and abroad.

1.1 FORMAT OF THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS OF MCPS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

CONVENTIONAL EXAMINATION	PAPER PATTERN	DURATION OF EXAM
Anaesthesiology, Diagnostic Radiology, Family Medicine, Obstetrics & Gynae, Ophthalmology, Otorhinolaryngology, , Paediatrics, Periodontology, Prosthodontics, Surgery	Paper-I: 10 SAQs Paper-II: 100 MCQs	Paper-I: 3 hours Paper-II: 3 hours
Clinical Pathology, Community Medicine, Dermatology, Family Dentistry, Forensics Medicine, Operative Dentistry, Oral Surgery, Orthodontics, Periodontology, Prosthodontics, Psychiatry & Pulmonology.	Paper-I: 10 SAQs Paper-II: 10 SAQs	Paper-I: 3 hours Paper-II: 3 hours

2. RESULTS OF EXAMINATION

2.1 After processing of theory papers, all candidates who are found eligible for Oral/Clinical Examination, would be informed about the schedule of such examination. The Result shall also be displayed on CPSP Website.

2.2 Provisional result of Clinical examination will be declared on the same day after completion of Clinical Examination.

3. MCPS CLINICAL EXAMINATIONS ARE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED WITHIN 3-4 WEEKS AFTER THE THEORY EXAM.

4. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS (PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY AND FOLLOW STRICTLY)

4.1 Candidates will not be allowed entry in examination hall if he/she is late by more than 15 minutes of the start of examination.

4.2 Candidates are allowed to leave examination hall after 1 ½ hours of examination.

4.3 Candidates are not permitted to bring into the examination hall any printed material, hand written notes, photo copies, blank papers, reference material or even examination guidelines, seating plan, the envelope.

4.4 Candidates are not permitted to bring Calculators, smart watches, mobile phones, any communication devices or other electronic devices. No telephone message can be sent/received during examination timings. Upon reasonable suspicion of possessing any such material which could be helpful in solving the paper in the

examination will not only be confiscated but the candidate would be liable for disciplinary action including exclusion from the examination/and further attempts.

- 4.5 Candidates are not allowed to wear Ear Plugs during the examination.
- 4.6 All personal belongings such as hand bags, books etc should not be brought inside the examination hall. CPSP is not responsible for any loss.
- 4.7 Admit Cards should be displayed around the neck during the entire time of examination.
- 4.8 Consultations/communication in the Hall, Corridors or Washrooms is strictly prohibited. Even looking in the direction of other candidates' screen/examination material shall be construed as evidence of copying or attempting to copy and reported as irregular behaviour.
- 4.9 Smoking is strictly prohibited in the examination area.
- 4.10 Candidates are required to maintain strict silence in the Examination Hall. If anything is required, attention of the invigilator may be drawn by raising hand and the invigilator will take care of his/her needs.
- 4.11 Seating arrangements can be changed at the discretion of Controller/Chief Invigilator of Examination.
- 4.12 Candidates are not allowed to leave the hall unescorted for washroom which shall not be used until 1 1/2 hrs after the commencement of Paper and 30 minutes before the completion of paper. Anybody using the facility during permissible time shall enter his/her Roll No. time in/out in a Register kept for the purpose. **STAY IN THE WASH ROOM BEYOND REASONABLE TIME WILL BE CONSTRUED AS USE OF UNFAIR MEANS AND YOU WILL BE LIABLE FOR ACTION AS PER COLLEGE RULES.**
- 4.13 Candidates are not allowed to ask any questions about question papers from the section invigilator.

5. **ANSWER BOOKS, STATIONERY, ETC (FOR CONVENTIONAL SAQs)**

- 5.1 Candidates should note that each answer book has pages which are considered enough for answering one question, no extra sheets are allowed.
- 5.2 Do not write your roll number on places other than designated place to avoid being liable for disciplinary action.
- 5.3 The candidates shall answer each question on a separate answer book, writing only on the ruled sides of the sheets.
- 5.4 The candidates must ensure that the Roll No. & Question No. is written on each answer book.
- 5.5 All answer books should be tagged together before handing them over to the invigilator.
- 5.6 Candidates shall bring their own pen, pencils and erasers, etc. for answering SAQs.
- 5.7 It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that relevant question paper has been received by him/her. In case of any discrepancy, it is the responsibility of the candidate to inform the invigilator immediately and obtain the correct paper.

NOTE

The candidates should note that any infringement of the Examination discipline will call for disciplinary action which may include debarring from the examination for a period as the College may decide.

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