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Instruction Manual – ELECTIVES – 2022 BATCH

- One month is designated for elective rotations after completion of the examination at end of the third MBBS Part I and before commencement of third MBBS Part II.
- It is mandatory for learners to do an elective. The elective time should not be used to make up for missed clinical postings, shortage of attendance or other purposes.
- The learner shall rotate through two elective blocks of 02 weeks each.
- Block 1 shall be done in a pre-selected preclinical or para-clinical or other basic sciences laboratory OR under a researcher in an ongoing research project. During the electives, regular clinical postings shall continue.
- Block 2 shall be done in a clinical department (including specialties, super specialties, ICUs, blood bank and casualty) from a list of electives developed and available in the institution OR as a supervised learning experience at a rural or urban community clinic.
- Institutions will pre-determine the number and nature of electives, names of the supervisors, and the number of learners in each elective based on the local conditions, available resources and faculty.
- The learner must submit a learning log book based on both blocks of the elective. 75% attendance in the electives and submission of log book maintained during elective postings is required for eligibility to appear in the final MBBS examination.
- Students have to fill **12** different options in order of their preference for Block 1. **(Date: 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026 to 1st February 2026)**
- Students have to fill **19** different options in order of their preference for Block 2. **(Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026 to 15<sup>th</sup> February 2026)**
- The link for the google form <https://forms.gle/PZX1SFf3dkaGvekK8>

Objectives of elective postings are to provide the learner with opportunities:

1. For diverse learning experiences,
2. To do research/community projects that will stimulate enquiry, self-directed, experiential learning and lateral thinking.

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