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**TRAINING OF BROAD SPECIALITY POST GRADUATE
STUDENTS IN SUPER-SPECIALITY DEPARTMENTS**

Postgraduate Medical Education Training is based on the principle of affording as much exposure as possible to all the related specialities/streams that form a part of their parent speciality discipline. Students undergoing PG training in broad specialities, therefore, must be exposed to related super-specialities and or even other broad specialities. Hence, it is imperative, for example, that the MS Surgery students should rotate through Pediatric Surgery, Neuro-Surgery, Urology etc.; the students of MD(Medicine) should rotate through Cardiology, Neurology, Endocrinology etc.; and, likewise, the students of MD(Pediatrics) should rotate through Neonatology etc. The same principle applies to all other broad specialities.

Hence the medical colleges/institutions are hereby directed that PG medical students in all broad specialities must be rotated through all the related super-specialities, as well as the related broad speciality subjects, if they exist in the respective institution. In case such departments do not exist in the same institution, it would be desirable that they may have an MoU with co-located teaching institutions with such specialities to enhance the range, quality and skills of the PG trainees.

It is further directed that teachers/faculty in super-speciality departments should be actively engaged in teaching and training of PG students in the respective Broad Speciality.

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