TIMES MEDICAL

MEDICAL INSTITUTES Ranking

TOP 1-50 MEDICAL INSTITUTES (1) All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi (2) Christian Medical College, Vellore (3) Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi (4) Armed Forces Medical College, Pune (5) Grant Medical College, Mumbai (6) Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Puducherry (7) St. Johns Medical College, Bangalore (8) Kasturba Medical College, Manipal (9) University College of Medical Sciences & GTB Hospital, New Delhi (10) Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU, Varansi (11) Chhatrapati Shahuji Maharaj Medical University, Lucknow (12) Christian Medical College, Ludhiana (13) Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Institute, Chennai (14) Madras Medical College, Chennai (15) Seth GS Medical College, Mumbai (16) Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad (17) B J Medical College, Ahmedabad (18) B. J. Govt. Medical College, Pune (19) Bangalore Medical College and Research Institute, Bangalore (20) Medical College, Kolkata (21) Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh (22) Stanley Medical College, Chennai (23) Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore (24) Baroda Medical College, Baroda (25) M S Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore (26) Government Medical College, Surat (27) Amrita School of Medicine, Elamkara, Kochi (28) SRM Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Kancheepuram (29) M G M Medical College, Indore (30) SMS Medical College, Jaipur (31) Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad (32) Lokmanya Tilak Municipal Medical College, Sion, Mumbai (33) Patna Medical College, Patna (34) Government Medical College, Chandigarh (35) Vardhman Mahavir Medical College & Safdarjung Hospital, Delhi (36) Sardar Patel Medical College, Bikaner (37) Army College of Medical Sciences, New Delhi (38) Government Medical College, Nagpur (39) RG Kar Medical College, Kolkata (40) Topiwala National Medical College, Mumbai (41) Calcutta National Medical College, Kolkata (42) Andhra Medical College, Visakhapatnam (43) Era Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow (44) SCB Medical College, Cuttack Padmashree Dr. D.Y.Patil Medical College, Navi Mumbai (45) (46) JSS Medical College, Mysore (47) Government Medical College, Mysore Dr BR Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore (48) (49) Dr. D Y Patil Medical College, Kolhapur

i3RC TIMES MEDICAL COLLEGE RANKING SURVEY 2015 METHODOLOGY

he objective of this research was to arrive at a list of top medical colleges in India. The study had two major modules i.e. Perceptual Rating Survey & Factual Survey

In the first module, a strucutred questionnaire was administered among selected respondents to arrive at a ranking & rating of medical colleges in India. The initial list had around 390 medical colleges, however each respondent was asked to give ratings for only those colleges that he/she was aware, considering them as best colleges at national and their zonal level – 10 each colleges respectively to avoid investigation fatigue to ensure quality data.

A sample survey of 1500 was conducted in select cities – Class A (Delhi-NCR, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Bangalore, Hyderabad and Ahmed abad) and Class B (Chandigarh, Pune, Indore, Jaipur, Lucknow, Bhubaneswar and Patna). A geographical spread of the sample was ensured by selecting multiple starting points spread across the city. There were two main respondent

categories who were interviewed to evaluate an medical colleges, those who had the experience of such Colleges (Experiential) and those who were Module 2 searching, aspiring for Perceptual medical and evaluating these colleges (Percepetual). The respondent categories included:

Survey

Experiential

Alumni/ Young doctors (Those who have done MBBS in last 3 years (Currently doing Post graduation at a hospital or doing a junior resident job or doing private practice as a GP)

 Faculties of medical colleges Those who are teaching at medical college for 3 years or more

• HR/ personnel department executives

covered in Perceptual Rating Hospital Administration/HR at Corporate Hospitals /Person-

Perceptual

nel department

A perception questionnaire was administered to respondents. The same also checked for awareness scores. Respondents were allowed to respond for those medical colleges only which were

MODULE 2

known to them. Respondents were provided a list of parameters to evaluate the medical college & rate on a scale of 1-10 where 1 was poor & 10 was excellent. The list of parameters to be covered in the survev was arrived at based on past survevs as well as discussions with experts from the medical education fra-

PERCEPTUAL SURVEY

Module 1 Desk Research

Analysis

&

Final Ranking

ternity-faculty, HR/personnel depart-

The following key parameters were

Innovation & research facili-

Module 3 Factual Data

Collection

gression model to arrive at the importance of various parameters

 Calculation of raw scores and weighted scores for each parameter

lege: Establishment, College type,

Courses offered & number of

• Infrastructure/ research & in-

Exchange programs & global

Alumni chapter – National & In-

A robust approach was followed to

• Ratings on various

college

parameters for each

Calculating im-

portance of vari-

ous parameters

to arrive at

weights for

each parameter

– we used a re-

arrive at the final rankings. The step by

Perceptual Score

Faculty/ Intellectual capital

Affiliation etc.

Selection criteria

novation facilities

CME/ Seminars

Potential to network

FINAL RANKING OF

MEDICAL COLLEGE

step process is given below:

Placement

exposure

ternational

ANALYSIS

seats

 Calculation of overall score for each college using importance weightages.

Factual Score

• The information collected corresponded to similar parameters as in the perceptual survey

• A detailed scoring system was developed for each parameter

• After assigning scores to each parameter, raw scores were calculated

The raw scores were weighted by their importance to arrive at weighted scores

The final college score was cal-

Govt plans exit exam for MBBS doctors



he health ministry is planning an exit exam for MBBS students passing out of government as well as private medical colleges. The move comes in the wake of concerns over the quality of doctors being produced in the country

Initially, the government intends to create a separate 'all-India chapter' for doctors qualifying the exit exam. Doctors currently get themselves registered with the state chapter of Medical Council of India (MCI) and have to get their registration transferred if they intend to practice in another state. Those clearing the exit exam will be able to practice anywhere in the country.

Eventually, students not passing the exit exam could even be held back from post-graduate studies, an official source privy to the developments told TOI.

The draft proposal prepared by the ministry suggests using the existing Foreign Medical Graduate Examination (FMGE) as a voluntary exit exam. FMGE, a screening test recognized by the MCI, was introduced in 2002 as a qualifying examination for Indian students holding medical degrees from other countries and intending to practice medicine in India.

The health ministry is now considering using MGE "Initially, we are planning to start with an incentivizing system. Those who qualify this exam will be incentivized with a national registration number under MCI, allowing them to practice anywhere in the country," the official said. The move will also enable the government to use the exit exam result for ranking colleges Government data shows a huge disparity between the average pass marks in government and private colleges, as well as in different states. For instance, the result of All India Post-Graduate Medical Entrance Examination 2015 showed Andhra Pradesh had an average pass percentage of 84.92%, Chandigarh had 73.56% while West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh had 53.58% and 51.56%, respectively. The pass percentage in Assam, Jammu & Kashmir and in foreign institutes was even lower at 46.38%, 37.84% and 31.41%, respectively. Similarly, AIPGMEE 2014 results showed that based on 50% score as minimum qualifying criteria, 22,802 candidates from government institutions passed the exam, compared to a mere 8,862 candidates from private colleges. From foreign institutions, only 1,188 passed. "How students fare in all-India PG exams is also an indicator of the quality of doctors being produced," the official said. The government is also of the view that while there is a need to ramp up capacity for post-graduate doctors to have more specialists, data showed that there was an urgent requirement to monitor the quality of MBBS doctors entering practice. Data showed that each year, about 100,000 doctors took post-graduate medical examinations across the country. However, only around 25,000 made it and the rest were available for service as MBBS doctors. Estimates show that nearly 100,000 MBBS doctors are available for active service at any given time.

TOP 25 PRIVATE MEDICAL INSTITUTES

(50) A J Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Mangalore

- (1) Christian Medical College, Vellore
- St. Johns Medical College, Bangalore (2)
- (3) Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
- (4) Christian Medical College, Ludhiana
- Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Institute, Chennai
- Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore (6
- (7) M S Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore
- (8) Amrita School of Medicine, Elamkara, Kochi
- SRM Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Kancheepuram (9)
- (10) Army College of Medical Sciences, New Delhi
- (11) Era Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow
- (12) Padmashree Dr. D.Y.Patil Medical College, Navi Mumbai
- (13) JSS Medical College, Mysore
- (14) Dr BR Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore
- (15) Dr. D Y Patil Medical College, Kolhapur
- (16) A J Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Mangalore
- Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Wardha (17)
- (18) National Institute of Medical Science & Research, Jaipur
- (19) Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad
- (20) Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Hospital, Jaipur
- (21) Kesarsal Medical College & Research Institute, Ahmedabad
- (22) Narayana Medical College. Nellore
- (23) NRI Medical College, Guntur
- (24) KJ Somaiyya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai
- Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences, Bhubaneswar

- Current students studying MBBS in a medical college
- Students aspiring to take admission in a medical college Parents of students aspiring for admission in a medical college

An extensive 6 week field work was conducted beginning the 2nd week of April 2015

MODULE 1

SHORTLISTING OF **ELIGIBLE MEDICAL COLLEGES**

The module 1 was a secondary research module. A comprehensive list of medical colleges was generated with the help of internet, magazines, etc. The various sources used for generation of medical college list included:

- Colleges/colleges that offers at least MBBS courses
- MCI approved list of colleges Medical Colleges whose MCI approval status is currently active.

Infrastructure Placement

ties

ment. etc.

- Academic Excellence
- Value for Money

Course Curriculum

Global Exposure

Overall Brand Legacy

As mentioned above 6 different stakeholders were taken into consideration for the national perceptual survey viz. Faculty, HR/ personnel departments executives, Alumni, Parents of aspiring students, Students aspiring for MBBS course.

The questionnaire was so designed that both experiential & perceptual target respondents were exposed to the same parameters - this ensured that the scores of different stakeholders could be correlated and collated to arrive at a single final score.

MODULE 3

FACTUAL DATA COLLECTION

Around 390 medical colleges were sent the factual data questionnaire and then rigorously followed up telephonically.

The factual data sheet was focused on the following information areas: General information of the col-

Note: Present survey has been conducted by an independent Research Agency named i3 Research Consultants using stated methodology for arriving at given rankings.

culated as in the perception survev

The final score for an medical college was an average of Perception Score and Factual Score equal weightage was given to both

Some caveats/assumptions:

 Only those colleges for which we received more than 30 responses, were included in the ranking

 Best efforts were made to reach every college; however any college that did not send complete "Fact-Sheet" within the allotted time was assigned an average Factual score for calculating their overall ranking

Any college which got established after the year 2008 was not considered for overall ranking; however they were considered within category "emerging medical colleges"

Any college which expressly stated that it did not wish to participate in the survey was excluded from the survey.

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