

National Board of Examinations

New Delhi

(CPD - Section)

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Public Notice

Subject: Formative Assessment Test for all DNB/FNB trainees-Regarding

National Board of Examinations conducts Formative Assessment Test for all DNB/FNB trainee on an annual basis as per the below prescribed scheme:

Course	FAT conducted by NBE	FAT conducted by institute/ hospital in the form of Internal Appraisal
Broad Speciality Courses	In 2 nd year of DNB training	In 1 st & 3 rd year of DNB training
Super Speciality Courses	In 2 nd year of DNB training	In 1 st & 3 rd year of DNB training
Post Diploma Courses	In 1 st year of DNB training	In 2 nd year of DNB training
Fellowship Courses	In 1 st year of DNB training	In 2 nd year of DNB training
Direct 6 years Courses	In 2 nd & 4 th year of DNB training	In 1 st , 3 rd & 5 th year of DNB training

- Kindly note that appearance in FAT shall be made mandatory as one of the eligibility criteria for appearing in DNB/FNB Final exit examinations as per the below prescribed scheme:

Course	Number of FATs mandatory
Broad Speciality Courses	Two
Super Speciality Courses	Two
Post Diploma Courses	One
Fellowship Courses	One
Direct 6 years Courses	Three

- Kindly note that the annual appraisal fees submitted by the candidates as a part of their annual training charges shall not be refunded to them in case of non-appearance in the internal appraisal conducted by their institute/ hospital.
- Any exemption from FATs shall have to be informed by the accredited institute/hospital to NBE prior to the conduct of FAT with all relevant supporting documents. The exemption from FAT shall be decided by the NBE on merit of the case.
- The compulsory participations in FATs shall apply to the candidates, who join in or after July 2019 admission session.

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