



# ELECTION COMMISSION, I.M.A. HEADQUARTERS

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IMA/EC/2026/11

22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2026

To,  
The members of the Central Council (Regular member, Ex-Officio Members, Office Bearers and members of the Central Working Committee), whose names have been received at IMA (HQs.) from various branches on or before 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026

## Sub: Notification for the elections of 2026-2027 & 2027-2028

Dear Sir/Madam,

Nominations are invited from amongst the Central Council members / CWC Members for the following posts. The nominations duly filled as per enclosed proforma (Prescribed Nomination form is enclosed as Annexure III) must reach the office of the Election Commission positively by speed post/ registered post/ courier/ hand delivery or any other mode on or before 5.00 p.m. on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2026.

Nominations received after 5.00 p.m. on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2026 due to postage delay or any reason will be treated as invalid.

The relevant portions of the Constitution/Memorandum/Rules/Bye-laws etc. of IMA HQs & its wings are annexed herewith as Annexure I.

- a. (1) **National President Elect** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
(2) **National President Elect** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]
- b. (1) **Five National Vice Presidents Elect** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
-Four National Vice Presidents Elect from rest of the country  
-One National Vice President Elect from North East State Arunachal Pradesh  
(2) **Five National Vice Presidents Elect** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]  
-Four National Vice Presidents Elect from rest of the country  
-One National Vice President Elect from North East State Assam
- c. (1) **Dean-IMA CGP** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
(2) **Dean-IMA CGP** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]
- d. (1) **Chairman-IMA AMS** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
(2) **Chairman-IMA AMS** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]
- e. (1) **Honorary Director-IMA Dr. AKN Sinha Institute** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
(2) **Honorary Director-IMA Dr. AKN Sinha Institute** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]
- f. (1) **Honorary Editor-JIMA** for the Year **2026-2027** [ one year term ]  
(2) **Honorary Editor-JIMA** for the Year **2027-2028** [ one year term ]
- g. **Other Office Bearers** as per printed list enclosed (**2026-2028**) [ two years term ]

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**Note 1:** If needed, Nomination form can be downloaded from the IMA HQs. Website: [www.ima-india.org](http://www.ima-india.org) or IMA Election Commission Website: [www.imaec.org](http://www.imaec.org)



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## G. Other Office Bearers (Term-Two years) (2026-2028) NO. OF POST(S)

### IMA HEADQUARTERS (NEW DELHI)

1. Hony. Secretary General One
2. Hony. Joint Secretaries Four
  - Two posts for NCR
  - One post from rest of the country and
  - One post from the North East State Tripura
3. Hony. Jt. Secretary stationed at Kolkata One  
(to look after IMA Bldg at Kolkata) (from Kolkata)
4. Hony. Asstt. Secretaries Three
  - One post from NCR and one Post from rest of the country
  - One post stationed at Kolkata as Hony. Asst. Secretary, JIMA
5. Hony. Finance Secretary –for IMA HQs., stationed at New Delhi One
6. Hony. Joint Finance Secretaries Two
  - One post from Kolkata and one post from rest of the country

### JIMA (Kolkata)

1. Hony. Associate Editors, JIMA Two
2. Hony. Secretary, JIMA One

### Your Health (Kolkata)

1. Hony. Editor, Your Health One
2. Hony. Associate Editors, Your Health Two  
(one post from Kolkata one post from rest of the country)
3. Hony. Secretary, Your Health One

### Apka Swasthya (Varanasi)

1. Hony. Editor, Apka Swasthya (from **Varanasi**) One
2. Hony. Associate Editors, Apka Swasthya Two  
(one post from Varanasi one post from rest of the country)
3. Hony. Secretary, Apka Swasthya One

### IMA College of General Practitioners (Chennai)

1. Vice Dean, IMA CGP One
2. Hony. Secretary, IMA CGP (from Tamilnadu) One
3. Hony. Joint Secretaries, IMA CGP Six  
(Two from Tamil Nadu and Four from Other States)

### IMA AMS (Hyderabad)

1. Vice-Chairman, IMA AMS One
2. Hony. Secretary, IMA AMS (from Telangana) One
3. Hony. Joint Secretaries, IMA AMS Two  
(one post from Telangana one post from rest of the country)
4. Hony. Editor, IMA AMS One
5. Hony. Executive Editor, IMA AMS One



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## **IMA Dr. AKN Sinha Institute (Patna)**

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| 1. Hony. Executive Secretary, IMA AKNSI (from Bihar)   | One |
| 2. Hony. Joint Secretaries, IMA AKNSI<br>(one post from Bihar one post from rest of the country) | Two |

## **IMA Hospital Board of India (Mumbai)**

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| 1. Chairman, IMA HBI                           | One |
| 2. Hony. Secretary, IMA HBI (from Maharashtra) | One |
| 3. Hony. Treasurer, IMA HBI (from Maharashtra) | One |

## **Important Information/ Instructions/ Key Requirements/ Criteria/ Important Notes/ Election Calender etc.:**

### **1. Application Fee payable with nomination form:**

The Nomination Paper should be accompanied by Non-refundable Application Fees of Rs. 10,000/- for the post of National President Elect: Rs. 5,000/- for the posts of National Vice-President Elect & Hony. Secretary General and Rs. 3,000/- each for all other posts. All payments will be received in the Election Commission office through bank demand draft/ pay order only made in favour of “Indian Medical Association” payable at New Delhi. No Cash/ cheque to be accepted.

Nomination Paper and Demand draft/pay order should be sent in a sealed envelope marked as “NOMINATION PAPER” to the Election Commission office so as to reach the office on or before 5.00 pm on 31st July, 2026.

### **2. Consent/ Nomination Fee payable after scrutiny along with Consent:**

Any member desiring to contest must inform the Election Commission about his/her consent in writing on printed letter head along with a nomination fee (Non-refundable) of Rs.2 lacs for the post of National President Elect & Honorary Secretary General, Rs. 1 lac for the posts of National Vice-President Elect and Rs.50,000/- each for all other posts or convey his/her withdrawal on or before 31st of August, 2026. Non receipt of any communication / nomination fee shall be interpreted as withdrawal of the candidate. (Only Demand Draft/ Pay Order in favour of “Indian Medical Association” Payable at New Delhi. No cash/cheque to be accepted).

### **3. Eligibility and Disqualification:**

#### (a) For National President and National Vice Presidents

1. Must be a Life Member of IMA for atleast 10 years
2. Should have held an office at either State or Branch or IMA Headquarters level.
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA



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(b) For Hony. Secretary General/ Hony. Finance Secretary/Dean, IMACGP/ Chairman, IMA-AMS and Hony. Editor, JIMA

1. Must be a Life Member of IMA for 10 years
2. Should have held an office at either State or Branch or IMA Headquarters level.
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA

(c) For Chairman/Secretary/Treasurer of HBI

1. Must be a life member of IMA.
2. Should represent Hospitals with affiliation to HBI.
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA.

(d) For All Other Posts

1. Must be a life member of IMA, with atleast 10 years of membership of IMA
2. Must have held the office at either Branch or State level or at IMA Headquarters
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA

(e) All office bearers of the Association will hold office for one particular post for a maximum of one term of two years (except National President-Elect and National Vice Presidents, Dean, IMA CGP, Chairman, IMA AMS, Director, IMA AKN Sinha Institute and Editor, Journal of IMA who shall be elected for one term of one year).

(f) No member of IMA in receipt of a salary from the funds of the Association shall be entitled to be an office bearer of the Association.

(g) One Candidate cannot contest/consent for more than one post.

(h) All the office Bearers of IMA CGP to be elected, must be the Life Members of IMA CGP.

(i) All the office Bearers of IMA AMS to be elected, must be the Life Members of IMA AMS.

(j) The Chairman, Hony. Secretary, Hony. Treasurer of IMA HBI should represent hospital with affiliation to HBI.

#### 4. Ground on which nomination shall be treated as Invalid

- i) Only members of the Central Council of IMA are entitled to Propose and Second a nominee.
- ii) The Nomination Paper should be accompanied by Non-refundable Application Fees of Rs. 10,000/- for the post of National President Elect.; Rs. 5,000/- for the posts of National Vice-President Elect & Hony. Secretary General and Rs.3,000/- each for all other posts through bank Demand draft/pay order only made in favour of Indian Medical Association payable at New Delhi. No cash/cheque to be accepted.
- iii) Nomination Paper and Demand draft/pay order should be sent in a sealed envelope marked as “NOMINATION PAPER” to the Election Commission office so as to reach the office on or before 5.00 pm on 31st July, 2026.
- iv) Nomination received after 5.00 pm on 31st July, 2026 due to postage delay or any reason will be treated as invalid.
- v) Please note that the Demand draft/pay order should be issued in the name of either Proposer or Seconder.
- vi) The Nomination form should contain Demand draft/pay order only. No other document should be attached to the Nomination Form. The envelope must contain only one nomination form and Demand draft/pay order. If more than one nomination form is submitted in the same envelope with a single Demand draft/pay order, all such nomination forms shall be treated as invalid.



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- vii) Overwriting, Cross-outs, use of whitener and any alterations in filled form will not be allowed.
- viii) All communication, whenever required, will be sent to the email id OR Full address with pin code provided in the Nomination form. The Applicant shall be responsible for any consequences arising from an incorrect email id OR Full address with pin code provided in the nomination form. Please take note that full postal address with pincode should be written in Nomination form by applicant so as per bye-law 43(c)(a) valid Nominee/Candidate can be informed by registered post as per address of candidate mentioned by applicant in Nomination form.
- ix) Before filling the nomination form, applicants are advised to carefully read and understand the Constitutional Provisions, Memorandum/ Rules/ Bye-laws of the Indian Medical Association and its wings enclosed with the Election Notification as Annexure I. Any deviation from or non-compliance with the Constitutional Provisions, Memorandum/ Rules/ Bye-laws of the Indian Medical Association and its wings may result in the nomination form being declared invalid.
- x) Name of the Post, Year, and Post Code to be filled in strictly as per Annexure II. Write the name of post strictly as mentioned in Column no. two of Annexure II.
- xi) Any information, membership particulars, statements, or declarations furnished by an applicant are found to be incorrect, false, untrue, misleading, misrepresenting, incomplete, or concealed, nomination form will be treated as invalid.
- xii) Any incomplete nomination form will be considered as invalid.

5. In case, you require any other information/ objection/ complaint regarding the elections, please feel free to write to the Election Commission on Election Commission's official email id: [imaelections@imaec.org](mailto:imaelections@imaec.org).

## 6. IMA Local Branches in NCR:

State/UT	NCR as defined by Government	IMA Local Branches
Delhi	National Capital Territory of Delhi	Delhi North Zone, Dwarka, East Delhi, Janakpuri, Karol Bagh, Lady Hardinge Sadar Paharganj, New Delhi, Outer West, Rohini, South Delhi, Westtown and Central Delhi
Haryana	Bhiwani, Jhajjar, Charkhi Dadri, Faridabad, Gurgaon, Jind, Karnal, Mahendragarh, Nuh, Palwal, Panipat, Rewari, Rohtak and Sonipat	Bhiwani, Bahadurgarh, Charkhi Dadri, Faridabad, Gurgaon, Jind, Karnal, Mahendragarh, Nuh, Palwal, Panipat, Rewari, Rohtak City, Rohtak Medical College and Sonipat
Rajasthan	Alwar and Bharatpur	Alwar and Bharatpur
Uttar Pradesh	Baghpat, Bulandshahr, Gautam Buddh Nagar, Ghaziabad, Hapur Meerut, Muzaffarnagar, Shamli, Khurja and Modinagar	Bulandshahr, Greater Noida, Ghaziabad, West Ghaziabad, Hapur, Meerut, Muzaffarnagar, Muzaffarnagar City, Shamli, Noida, Khurja and Modinagar

Any further changes/expansion of NCR by Government or addition of IMA Branches in the above areas will be reflected accordingly from time to time.



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## 7. Election Calender of IMA Elections of 2026-2027 & 2027-2028

Sr. No	Event	By/ Date/ Deadline
1	Invites nominations from amongst the Central Council Members/CWC members on or before (Issue of notification)	1 <sup>st</sup> July, 2026
2	Last date for receiving the nomination	31 <sup>st</sup> July, 2026- 5:00 P.M.
3	Scrutiny of Valid nominations and informing the candidates by Regd post (Scrutiny/ intimation of valid nomination)	14 <sup>th</sup> August, 2026
4	Submission of consent alongwith necessary remittance for election OR Last date of withdrawal	31 <sup>st</sup> August, 2026- 5:00 P.M.
5	Dispatch of ballot papers latest by	15 <sup>th</sup> September, 2026
6	Last date of receipt of duly filled in Ballot Papers	31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2026 5:00 P.M.
7	Counting date to be decided by Election Commission and candidates to be informed at least 2 weeks in advance.	

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**NB: PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS OF IMA HQS ELECTION COMMISSION OFFICE AS ABOVE.**

Encl: Annexure I, II & Nomination Form as Annexure III.



### Constitutional Provisions

#### **Bye Law 43: Election of Office Bearers**

##### **A. ELECTORAL COLLEGE**

The Electoral College for all posts of IMA (HQs.) and all its wings shall be the members of the Central Council (Regular member, Ex-Officio Members, Office Bearers and members of the Central Working Committee), whose names have been received at IMA(HQs.) from various branches on or before 31<sup>st</sup> March in the year the elections are to be held (vide Rule 20-A).

##### **B. TERM**

The term of office bearer like National President-Elect, National Vice Presidents, Dean of IMA CGP, Chairman, IMA AMS, Director, IMA AKN Sinha Instt., Editor, Journal of IMA shall be one year. Two sets of such office bearers shall be elected every alternate year for the specific year.

The term of all other office bearers like Hony. Secretary General, Hony. Finance Secretary, Hony. Joint Secretaries, Hony. Joint Finance Secretary, Hony. Asstt. Secretaries of IMA HQs. and Hony. Secretaries and Hony. Joint Secretaries of various wings shall be of two years and the election shall be held every alternate year.

##### **C. SCHEDULE OF ELECTION**

###### **a. Notification**

Election Commission shall follow the election schedule as under:- (In the year -Elections are held)

Invites nominations from amongst the Central Council Members/CWC members on or before (Notification) –	1 <sup>st</sup> July
Last date for receiving the nomination	31 <sup>st</sup> July- 5 PM
Scrutiny of Valid nominations and informing the candidates by Regd post	14 <sup>th</sup> August
Submission of consent alongwith necessary remittance for election OR Last date of withdrawal (Note-1)	31 <sup>st</sup> August – 5 PM
Dispatch of ballot papers latest by (Note - 2)	15 <sup>th</sup> September
Last date of receipt of duly filled in Ballot Papers	31 <sup>st</sup> October, 5 PM
In case the 31st October is a Gazetted/Postal Holiday then 5 PM of the next working day shall be the valid time to receive the ballots.	

Counting date to be decided by Election Commission and candidates to be informed at least 2 weeks in advance.

**Note 1:** Any member desiring to contest must inform the Election Commission about his/her consent in writing on printed letter head along with a nomination fee (**Non-refundable**) of Rs.2 lacs for the post of National President Elect & Honorary Secretary General, Rs. 1 lac for the posts of National Vice-President and Rs.50,000/- each for all other posts or convey his/her withdrawal on or before 31<sup>st</sup> of August. Non receipt of any communication / nomination fee shall be interpreted as withdrawal of the candidate. (**Only Demand Draft/ Pay Order in favour of Indian Medical Association payable at New Delhi. No cash/cheque to be accepted**)

**Note 2:** The envelope containing one big envelope, three smaller envelopes and three sets of Ballot papers alongwith the instruction sheet duly issued by the Election Commission shall be posted to all the members of the Electoral College - The number printed on the envelop shall be entered in the master list of Electoral College - which shall be used for UPC or other modes (Registered Post/Speed Post) by the Post Office of dispatch.

**Note 3:** In the event of non-receipt of Ballot papers by the member Electoral College the written request for duplicate ballot shall be entertained by the Election Commission on or after the 5<sup>th</sup> October and up to 25<sup>th</sup> October only Once the request for the duplicate ballots is received and the duplicate ballot is sent; the original ballot shall be automatically invalidated.

**D. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR VARIOUS POSTS**

For National President and National Vice Presidents

1. Must be a Life Member of IMA for atleast 10 years
2. Should have held an office at either State or Branch or IMA Headquarters level.
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA

For Hony. Secretary General/ Hony. Finance Secretary/Dean, IMACGP/ Chairman, IMA-AMS and Hony. Editor, JIMA

1. Must be a Life Member of IMA for 10 years
2. Should have held an office at either State or Branch or IMA Headquarters level.
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For Chairman/Secretary/Treasurer of HBI

1. Must be a life member of IMA.
2. Should represent Hospitals with affiliation to HBI.
3. Should have no outstanding dues in IMA.

For All Other Posts

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2. Must have held the office at either Branch or State level or at IMA Headquarters
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**E. ELECTION PROCEDURE**

1. Election Commission shall get the ballot papers printed indicating the name of (a) post (b) the year for which the election are held (c) the ballot paper shall be signed by at least two members (of the Election Commission or their nominee).
2. The ballot papers should not be numbered.
3. Three plain envelopes shall be printed without number for containing ballot papers in it (with adequate information printed on it including the year of election). One for two sets of ballot papers for the post of National President Elect, National Vice-Presidents and one for Dean-IMACGP, Chairman-IMAAMS, Hony. Editor-JIMA and Director-IMA AKN Sinha Institute and the third one for all Other Office Bearers.
4. One bigger envelope shall be printed (duly numbered) with self-address of Election Commission and details of sender including signature on the same.
5. All the above envelopes along with the ballot papers and the instruction sheet shall be placed in a bigger envelope and shall be dispatched to the members of Electoral College by UPC/ Registered Post/Speed Post as per the scheduled date by the Election Commission.
6. The detailed instructions for casting vote year wise putting them in respective small & bigger envelop and filling up the outer cover with signature etc. needs to be mailed to each Central Council / Central Working Committee member. It should be made clear that after casting the votes the outer envelope should be sent by registered post/speed post/courier.
7. The Ballot papers shall be received in the Office of Election Commission and the same shall be entered in a separate register date wise maintained for this purpose only and put all the envelopes in a bigger envelope and seal the same and kept in the almirah/box provided for this purpose.
8. On the last date of receipt of ballot papers, the Election Commission shall place and seal all the ballot papers alongwith a summary thereof and authenticated statement of receipt of ballots in a steel box duly sealed to be kept in his safe custody alongwith the list of Electoral College which has been used for posting of ballot paper.
9. While sealing this box the candidate or his observer shall be permitted to be present there.

**F. COUNTING OF VOTES**

1. The Election Commission shall decide the date of counting which shall be communicated to all the candidates two weeks in advance.
2. The scrutinizers shall be appointed by the Election Commission for the purpose of counting. The counting shall be held under the overall supervision of the Election Commission.
3. The counting shall be carried out at IMA house, New Delhi and the procedure for the same shall be announced by the Chief Election Commissioner there and then along with his report.
4. The candidate will be allowed to observe the counting or he may depute an IMA member to be his observer in case he is not attending the counting. (information of the same has to be provided to the Election Commission well in time.)
5. Neither any candidate nor any observer shall be permitted to handle any ballot paper.
6. During the counting any objection from any candidate or his observer will be considered by the Election Commission and will be disposed off there and then.

**G. CRITERIA FOR INVALIDATION**

- (a) Outer Envelope
  - (i) Received after the last date.
  - (ii) Received in any envelop other than the prescribed envelop supplied by Election Commission.
  - (iii) Received by ordinary post or by hand.
  - (iv) Name, address and signature of Central Council members/CWC member not there.
- (b) Inner Envelope
  - (i) If Inner Envelop is other than the supplied one.
  - (ii) Any mark of identification.
- (c) Invalidation of Ballot Paper
  - (i) Any signature/mark of identification on ballot paper.
  - (ii) If number of votes cast are more than the votes asked for.
  - (iii) Any cutting or over writing.

**H. PROCESS OF COUNTING OF VOTES**

- i) All valid inner envelop shall be opened and the set of ballot papers be separated and put the respective ballot paper in separate basket.
- ii) Bundles of 50 ballots paper to be prepared.
- iii) Counting for each post to be conducted by a separate group of scrutinizers.
- iv) Invalid ballot papers duly signed by the scrutinizer with reason to be kept separately and the Election Commission to be informed about the same and handed over separately.
- v) Total of vote received by each candidate to be compiled and handed over to the Election Commission duly signed by the scrutinizers

Result to be compiled by the Election Commission.

At the end of the counting the Chief Election Commissioner will compile a summary of invalid votes and shall announce the result on the same day and issue the necessary letter to all the successful candidates.

**I. MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT**

Model Code of Conduct shall be applicable on all IMA members from the date of Notification.

Broadly no personal slandering or demeaning campaign is allowed against any candidate or any leader of IMA. Further, Election Commission shall issue necessary guidelines which shall be binding as Model Code of Conduct.

Any violation of Model Code of Conduct will be viewed seriously and violator is liable to Disciplinary Action against him/her including Disqualification of his/her membership.



Your kind attention is drawn towards the following Memorandum/ Rules/ Bye-Laws of IMA and its Wings:

Term of Office Bearers:

Rule :30-A. All office bearers of the Association will hold office for one particular post for a maximum of one term of two years (except National President-Elect and National Vice Presidents, Dean, IMA CGP, Chairman, IMA AMS, Director, IMA AKN Sinha Institute and Editor, Journal of IMA who shall be elected for one term of one year).

Note-1: No member of IMA in receipt of a salary from the funds of the Association shall be entitled to be an office bearer of the Association or a member of the Working Committee.

Note-2: One Candidate cannot contest/consent for more than one post (as passed and approved by the 230<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Central Working Committee and ratified by the 84<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Central Council held on December 26-28, 2023 at Kovalam, Kerala).

Constitution of IMA CGP: College Office Bearers: (8) Elected Members:

Rule: 8(b). All the office Bearers of IMA CGP. State Faculties and Sub-Faculties to be elected, must be the Life Members of IMA CGP

Constitution of IMA AMS: XI. Academy Office Bearers

Rule: 3. Eligibility: Only Life members of the Academy shall be eligible to hold any office of the academy or to be a member of the governing council of any of the Committee of the Academy. This rule shall, however, not apply to those who serve as Ex-Officio.

Constitution of IMA HBI: Office Bearers

Rule 6. ....The Chairman, Secretary, Finance Secretary.....should represent hospitals with affiliation to HBI.....

## ELECTION COMMISSION OF IMA HQs.

### MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE GUIDANCE OF CANDIDATES, VOTERS AND ALL IMA MEMBERS

These Guidelines are issued in terms of the mandate incorporated under Bye-Laws 43 (I) of Indian Medical Association Hq and shall be operative from the date of the Notification of IMA Elections till the completion of the process of the election.

#### 1. General Guidelines

- a. These Guidelines shall be called as 'Model Code of Conduct (MCC).
- b. These Guidelines titled Model Code of Conduct (MCC) shall be applicable to all the Candidates, canvassers, Supporters, Voters and Members of IMA.
- c. No candidate shall indulge in any activity that may create mutual hatred or cause unrest among members.
- d. No personal slandering or demeaning campaign shall be permissible against any candidate or any leader of IMA.
- e. Candidates shall refrain from criticism of all aspects of private life, not connected with the public activities of the leaders, candidates, voters and members.
- f. Criticism of candidates and members on social, print, electronic media based on unverified allegations or distortion shall be prohibited.



- g. All candidates shall avoid scrupulously all the activities which amount to “corrupt practices” and electoral offences catalogued under the Representations of Peoples Act, such as bribing of voters, intimidation of voters, impersonation of voters or any other violations vitiating the electoral process.
- h. Organizing demonstrations by way of protesting against any candidate shall be strictly prohibited. Candidates shall ensure that they or their supporters do not create obstructions of any type in any manner in the election process.
- i. Campaigning based on Caste, Colour, Creed, Gender, Religion, Faith, Belief, Region including geographic location shall be strictly prohibited.

## 2. **On the Day of Counting**

- a. All candidates shall co-operate with the office bearers/scrutinizers on election duty to ensure peaceful and orderly process.
- b. All candidates and/or their authorized representatives as observers shall wear and display their identity cards provided by IMA Election Commission.
- c. All candidates shall ensure that unnecessary crowd is not collected near the election office.

## 3. **Violation of MCC**

- a. Any violation of Model Code of Conduct shall be viewed scrupulously and violator shall be liable to such Disciplinary Action against him/her as warranted including Disqualification of his/her candidature and/or IMA life membership as per the laid down procedure in the governing constitution.
- b. Decision of the Election Commission shall be final, binding and conclusive in deciding the cases of violation of Model Code of Conduct and no appeal shall rest against the same.



## IMA Elections of 2026-2027 & 2027-2028 List of Post & Post code

Sr. No	Name of the Post	Post Code	For the Year	No of Post
1	National President Elect	01	2026-2027	01
2	National President Elect	02	2027-2028	01
3	National Vice President Elect (From rest of the country)	03	2026-2027	04
4	National Vice President Elect (From North East State Arunachal Pradesh)	04	2026-2027	01
5	National Vice President Elect (From rest of the country)	05	2027-2028	04
6	National Vice President Elect (From North East State Assam)	06	2027-2028	01
7	Dean-IMA CGP	07	2026-2027	01
8	Dean-IMA CGP	08	2027-2028	01
9	Chairman-IMA AMS	09	2026-2027	01
10	Chairman-IMA AMS	10	2027-2028	01
11	Honorary Director-IMA Dr. AKN Sinha Institute	11	2026-2027	01
12	Honorary Director-IMA Dr. AKN Sinha Institute	12	2027-2028	01
13	Honorary Editor-JIMA	13	2026-2027	01
14	Honorary Editor-JIMA	14	2027-2028	01

15	Hony. Secretary General (IMA HQs.)	15	2026-2028	01
16	Hony. Joint Secretary (IMA HQs.) (For NCR)	16	2026-2028	02
17	Hony. Joint Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From rest of the country)	17	2026-2028	01
18	Hony. Joint Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From the North East State Tripura)	18	2026-2028	01
19	Hony. Jt. Secretary stationed at Kolkata (IMA HQs.) (to look after IMA Bldg at Kolkata) (from Kolkata)	19	2026-2028	01
20	Hony. Asstt. Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From NCR)	20	2026-2028	01
21	Hony. Asstt. Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From rest of the country)	21	2026-2028	01
22	Hony. Asstt. Secretary (IMA HQs.) (Stationed at Kolkata as Hony. Asst. Secretary, JIMA)	22	2026-2028	01
23	Hony. Finance Secretary (IMA HQs.) (For IMA HQs., stationed at New Delhi)	23	2026-2028	01
24	Hony. Joint Finance Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From Kolkata)	24	2026-2028	01
25	Hony. Joint Finance Secretary (IMA HQs.) (From rest of the country)	25	2026-2028	01

26	Hony. Associate Editor, JIMA	26	2026-2028	02
27	Hony. Secretary, JIMA	27	2026-2028	01
28	Hony. Editor, Your Health	28	2026-2028	01
29	Hony. Associate Editor, Your Health (From Kolkata)	29	2026-2028	01
30	Hony. Associate Editor, Your Health (From rest of the country)	30	2026-2028	01
31	Hony. Secretary, Your Health	31	2026-2028	01
32	Hony. Editor, Apka Swasthya (From Varanasi)	32	2026-2028	01
33	Hony. Associate Editor, Apka Swasthya (From Varanasi)	33	2026-2028	01
34	Hony. Associate Editor, Apka Swasthya (From rest of the country)	34	2026-2028	01
35	Hony. Secretary, Apka Swasthya	35	2026-2028	01
36	Vice Dean, IMA CGP	36	2026-2028	01
37	Hony. Secretary, IMA CGP (From Tamilnadu)	37	2026-2028	01
38	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA CGP (From Tamilnadu)	38	2026-2028	02
39	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA CGP (From Other States)	39	2026-2028	04

40	Vice-Chairman, IMA AMS	40	2026-2028	01
41	Hony. Secretary, IMA AMS (From Telangana)	41	2026-2028	01
42	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA AMS (From Telangana)	42	2026-2028	01
43	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA AMS (From rest of the country)	43	2026-2028	01
44	Hony.Editor, IMA AMS	44	2026-2028	01
45	Hony.Executive Editor, IMA AMS	45	2026-2028	01
46	Hony. Executive Secretary, IMA AKNSI (From Bihar)	46	2026-2028	01
47	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA AKNSI (From Bihar)	47	2026-2028	01
48	Hony. Joint Secretary, IMA AKNSI (From rest of the country)	48	2026-2028	01
49	Chairman, IMA HBI	49	2026-2028	01
50	Hony. Secretary, IMA HBI (from Maharashtra)	50	2026-2028	01
51	Hony. Treasurer, IMA HBI (from Maharashtra)	51	2026-2028	01
<b>Total Post:</b>				<b>63</b>



# INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

## Nomination Form

NAME OF THE POST: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR THE YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_ (2026-2027 / 2027-2028 / 2026-2028)

POSTCODE: \_\_\_\_\_

(NB: Name of the Post, Year, and Post Code to be filled in strictly as per Annexure II. Write the name of post strictly as mentioned in Column no. two of Annexure II.)

1. Name of Candidate (in BLOCK letters): \_\_\_\_\_

2. Full Address (with pin code) of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Email id of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Mobile No. of candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

5. IMA Life Membership No. of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Name of Local Branch, IMA of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name of State Branch, IMA of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Post(s) held as per eligibility criteria \_\_\_\_\_

as per Bye-Law 43(d) (See Annexure I) \_\_\_\_\_

9. IMA CGP Life Membership No. of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Only for the Posts of IMA CGP)**

IMA AMS Life membership No. of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Only for the Posts of IMA AMS)**

IMA HBI Life Affiliation/ HBI Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

**(Only for the Posts of IMA HBI)**

10. Name of the Hospital affiliated to HBI: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Only for the Posts of IMA HBI)**

### **Proposed by:**

1. Name of Proposer (in BLOCK letters): \_\_\_\_\_ (CC Member)

2. Full Address (with pin code) of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Email id of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Mobile No. of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

5. IMA Life Membership No. of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Name of Local Branch, IMA of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name of State Branch, IMA of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

**P.T.O.**

**Seconded by:**

1. Name of Seconder (in BLOCK letters): \_\_\_\_\_ (CC Member)
2. Full Address (with pin code) of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_
3. Email id of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Mobile No. of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_
5. IMA Life Membership No. of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Name of Local Branch, IMA of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Name of State Branch, IMA of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby affirm and declare that all details, information, membership particulars, statements etc furnished herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any incorrect, false, untrue, misleading, misrepresenting, incomplete, or concealed information may lead to the invalidation of the nomination form.

Signature of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Seconder: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**NB:**

1. Only members of the Central Council of IMA are entitled to Propose and Second a nominee.
2. The Nomination Paper should be accompanied by Non-refundable Application Fees of Rs. 10,000/- for the post of National President Elect.; Rs. 5,000/- for the posts of National Vice-President Elect & Hony. Secretary General and Rs.3,000/- each for all other posts through bank Demand draft/pay order only made in favour of Indian Medical Association payable at New Delhi. No cash/cheque to be accepted.
3. Nomination Paper and Demand draft/pay order should be sent in a sealed envelope marked as "NOMINATION PAPER" to the Election Commission office so as to reach the office on or before 5.00 pm on 31st July, 2026.
4. Nomination received after 5.00 pm on 31st July, 2026 due to postage delay or any reason will be treated as invalid.
5. Please note that the Demand draft/pay order should be issued in the name of either Proposer or Seconder.
6. The Nomination form should contain Demand draft/pay order only. No other document should be attached to the Nomination Form. The envelope must contain only one nomination form and Demand draft/pay order. If more than one nomination form is submitted in the same envelope with a single Demand draft/pay order, all such nomination forms shall be treated as invalid.
7. Overwriting, Cross-outs, use of whitener and any alterations in filled form will not be allowed.
8. All communication, whenever required, will be sent to the email id OR Full address with pin code provided in the Nomination form. The Applicant shall be responsible for any consequences arising from an incorrect email id OR Full address with pin code provided in the nomination form. Please take note that full postal address with pincode should be written in Nomination form by applicant so as per bye-law 43(c)(a) valid Nominee/Candidate can be informed by registered post as per address of candidate mentioned by applicant in Nomination form.
9. Before filling the nomination form, applicants are advised to carefully read and understand the Constitutional Provisions, Memorandum/ Rules/ Bye-laws of the Indian Medical Association and its wings enclosed with the Election Notification as Annexure I. Any deviation from or non-compliance with the Constitutional Provisions, Memorandum/ Rules/ Bye-laws of the Indian Medical Association and its wings may result in the nomination form being declared invalid.
10. Name of the Post, Year, and Post Code to be filled in strictly as per Annexure II. Write the name of post strictly as mentioned in Column no. two of Annexure II.
11. Any information, membership particulars, statements, or declarations furnished by an applicant are found to be incorrect, false, untrue, misleading, misrepresenting, incomplete, or concealed, nomination form will be treated as invalid.
12. Any incomplete nomination form will be considered as invalid.