

Jinnah Sindh Medical University
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Entry test for medical college admissions concludes

Around 8,000 aspirants to medical, dental and pharmaceutical colleges appeared in the Entry Test for admissions organized by the National Testing Service at the NED University in Karachi on Sunday. The admissions test results will be valid for admission to all medical institutions of Sindh province including both government and private medical colleges.

Special arrangements were made to ensure security and smooth conduct of the Test. In the interior of Sindh, some elements distributed an exam paper copying the pattern of NTS which had no similarity with the questions set in the actual Entry Test. This led to panic and anxiety among some students and parents. The regional director of NTS Syed Masoodul Hasan Rizvi stated that these rumors were baseless and no exam paper or question was leaked this morning. He stressed that the fake paper being circulated online with a new date was the last year's paper and was completely different from the question paper that was set this year.

In this regard, Professor S.M. Tariq Rafi, the Vice Chancellor of Jinnah Sindh Medical University which is looking after the centralized admissions process in Sindh this year, also spoke to media at the test venue and assured them that the test paper was handled securely and the test has progressed smoothly.

Jinnah Sindh Medical University is a public-sector university established in 2012 when the city's premier institution Sindh Medical College was given the status of a University. Since then, the University has opened four more institutes and affiliated 10 colleges. The total enrolment of medical and dental students exceeds 4,000, making it the largest medical university in Sindh. Its components are Sindh Medical College (SMC), APPNA-Institute of Public Health (AIPH), Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (IPS), Sindh Institute of Oral Health Sciences (SIOHS), and Institute of Health and Business management and Social Sciences (IOHBMSS).

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