

Annexure – I



Subject: Clinical Training and Internships with Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute

Dear Dr. Hitendra Ahooja,

This Annexure has reference to various discussions regarding collaboration between the School of Medical and Allied Science, GD Goenka University (GDGU) and Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute (AEDI) for implementing the common objective of developing well-trained and high-quality eye care professionals in India by providing clinical training for students of following Optometry programs:

1. Bachelors in Optometry
2. Masters in Optometry

These training shall be conducted as per the following terms:

- (i) The University shall refer eligible students to Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute for internships of following durations:

S.No	Internship Duration	Program
1	4-6 weeks Summer Internship	B.Optometry (4 th Sem) and M.Optometry (2 nd Sem)
2	6 months Internship (General)	B.Optometry (7-8 th sem) and M.Optometry (3 rd -4 th sem)
3	6 months Internship (Specialty)	M.Optometry (3 rd -4 th sem)
4	1 year Internship (final year)	B.Optometry (7-8 th Sem)

- (ii) The University shall endeavor and insist on its students to (i) maintain strict confidentiality of any and all information gathered by them or comes to the knowledge while at the premises of Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute and (ii) comprise by the rules and regulations prescribed by AEDI from time to time.
- (iii) The University shall develop the roster and schedule for the clinical posting, in consultation with AEDI.
- (iv) Attendance will be maintained by AEDI and shared regularly with GDGU.
- (v) GDGU's Mid-Semester and End-Semester Practical Examinations for Clinical courses will be conducted in AEDI for the interning students, with cooperation from GDGU.
- (vi) AEDI will provide internship certificates for students who complete the internship with at least 90% attendance and good conduct throughout the internship duration.
- (vii) The University and AEDI shall develop Task ownership matrix roles/responsibilities of each

party and payment mechanism.

This arrangement shall be valid for a period of 3 years from the date hereof and may be renewed on mutually agreed terms and conditions. Either party may terminate this collaboration by giving 30 (thirty) days prior written notice to the other party without assigning any reason for the same.

This letter shall be governed by the laws of India.

Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute and GD Goenka University hereby acknowledge that this letter sets forth their understanding/arrangement with respect to the aforementioned and as evidence of their acceptance Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute and the University hereby execute this letter.

For GD Goenka University:

Signature:



Name:

Dr. D. S. Parihar

Designation:

Registrar

Accepted and acknowledged by:

For and on behalf of _____ (Ahooja Eye and Dental Institute)

Signature:

Name: _____

Designation: _____