

63rd Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Hematology & Blood Transfusion

3rd - 6th November, 2022

NATIONAL HAEMATOLOGY QUIZ 2022

Indian Society of Haematology & Blood Transfusion (ISHBT) is the pioneer organization of haematologists and haemato-pathologists in India. The society's annual conference (HAEMATOCON 2022) will be held from 3rd to 6th November 2022 in Kolkata. To increase the awareness among students towards this fast-growing field, the National Haematology Quiz 2022 will be conducted during the annual conference as has been done in the past few years.

Layout of the Quiz:

The quiz will be held at the following levels:

- 🔴 College Level
- 🔴 State Level
- 🔴 Zonal Level
- 🔴 National Level

One team of 3 members per college or institute will participate in the state round. The winners (and runners-up teams *) will participate in the zonal round. The zonal winners will qualify for the national level quiz which will be held during the conference.

Eligibility: PG students (MD/DNB) in General Medicine, Pediatrics, Pathology, Transfusion Medicine, and Laboratory Medicine. The college/institute/ hospital should have a recognized post-graduate course. The participants must be a part of current post-graduate program.

Teams: Students can make a 3-member team within the same or combinations of the above-mentioned specialties. It would be ideal if a person from different specialties could form a team. However, this is optional.

Proof of eligibility: The qualifying team representing a particular college/institute participating in the state round must furnish an authorization letter to the concerned state coordinator. This must be endorsed by the academic head of the institute (Dean/ Principal/ concerned HOD) on institute/department letterhead giving the following details.

Runners-up teams *- 1. For NE states clubbed together 2. If the number of states/UT in a zone is less than 4, then the runners-up teams from states



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Quiz participant	1	2	3
Name			
PG course			
Year of registration			
Expected date of completion of course			

Timelines: The proposed tentative timelines are as follows.

- 🔴 College Level-May-June 2022
- 🔴 State Level-July-August 2022
- 🔴 Zonal Level-September 2022
- 🔴 National Level-During the conference (3rd to 6th November 2022)

The exact dates and timings and venue (for physical quiz) will be decided by the respective coordinators and will be intimated to the participant teams/ posted on the website.

Pattern of Quiz: The quiz will be held in stages and in hybrid mode. While most levels are proposed to be in physical mode, however, some levels may be held on a virtual platform depending on the feasibility and prevailing situation. The screening rounds may be written (MCQ type). The main rounds will be team-directed and round based.

The proposed tentative patterns are as follows.

- 🔴 College Level-Physical
- 🔴 State Level-Physical/Virtual
- 🔴 Zonal Level- Virtual
- 🔴 National Level-Physical



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Prizes and privileges:

State Level-

- 🔴 All state level participants will get an official ISHBT certificate of participation
- 🔴 The winners and runners up teams will get an official ISHBT merit certificate and prizes as feasible to be arranged locally.
- 🔴 Free registration for Haematocon 2022 for the winners if having an accepted abstract. This benefit can be availed by writing to the organizing secretary with approval from the state coordinator.
- 🔴 No Travel allowance at this level; colleges are requested to arrange for the participation of their teams at state level.

Zonal Level-

- 🔴 All zonal level participants will get an official ISHBT certificate of participation
- 🔴 The winners and runners up teams will get an official ISHBT merit certificate.
- 🔴 Prize money of Rs. 24,000/- for the winning team and Rs.18,000/- for the runners up team to be divided equally among all the team members.
- 🔴 Free registration for Haematocon 2022 for the winners.
- 🔴 This level is likely to be held virtually this time.

National Level-

- 🔴 All national level participants will get an official ISHBT certificate of participation
- 🔴 The winners and runners up teams will get an official ISHBT merit certificate.
- 🔴 Prize money of Rs. 36,000/- for the winning team and Rs.24,000/- for the runners up team to be divided equally among all the team members.
- 🔴 Travel allowance (2nd AC or equivalent) and stay arrangements for attending the conference.



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Quiz zones and coordinators: The following table shows the quiz zones with state/UT-wise distribution and the details of the coordinators.

Quiz zones and coordinators

National				Dr. Rakhee Kar, Puducherry			
Zone	Coordinator	States	Coordinators	Zone	Coordinator	States	Coordinators
North Zone	Dr. Prateek Bhatia, Chandigarh	Jammu and Kashmir & Ladakh	Dr. Sajad Ahmed Geelani, Srinagar	East/ North-East zone	Dr. Debmalya Bhattacharyya, Kolkata	Bihar	Dr. Avinash Singh, Patna
		Himachal Pradesh	Dr. Pooja Murgai, Shimla			Jharkhand	Dr. Kumar Saurabh, Ranchi
		Uttarakhand	Dr. Uttam Kumar Nath, Rishikesh			West Bengal	Dr. Shuvra Neel Baul, Kolkata
		Chandigarh	Dr. Praveen Sharma, Chandigarh			Odisha	Dr. Ashutosh Panigrahi, Bhubaneswar
		Punjab	Dr. Gargi Kapatia, Bathinda			North-east zone states (Sikkim, Meghalaya, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram, Tripura.	Dr. Rajkumari Banashree Devi, Imphal
		Haryana	Dr. Sudhir Kumar Atri, Rohtak				Dr. Riju Rani Deka, Tezpur



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Central zone	Dr. Mukul Aggarwal, New Delhi	Delhi	Dr. Jasmita Dass, New Delhi	South zone I	Dr. Vishrut K S, Bengaluru	Karnataka	Dr. Pradeep Kumar V, Bengaluru
		Uttar Pradesh	Dr. Shailendra Prasad Verma, Lucknow Dr. Zachariah Chowdhury, Varanasi			Andhra Pradesh	Dr. M Lakshmi Mythili, Visakhapatnam
		Rajasthan	Dr. Abhishek Purohit, Jodhpur			Telangana	Dr. AMVR Narendra, Hyderabad Dr. G. Vikram Kumar, Hyderabad
		Madhya Pradesh	Dr. Sachin Bansal, Bhopal				
		Chattisgarh	Dr. Gurmeet Singh, Bhilai				

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West zone	Dr. Amit Khurana, Surat	Gujarat	Dr.Ankit Jitani, Ahmedabad Dr. Garima Anandani, Rajkot	South zone II	Dr. Kishore Kumar Saravanan, Chennai	Kerala	Dr. Deepak Charles, Kochi
		Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Zonal Coordinator			Tamil Nadu	Dr. Karthik Bommannan, Chennai Dr. Meganathan Kannan, Thiruvapur
		Maharastra	Dr. Riya Ballikar, Nagpur Dr. Nilesh Wasekar, Nashik Dr. Prathamesh Kulkarni, Navi Mumbai			Puducherry	Dr. Prabhu Manivannan, Puducherry
		Goa	Dr. Anupama Borkar, Panaji			Andaman & Nicobar Islands and Lakshadweep	Zonal Coordinator
National Hematology Quiz (NHQ) 2022 Committee Nominees					Dr. Sharat Damodar, Bengaluru Dr. Debdatta Basu, Puducherry		

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