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To,

Registrar,

Universities conducting Physiotherapy & Occupational therapy courses in Maharashtra

Subject: Updated Guidelines for Physiotherapy & Occupational therapy examination in COVID 19 pandemic.

Reference:

1. Council letter No.OTPT /office/Notice/2054/2020 dated 03/07/2020
2. Council letter No.OTPT /office/Notice/2077/2020 dated 24/08/2020

As per the reference no. 1 & 2 this council had issued the guidelines for examination of Physiotherapy & Occupational therapy courses respectively. The COVID 19 pandemic had affected the state badly. The geographic distribution, statistic of disease is changing rapidly day by day. By observing the growing COVID 19 cases, reduced non COVID patient load, the asymptomatic carriers & safety of students as well as staff, this council has revised the guidelines for the exam.

In Physiotherapy Guidelines the clause **I(f)(2) is modified** as follows:

The long case of practical examination shall be taken on simulated cases. The short cases shall be taken as per university pattern.

In Occupational therapy Guidelines the word **online is deleted from clause 3(b) & clause 3(c) introduced.**

These modifications were approved by General Body of council in its meeting conducted on **01/09/2020**. Both the updated guidelines are attached along with this letter & same has been uploaded in announcement section of council website www.msotptcouncil.org.

All concerned are hereby informed to follow these guidelines for smooth conduction of examination. We appreciate your dedicated services in this pandemic.



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