

In Quest of Better Health Care for the Nation

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“Being doctor is about much more than prescribing medications. It is about listening, Caring and Treating with compassion empowered by wisdom”

A Nation born with the sacrifice of 3 million people now after 45 years stands at the precipice of advancement and modernization in every sector of our development. To achieve this, the greatest contribution has been through the empowerment and development of human resources in every walk of life. Medical science has made great strides and is the key factor in making a nation achieve its goals and aspiration by bringing health services to the door step of every citizen. With the goal 'Health for all' the Government of Bangladesh along with other private sector institutions are reaching out to people to address their health problems with the necessary services in curative, preventive and rehabilitation field.

Doctors, Nurses and Paramedics are the key human resources in providing medical services. Their up to date knowledge and clinical acumen along with hands on training is the bench mark to provide quality services to the patients. Keeping pace with the demand and need of the hour it is binding for all Medical Institutions both Government and Non Government to impart Quality education. In order to excel in this field good governance plays a very important role. Quality assurance in any field depends on qualified personals who will monitor and do in depth analysis about the quality of performance, taking into account especially in the case of Medical education :

- i) Infra structure
- ii) Good Teaching staffs
- iii) Strict implementation of curriculum
- iv) Facilities like libraries, tools for teaching, research, IT
- v) Regular Seminar, symposium and work shop on different subjects.

In order to create, innovate and disseminate, specialization on different sub specialties is the growing demand all over the world. Beyond graduation a medical student should always aspire to excel in the field of his liking, here again qualified, experienced and well trained medical human resources holds the key factor. In order to reap the maximum benefit from the physicians in catering to the need of the public, the state and other institutions should provide good working environment and other facilities as per existing rules. At the same time Physicians are oath bound to serve the people and the nation to the best of their capacity.

In pursuit of better health care and to achieve “Health for all” a comprehensive plan is the only way out, starting from allocation of increased budget in the health sector, development of skilled manpower both in the preventive and curative sector and availability of health services within the means of the people at all level. Last but not the least environmental issues affecting the health of the population also need to be addressed by strict Governmental action and public awareness.

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