



## **Notice for Election for various posts of IAPSM Governing Council 2026-27**

Date 01/02/2026

Dear IAPSM Life Members,

The Election Panel of IAPSM is inviting nominations for the election of the following posts of Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSM) Governing Council for 2026-27:

### **Posts for IAPSM Election:**

<b>S. No</b>	<b>Post (Fees)</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>Number of Posts</b>	<b>Eligibility</b>
1	<b>President (Elect)</b> (Rs. 3000/-)	2026-27	<b>One</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Has been a <b>life member</b> of the Association for the preceding <b>Fifteen years</b>.</li><li>• Has <b>participated in at least Five Annual National Conferences of the national IAPSM</b>.</li></ul>
2	<b>Executive Members of Governing Council</b> (Rs.1500/-)	2026-27	<b>Sixteen*</b> (02 from each zone, 01 from NE & 01 from South Central)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Minimum qualifying experience of <b>five years as life member of IAPSM</b>.</li><li>• Have <b>attended at least Three Annual Conferences of IAPSM</b>.</li><li>• Members from the respective zones will be eligible to contest from their own zones only.</li></ul>
3	<b>Editorial Board Members of IJCM</b> (Rs.1500/-)	2026-27	<b>Sixteen*</b> (02 from each zone, 01 from NE & 01 from South Central)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The voters for these contestants shall be from the same zone only.</li></ul>

**Detail duties/responsibilities for the posts and their duration are given in the constitution of IAPSM, available on official website of IAPSM [www.iapsm.org](http://www.iapsm.org)**

### **\*Detail about the various Zones of IAPSM:**

<b>Zones</b>	<b>Name of the states/UT under Zone</b>
North	Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Chandigarh, Haryana, Delhi
North Central	Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Bihar, Jharkhand
West	Rajasthan, Gujarat, Daman & Diu
East	West Bengal, Orissa
North East	Assam, Sikkim, Arunachal, Mizoram, Tripura, Manipur, Meghalaya, Nagaland,
South Central	Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh
Central	Maharashtra, Goa
South -1	Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Karnataka
South -2	Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry, Andaman & Nicobar

Candidates being proposed for post of **President (Elect)** should send non-refundable fee of **Rs. 3000/- (Three thousand only)** through online transfer and those for the post of the **Executive Member of Governing Council** or **Editorial Board Member of IJCM** should send non-refundable fee of **Rs. 1500/- (One thousand and five hundred only)** through online transfer along with the **a) duly filled nomination form and b) undertaking for abiding Code of conduct and necessary documentary proofs.**

**Nominations should reach to Chairperson, Election Panel by Scanned Copy (PDF) through e-mail by 18:00 hours of 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026 on Email Id: [iapsmelection2026@gmail.com](mailto:iapsmelection2026@gmail.com)**

**Account details and Mode of payment (non-refundable):**

- **Name of Account:** Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSM)
- **Name of Bank & address:** State Bank of India (SBI), PICUP Bhawan, Lucknow
- **Branch Code:** 15193
- **Current Bank Account No:** 38006022653
- **IFSC Code:** SBIN0015193, **MICR Code:** 380002187
- Please attach the details/proof of online transfer.



QR Code of Account

**Election Schedule (Important Dates)**

S. No	Events	Important Dates
1	Date of notification	01-02-2026
2	Last date for submission of Nomination Form	10.02.2026 up to 18:00 hours
3	Declaration of name of eligible candidates	12.02.2026
4	Last date for withdrawal of nomination*	14.02.2026 up to 18:00 hours
5	Declaration of final list of candidates	16.02.2026
5	Online Voting	19.02.2026 (08:00 hours) to 23.02.2026 (18:00 hours)
6	Result Declaration	23.02.2026 (18.00 onwards)

\* Withdrawal can be done by sending a scanned letter of duly filled Withdrawal Form (attached here) with a signature through email on [iapsmelection2026@gmail.com](mailto:iapsmelection2026@gmail.com)

**Election Panel for IAPSM Election 2026-27**

S. No.	Name	Designation
1	Prof. S M Salim Khan	Chairperson
2	Prof. Shib Sekhar Datta	Member
3	Prof. Kavita Vasudevan	Member

**In case of any clarification, please contact chairperson election panel 2026 only through email [iapsmelection2026@gmail.com](mailto:iapsmelection2026@gmail.com) and no direct individual call/ messages be made to the Panel members.**

**Prof. Kavita Vasudevan**

**Prof. Shib Sekhar Datta**

**Prof. S M Salim Khan**

**Date 01/02/2026**



# Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine Nomination Form

for Elections of Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine for 2026-27  
(separate forms to be used for different posts)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To,  
Dr. S M Salim Khan  
Chairperson, Election Panel  
Professor & Head, Department of Community Medicine,  
Government Medical College, Srinagar, J&K, 190010  
Email id: [iapsmelection2026@gmail.com](mailto:iapsmelection2026@gmail.com)

Sir,  
I, (Proposer) Dr....., hereby propose the name of  
Dr.....(designation)..... of  
(address of the nominee/contestant) .....  
..... for the office of **President (Elect) /  
Executive Member of the Governing Council of IAPSM / Editorial board member of IJCM** for the  
year **2026-2027** have confirmed that he/she is eligible for election to the office of IAPSM / IJCM.

**We understand that if the nomination form is not in order, it is likely to be rejected.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Name (**Proposer**) Dr. .... Signature .....

Date.....Life membership No..... Address.....

Telephone ..... Mobile..... Email.....

### I hereby second this proposal

\*Name (**Secunder**) Dr. .... Signature .....

Date.....Life membership No..... Address.....

Telephone ..... Mobile..... Email .....

**I, the contestant has no objection for my name being proposed and seconded for the election to the post of .....for IAPSM for the year 2026-2027**

Name..... Signature.....

Date.....Life membership No..... Address.....

Telephone ..... Mobile..... Email .....

### Detail about the Online Transaction:

Transaction ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Issuing Bank \_\_\_\_\_ & Branch \_\_\_\_\_

UTR No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(\*The name of those proposing and seconding must be on the Register of Members of the IAPSM Association)

### OFFICE USE ONLY

**NOMINATION ACCEPTED / REJECTED (With Reason)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signatures of Election Panel: i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_ iii) \_\_\_\_\_**



## **IAPSM Election – Code of Conduct**

Code of conduct will be operational with immediate effect with notification of election & will be in force till the results are declared.

**Following are the components of the code of conduct:**

### **A. Electioneering**

- a) The following actions are Not Allowed by contestants as well as supporters and well-wishers: -
  - a. Advertisements in **lay press**, any kind of press release and **interviews** about IAPSM election.
  - b. Hosting of tea/ lunch/ dinner/ cocktail **parties** for fellow members from IAPSM,
  - c. **Negative propoganda** about fellow contestants.
  - d. Use of **pressure, inducement or coercion** to get votes from fellow IAPSM members.
  - e. **Impersonation** of an eligible voter of IAPSM.
  - f. Use of any **caste/ religion/ region** or any other methods to influence voter for voting which is against the principle of democracy.
- b) Appeals are allowed in the form of emails / print / electronic media like election letters / brochures/ SMS/ Telephone/ social media.
- c) Appeals can also be made in the IAPSM Official publications – print as per the prevailing rate.
- d) Slideshows, Posters, distribution of Pamphlets, etc. of contestants inside the venue of any IAPSM activity is strictly prohibited.
- e) Candidate should not be involved in hosting dinners or any other social programs during such programs.

### **B. Breach of Code of Conduct:**

if: -

- a) A written/ email complaint is received about the conduct of a contestant from a member of IAPSM and confirmed by the EC after investigation.  
(The complainant has to declare his/her name, IAPSM number & all relevant details needed to identify him/her as a legitimate member of IAPSM.)
- b) Breach of code of conduct is observed by any of the members of Election panel.
- c) No Election Panel Member shall be approached directly for any clarification. However, it shall be addressed through the email on [iapsmelection2026@gmail.com](mailto:iapsmelection2026@gmail.com)

The breach is proved with 'documentary' proof (audio/ visual/ print/ electronic).

- A documented breach of code of conduct by a contestant may be punishable by disqualification of his / her candidature by Election panel.
- Any impersonation or other fraud will be reported to the Police/ Medical Council of India /other appropriate authority within the Jurisdiction of the suspected fraud.
- The decision of the Election panel will be final & binding.

**C. All contestants will have to give in writing their acceptance to abide by the code of conduct along with application for nomination.**



**UNDERTAKING BY CANDIDATES FOR**  
**CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ELECTION OF IAPSM**

I, Dr. \_\_\_\_\_, working as \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ declare that I had applied for the post of President (Elect) / Executive Committee Member / Editorial Board Member representing \_\_\_\_\_ Zone for Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine, (IAPSM) / Indian Journal of Community Medicine (IJCM) for the election for the year **2026-27**.

Hereby I declare that I am eligible for the election. **I have attached the required documents\* for my eligibility.** I have read and understood the rules and code of conduct for the election. I am giving an undertaking that I will follow the rules and code of conduct for the election. In case of any breach in my code of conduct, the Election Panel is authorized to take action against me.

I understand that the final authority for any decision regarding election will be of Election Panel.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

IAPSM Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email ID: .....

**\*Checklist of the Documents to be attached (as a single PDF file document):**

S. No	Document Name	Attached (please tick)
1.	Nomination Form by the candidate duly proposed & seconded	
2.	Undertaking by candidate (this page)	
3.	Proof of Life Membership of IAPSM	
4.	Proof of attending number of Annual National IAPSM Conferences; (Five for President-Elect post/ Three for GC/EB Members)	
5.	Proof of Payment	

Signature of Applicant : \_\_\_\_\_



**WITHDRAWAL OF NOMINATION FROM ELECTION OF IAPSM 2026-27**

I, Dr. \_\_\_\_\_, working as \_\_\_\_\_ in  
\_\_\_\_\_ hereby submit that I had earlier applied on  
\_\_\_\_\_ (date) for the post of President (Elect) / Executive Committee Member /  
Editorial Board Member representing \_\_\_\_\_ Zone for Indian  
Association of Preventive & Social Medicine, (IAPSM) / Indian Journal of Community  
Medicine (IJCM) for the election for the year **2026-2027**.

**However, I hereby withdraw my nomination submitted earlier.**

**Kindly accept withdrawal of my nomination as submitted above.**

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_