

Consultant-Onco-Anaesthesia

Conceptualized in the year 2004 as a philanthropic initiative for the Eastern and North-Eastern parts of India and the neighbouring countries, the Tata Medical Center (TMC) started operations in Kolkata on May 16, 2011. The hospital is governed by a charitable trust – Tata Medical Centre Trust. The hospital was designed by Cannon Design, a renowned architectural firm from North America. It is located on 13 acres of land at New Town in Kolkata, West Bengal.

The hospital is an integrated Oncology facility with well-trained professional staff and equipped with modern facilities and contemporary medical equipment. The Hospital, with a capacity of 431 beds, serves all sections of the society, with 75% of the infrastructure earmarked for subsidized treatment for the underprivileged sections. It provides a wide spectrum of services from diagnosis and therapy to rehabilitation and palliative support. The Institution's objective is to excel in service, education and research.

This state-of-the-art Hospital has been built on carefully landscaped grounds to emphasize the holistic approach in our crusade against cancer. The buildings were designed by Cannon Design, a renowned architectural firm from North America.

Diagnosis and treatment are characterized by a multi-disciplinary approach with Disease Management Teams, wherein experts from different streams participate in decision-making for treatment protocols, using evidence-based medical strategies and appropriate documented clinical guidelines.

Tata Medical Center, Kolkata, has strived to be one of the leading cancer care and research institutions in the country and has benefited West Bengal as well as the adjoining states and neighboring countries.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The mission of the department of Onco-Anaesthesia in the hospital is to provide state-of-the art anesthesia services, perioperative care, both acute and chronic pain management, life-support for cancer patients. The department provides comprehensive anesthesia care right from preoperative evaluation in the pre-anesthesia clinic, surgery in the operating room and postoperative care in the post anesthesia care unit/HDU/ intensive care. The department also provides acute pain services in the hospital and pain management for chronic cancer related pain on both as out-patient as well as in-patient basis. The Department conducts regular academic sessions including Journal clubs, seminars and case presentations. Regular state-level/national level workshops and CMEs are organized in association with Society of Onco-Anaesthesia & Perioperative Care (SOAPC), ISA (WB), ISCCM (WB). Point of care ultrasound is routinely used for vascular access and nerve blocks. We have a 21 bedded Level1 ICU, 10 bedded HDU and 12 bedded surgical step-down area, which provides state-of-the art post-surgical care, cardio-respiratory care, advanced intensive physiological monitoring, renal support to immunocompromised patients after chemotherapy and bone marrow transplant. The department conducts 2 years (extendable up to 3 years for selected candidates) post graduate fellowship programme in Onco-Anaesthesia, which is now accredited by the Indian College of Anesthesiologists (ICA). The department is also recognized by the National Board for Fellowship training in Onco-Anaesthesia.

In order to fulfill additional needs, we are looking to appoint full time:

• Junior Consultant - Onco-Anaesthesia

Qualification: -

MD or DNB or equivalent in the relevant specialty.

Experience: Minimum 3 years after post-graduation.

Job Description

- All anaesthesiologists with sufficient seniority in the anaesthesia clinical practice as deemed
 appropriate by the head of department of anaesthesia will be and may be promoted to the position
 of associate consultant.
- Privileges to associate consultants with anaesthetic privileges will possess the knowledge and technical skills necessary for independent practice of Anaesthesia with coordination and following permission of the head of anaesthesia services (chief anaesthesiologist)
- To provide pre-anaesthetic evaluation and assessment of various referred and routinely posted cases in both emergency and elective surgeries in coordination with the HOD of Anaesthesia.
- To independently plan and supervise the fellows and technicians during their working hours.
- Keep absolute coordination with the surgical team and the nursing team in their assigned operation theatre and keep the HOD informed if any deviation from the standard practice is observed.
- To keep the HOD updated with regards to supply and shortages in drugs, equipment and consumables required in anaesthesia practice for his particular operation theatre.
- To actively carry out all difficult protocol themselves and also allow and train juniors to master skills with regards to difficult airway, imaging in anaesthesia, regional blocks and newer techniques.
- To carry out newer and innovative research program with prior planning and Approval of the HOD and the hospital ethical committee.
- To help maintain statistic and internal audit
- To supervise the operation theatre infection control standards and strict asepsis protocols. Also to educate the junior staffs in matter of safe and hygienic OT practices.
- To document if any sepsis barrier is breeched
- To help the HOD during confidential appraisals and feedbacks with regards to any deviation in performance of any staffs in the operation theatre involved with direct patient care.
- To actively participate in all teaching, training and CME programs as prepared and planned by the departmental head.
- To cover and physically involve oneself in the anaesthesia and pain management in odd hours, on calls and duties.
- To comply with all the SOPs of the department and coordinate leaves and other activities in liaison with his/her colleagues and with the permission of the department head.
- To supervise/and or fill up all the Anaesthesia records and documents.

*For more details about the job positions, qualifications, eligibility and application forms, please log on to our website: www.tmckolkata.com.

For informal queries about the job you may get in touch with Dr. Jyotsna Goswami (Sr. Consultant & HOD in the Department of Onco-Anaesthesia) (Mobile – 9830327187)

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