Chapter of NeuroDevelopmental Pediatrics

Chief Election Commissioner: Dr Leena Deshpande

NOTICE OF ELECTIONS

Nominations are invited for filling up the vacancies of Office Bearers and Members of the Executive Board of the Chapter of Neuro Developmental Pediatrics of the Indian Academy of Pediatrics for the year 2025-26. Eligible candidates must be Life Members of the Society. Nominations must be submitted in the prescribed forms via Post or Email to the Election Commission by the specified date.

Available Positions

Post	No. of Vacancies	Term of Office
Chairperson Elect 2025	One	One year
Vice-Chairperson (2025)	One	One year

IAP Chapter of Neuro Developmental Pediatrics Election Schedule

(Subject to change under unforeseen circumstances)

Process	Completion Date / (Time)
Election Notification	2 November (9am)
Last Date for Receiving Nominations	6 November 2024 (5:00 PM)
Scrutiny of Nominations & Publication of list	9 November 2024 (5:00 PM)
Last Date for Withdrawal of Nomination	11 November 2024 (5:00 PM)
Publication of Final List of Candidates	12 November 2024 (5:00 PM)
Voting (if required)	18 November 2024 -25 November 2024 (5:00 pm)
Result Declaration	27 November 2024 (5:00 pm)

Note:

If sufficient nominations are not received for any post, this shall be discussed at the Chapter EB Meeting. It will then be ratified later at the CNDP Annual General Body Meeting, and a candidate will be selected from interested persons for the vacant posts.

Complaints and Election Tribunal

Any member with complaints about the election must submit a written complaint addressed to the Chairperson of the Chapter of Neuro Developmental Pediatrics (IAP) within 21 days of the declaration of results. An Election Tribunal, consisting of the Chairperson of CNDP as the Chairperson and two immediate past chairpersons, will be constituted to review the complaint. The Tribunal's decision will be final, and in case of differing opinions among

tribunal members, the decision will be made by majority vote. Any member disputing the election process must abide by the tribunal's final decision.

All CNDP election notifications will be available on www.iapndp.org.

Important Instructions

Eligibility Criteria:

Chairperson, Chairperson - elect and Vice Chairperson:

Must be a Life Member of IAP and the IAP Chapter of Neuro Developmental Pediatrics (previously Childhood Disability Group) for 5 years.

Nominations must be proposed and seconded by eligible Life Members, and the candidate's consent must be given. All details in the Nomination Form must be accurately filled out. The CNDP Election Commission (EC) will scrutinize the nomination papers to determine their validity. A candidate can file nominations for multiple posts but must withdraw all except one before the withdrawal deadline, or else all nominations will be automatically canceled.

Declaration Required for Nomination

Candidates are required to submit the following declaration with their nomination:

"I hereby declare that I consent to this nomination and that the information given hereinabove is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Required Documents

Candidates, as well as the proposers and seconders, must submit a self-attested photocopy of one of the following identification documents:

- PAN Card
- Valid Passport
- Driving License (with photograph)
- IAP Identity Card
- Aadhaar Card
- Voter ID Card

Submission of Nomination Forms

Scanned Nomination forms, duly filled in and addressed to The Election Commission, should reach the EC office no later than 5:00 PM on 6 November 2024 via e mail to drleenadeshpande@gmail.com. A copy of the nomination must also be sent to cdgiap@gmail.com. Any candidate wishing to withdraw their nomination must send a written request by 11 November 2024.

All communications should be addressed to:

Dr. Leena Deshpande

The Election Commissioner
IAP Chapter of Neuro Developmental Pediatrics