

Association of Pediatric Surgeons of Pakistan (APSP)

Election 2025 – Revised Procedure & Schedule

Announcement of Election (Revised)

This is a revised formal announcement of APSP Election 2025.

Elections will be for the offices of **President (Elect)** and **General Secretary/Treasurer (He/She will work during the tenure of President Dr Amjad Chaudhary)**

Eligibility: Only full members of APSP in good standing.

The last date for clearing membership dues is **October 10, 2025**. Members clearing dues after this date will not be eligible to be a candidate, proposer, or voter.

ONLY Full-Members including Life-Members are eligible for participation in election.

APSP office staff and office bearers will scrutinize and verify membership objectively e.g., PMDC registration, FCPS, MS and other recognised postgraduate diploma/degree; for eligibility as per constitution, from **October 11-19, 2025** and will provide authenticated voting list to Election Commission (EC). On **October 20, 2025** EC will publicise the Final Voting list on Association's Web page. In case there is an objection members can notify within 3 days to Secretary APSP by email. Otherwise the Voting list will be locked by EC.

Key dates of election process are outlined below

1. Call for Nominations

Members will be invited to submit nomination forms

Opening date: **October 25, 2025**, Closing Date: **October 30, 2025**

Required documents:

- One-page CV outlining Professional Background, key achievements in Education, Clinical services, Administration and research including;
- A Vision statement by candidates delineating their views about future of APSP and Pediatric Surgery in Pakistan (These will be posted on APSP website and Ballot)
- Consent letter
- A Passport size colored Photograph
- Endorsement by two proposers (members in good standing) with names, signatures, and contact details- Nominations must be submitted on the official APSP proforma, available from Mr. Nasir Shamshad, Secretary APSP.

2. Scrutiny and Validation of Nominations

The Election Commission will review submitted nominations to ensure eligibility and completeness.

- Validated candidates list will be posted on Association web page: **November 5, 2025**
- Appeals can be made till : **November 7, 2025**
- Withdrawal of Nominations: **November 9, 2025**
- Final list of candidates will be published on APSP website: **November 10, 2025**

Appeals must be submitted by email to Mr. Nasir Shamshad, Secretary APSP.

3. Campaign Period (Optional)

Candidates and their supporters can campaign in a decent and professional manner. Use of official platforms of APSP is NOT allowed;

Permissible modes include:

- Social Media
- Electronic Media e.g., emails and
- Personal contacts

4. Election / Voting

Voting will be conducted online.

Guidelines will be sent to voting members by email from the APSP Secretary, Mr. Nasir Shamshad.

Polling dates:

- Start: **November 15, 2025**
- End: **November 20, 2025**

5. Results Announcement

Final results will be announced in the forthcoming General Body Meeting

A formal communication from Election Commission will be sent by email, and results will be posted on the APSP website.

Prof. Zafar Nazir
Prof. Muhammad Amjad
Prof. Muhammad Arif Mateen Khan

Dated: October 5, 2025