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TO: The Returning Officer / Executive Committee
Indian Society for Pediatric and Adolescent Endocrinology (ISPAE)

**SUBJECT: REPRESENTATION & CANDIDATURE FOR ISPAE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP
(2027–2028)**

Sir,

I am writing to formally present my representation and candidature for the position of Executive Committee Member of the Indian Society for Pediatric and Adolescent Endocrinology (ISPAE) for the upcoming tenure 2027–2028. Having served dedicatedly in the specialty of Paediatric Endocrinology for over seven years at AIIMS Patna, I am deeply committed to contributing to the academic growth, clinical outreach, and organizational vision of ISPAE across India.

1. ACADEMIC JOURNEY & PIONEERING CLINICAL WORK AT AIIMS PATNA

I joined AIIMS Patna as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Paediatrics in 2018. Through academic diligence and clinical excellence, I advanced to Associate Professor and am currently serving as Additional Professor. Recognizing the critical unmet need for specialized pediatric endocrine care in Bihar and Eastern India, I initiated the Paediatric Endocrinology Clinic at AIIMS Patna in 2019.

7+ Years Specialty Practice	1,400+ Patients Registered OPD	AIIMS Patna Additional Professor	ISPAE Fellow PET Fellow 2019	Further raining in Pediatric endocrinology 2019-2023
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Over the past seven years, our Paediatric Endocrinology clinic has expanded significantly and currently manages over 1,400 registered OPD pediatric patients and many IPD patients. My clinical practice encompasses the entire spectrum of pediatric and adolescent endocrine disorders, including Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus, short stature, congenital hypothyroidism, disorders of sexual development (DSD), adrenal disorders, calcium disorders, and pubertal anomalies.

2. SPECIALIZED TRAINING & ISPAE ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS

Simultaneous with launching our clinic in 2019, I undertook comprehensive formal training in Paediatric Endocrinology. My training trajectory highlights a sustained commitment to clinical excellence within the ISPAE framework:

Program / Fellowship	Tenure / Year	Key Highlights & Center
ISPAE PET Fellowship	2019	Under the guidance of Dr. Anna Simon and other faculties
Basic Course in Paediatric & Adolescent Endocrinology	2019	CDER Kanpur, India, under Dr. Anurag Bajpai
Advanced Course in Paediatric & Adolescent Endocrinology	2019–2021	CDER Kanpur, India, under Dr. Anurag Bajpai
Fellowship in Paediatric & Adolescent Endocrinology	2021–2023	CDER Kanpur, India, under Dr. Anurag Bajpai

3. TEACHING, MENTORSHIP & INSTITUTIONAL BUILDING AT AIIMS PATNA

As an Additional Professor at a premier national institute, my primary mandate includes academic leadership and post-graduate teaching:

- **Resident Education & Training:** Actively teach and mentor MD Paediatrics post-graduates and senior residents with a special interest in endocrinology, conducting structured bedside case discussions and seminars.
- **Super-Specialty Fellowship Plan:** Currently working on starting a dedicated Fellowship in Paediatric and Adolescent Endocrinology at AIIMS Patna, aiming to establish AIIMS Patna as a regional training hub for future pediatric endocrinologists in Eastern India.
- **Patient-Centric Care Protocols:** Developed standardized clinical protocols for childhood diabetes care and growth monitoring tailored to regional socio-economic needs.
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4. FACULTY ENGAGEMENTS, WORKSHOPS & SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

I have actively represented the specialty as course director, panel moderator, and expert faculty across regional and national forums:

Event / Forum	Role / Designation	Specialty Focus
Growth Workshop, NSMC Bihta (2025)	Course Director	Pediatric growth evaluation & bone age estimation
Bihar Pedicon 2025	Expert Panelist	Management of pediatric endocrine emergencies
Bihar Pedicon 2026	Panel Moderator	Recent advances in pediatric diabetes & thyroid disorders
Diabetes Workshop, RIMS Ranchi (2026)	Faculty	Childhood T1D management & insulin regimen optimization

Scientific Papers & Research: I have presented numerous paper presentations and research posters in Paediatric Endocrinology at various state, national, and international conferences since 2019. Furthermore, I am leading multiple ongoing clinical research studies at AIIMS Patna focusing on pediatric growth disorders, neonatal endocrinopathies, and pediatric diabetes epidemiology.

5. VISION & COMMITMENT FOR ISPAE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (2027–2028)

If elected to the ISPAE Executive Committee for 2027–2028, I pledge to actively work toward the following strategic objectives:

1. **Regional Academic Expansion:** Strengthen ISPAE's educational outreach and skill-building workshops in Tier-2 and Tier-3 cities across Bihar, Jharkhand, and Eastern India.
2. **Physician Training Programs:** Promote structured short-course training in pediatric endocrinology for practicing pediatricians to facilitate early diagnosis and referral.
3. **Multi-Center Research & Registries:** Encourage collaborative registry initiatives for Type 1 Diabetes and rare endocrine conditions in regional AIIMS and medical colleges.
4. **Fellowship & Trainee Mentorship:** Support ISPAE's PET fellowship programs and create peer-learning platforms for young trainees across India.

I request the esteemed returning officer, office bearers, and valued ISPAE members to consider my representation for the Executive Committee 2027–2028. I assure you of my utmost sincerity, dedication, and active participation in taking ISPAE's mission forward.

Thanking you,
Yours sincerely,

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