

3 foundations for medical education

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Three foundations have recently been set up at the Dhaka University with the purpose of promotion and encouragement of medical education in the country says a DU press release.

These Foundations are: K.D.H. Laboratories Foundation, The Square Pharmaceutical Ltd. Foundation and the Bangladesh Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. Foundation.

The Foundations have been set up with a donation of Taka 25,000 each from these organisations.

A gold medal shall be awarded every year to the student who will secure highest number of marks (not below 60 per cent. in Mid-wifery and Gynaecology from the K.D.H. Laboratories Foundation.

Similarly the Square Pharmaceutical Ltd. Foundation will award the gold medal in Surgery while the Bangladesh Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. Foundation's one will be in Medicine. The awards will be determined on the basis of results of the regular final Professional MBBS examination of the Dhaka Medical College and will be effective from the current year (on the basis of the results of the MBBS examination being held in September 1983).