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NEET-PG (MD/MS/DNB/MDS) COUNSELLING

INFORMATION BULLETIN & COUNSELLING SCHEME

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

- i. ABVIMS- Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Medical Sciences
- ii. AIQ- All India Quota
- iii. AMU- Aligarh Muslim University
- iv. BHU- Banaras Hindu University
- v. DGHS- Directorate General of Health Services
- vi. DU- Delhi University
- vii. EWS- Economically Weaker Section
- viii. MCC- Medical Counseling Committee
- ix. MCI- Medical Council of India
- x. MoHFW- Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
- xi. NBE- National Board of Examination
- xii. NEET- National Eligibility –cum- Entrance Test
- xiii. NMC- National Medical Commission
- xiv. Ors. – Others
- xv. RML- Ram Manohar Lohia
- xvi. SC- Scheduled Caste
- xvii. SJH- Safdarjung Hospital
- xviii. ST- Scheduled Tribe
- xix. OBC- Other Backward Class
- xx. PG- Post Graduate
- xxi. PwD- Persons with Benchmark Disabilities
- xxii. UR- Unreserved Category
- xxiii. VMCC- Vardhaman Mahavir Medical College
- xxiv. V/s- Versus
- xxv. W.P. – Writ Petition

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CHAPTER 1- INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 As per the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in I.A. No. 16 of 2012 in Civil Appeal No. (s). 1944 of 1993 in the matter of 'Anand S. Biji V/s State of Kerala & Ors.', the Directorate General of Health Services, Government of India, New Delhi has been entrusted with the responsibility to conduct Online Counselling for allotment of Post Graduate (MD/MS/Diploma and MDS) seats to the eligible and qualified candidates in participating Government Medical/Dental Colleges of the country under 50% All India Quota every year. The allotment of seat to the candidates is made based on the NEET-PG conducted by National Board of Examinations, New Delhi.
- 1.2 The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India vide Order dated 09/05/2017 rendered in Writ Petition (Civil) No.267 of 2017 in the matter of 'Dar-Us Slam Educational Trust and Others Vs. Medical Council of India and Others' the Directorate General of Health Services in Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is also conducting Online counselling for allotment of 100% Post Graduate (MD/MS/Diploma and MDS) with All India character in participating Deemed Universities across the country. The allotment of seats is being made to eligible and qualified candidates as per their merit and ranking based on the NEET Examinations conducted by National Board of Examinations (NBE) for P.G. NEET from the academic year 2017-18 onwards.
- 1.3 The scheme of Counselling was modified by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India vide order dated 18.01.2016 in "I.A. no. 7 & 8 in Writ Petition (Civil) no.76 of 2015 in the matter of Ashish Ranjan & Ors. V/s UoI & Ors. and it was directed that, after two rounds of allotment process the seats remaining vacant shall be deemed to be converted into State Quota. Therefore, the vacant seats which are then sent back to the respective States comprehensively and the States may then apply their respective reservation scheme.
- 1.4 Vide Order dated 22.08.2017 the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (C) No. 689 of 2017 in the matter of Consortium of Deemed Universities in Karnataka & Anr. v/s Union of India & Ors. had issued directions stating that, 15% seats have to be allotted to the NRI Candidates in respect of PG seats (Medical/Dental) in Deemed Universities.

1.5 The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India vide Order dated 09/05/2017 passed in Writ Petition (C) No.267 of 2017 –Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust & Ors Vs MCI & Ors. Directorate General of health Services, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare had directed as follows:

“After the second round of counselling for All India Quota seats, the students who take admission in All India Quota seats should not be allowed/permitted to vacate the seats. This would ensure that very few seats are reverted to the State Quota and also All India Quota seats are filled by students from the all India merit list only. The students who take admission and secure admission in Deemed Universities pursuant to the second round of counselling conducted by the DGHS shall not be eligible to participate in any other counselling.”

1.6 Keeping the above directions in view Candidates are advised to take a calculated decision of continuing in Second round of AIQ/Deemed/Central Universities as they would not be permitted to resign from 2nd round of AIQ/Deemed/Central Universities. They will also not be allowed to participate in any Counselling after joining in Second Round of AIQ.

1.7 As per the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in “W.P (C) No. 443 of 1992 Sharwan Kumar Vs. Dir. General of Health Services & Anr.” the following order has been issued:

“If in implementation of the scheme any difficulties are felt by the Director General of Health Services or by any other person including the authorities in the States or by the Universities, they can approach this Court for necessary directions.”

CHAPTER 2- INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- 2.1 All the participating Candidates are hereby informed that all important communications issued by the Medical Counselling Committee (MCC) are posted on the official website of MCC i.e. www.mcc.nic.in . The authenticity of communication may be confirmed from the official website of MCC before relying upon any message circulating in social media.
- 2.2 All questions in the scheme of counselling are mandatory in nature and not optional. Candidates are advised to go through these important questions related to the scheme of counselling before registering on MCC website, in order to understand the scheme of counseling.
- 2.3 Candidates are deemed to have read, agreed and accepted the Scheme of Counselling and the terms and conditions of the counselling scheme for NEET-PG Counselling, 2021 on completing the online submission of application/registration form.
- 2.4 Application for NEET – PG Counselling can only be submitted online through Medical Counselling Committee website www.mcc.nic.in. Application submitted through any other mode shall be summarily rejected.
- 2.5 Candidates are further advised to fill the application form on their own on the mcc website.
- 2.6 A candidate can submit NEET-PG Counselling application/registration form only once. Any candidate found to have submitted more than one application/registration form for NEET-PG Counselling shall be debarred from NEET-PG Counselling allotment process, his/her candidature shall be cancelled and further action as deemed appropriate by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW shall be taken.
- 2.7 The Security Deposit will be forfeited if a candidate who has been allotted a seat in the Second Round or subsequent rounds and does not join the respective institution or surrender the seat due to any unforeseen reason. Also the Security Deposit will be forfeited if the admission gets cancelled due to any reason. E.g in case the candidate gives wrong information at the time of registration on the basis of which a seat may be allotted and later cancelled by the Admission Authorities at the time of reporting or fails to produce the required documents at the time of admission

(within stipulated time).

2.8 Candidate may kindly note that registering for NEET-PG Counselling does not confer any automatic rights to secure a Post Graduate seat. The selection and admission to Post Graduate seats in any medical Institution recognized for running Post Graduate courses as per Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 is subject to fulfilling the merit, admission criteria, eligibility, and such criteria as may be prescribed by the respective universities, medical institutions, Medical Council of India, State/Central Government.

2.9 Candidate should ensure that all the information filled during the online submission of application/registration form is correct and factual. Information provided by the candidates in the online application/registration form shall be treated as correct and self-certified and MCC shall not entertain, under any circumstances, any request for change in the information provided by the candidates.

MCC does not change/ edit /modify/alter any information entered by the candidates at the time of online submission of application/registration form for Counselling under any circumstances.

2.10 The information regarding Stipend /fee structure/ course duration / bond amount / rendering of service in rural / tribal area/other conditions etc. has been provided by Medical Colleges. MCC/ DGHS takes no responsibility regarding the above information including Fees/ Bond/ Mode of Payment or any typographical error/ data etc. Candidates are advised to visit College website or contact the College Authorities directly for any query regarding above information before filling choices. Choices once locked cannot be modified and any request to MCC/DGHS regarding tinkering of choices will not be entertained.

2.11 Candidates are advised to confirm their eligibility/domicile status before registering on MCC website for Institutional Quota seats of Central Universities/Institutes/ Deemed University before opting for their seats.

2.12 Candidates are advised to confirm the fee structure/ any other additional fee from the colleges especially Deemed Universities before filling up choices for the same. Some All India Quota colleges might have high fee structure, therefore confirmation about the fee should be made before hand, MCC of DGHS takes no responsibility of the fee structure of the colleges and will not entertain any request

or complaint regarding Fee Structure. The above information may be confirmed by the candidate before filling the choices.

2.13 The information regarding Stipend /fee structure/ course duration / bond amount / rendering of service in rural / tribal area/other conditions etc. has been provided by Medical Colleges. MCC/ DGHS takes no responsibility regarding the above information including Fees/ Bond/ Mode of Payment or any typographical error/ data etc. Candidates are advised to visit College website or contact the College Authorities directly for any query regarding above information before filling choices. Choices once locked cannot be modified and any request to MCC/DGHS regarding tinkering of choices will not be entertained.

2.14 Candidates are advised to be in touch with the MCC website (www.mcc.nic.in) for Schedule / latest updates / Results / Notices / News & Events pertaining to counselling as MCC /DGHS will not be individually contacting the candidates for the same.

2.15 No communication will be directly sent to the Candidate(s). They are advised to be in touch with the website on regular basis for any updates.

2.16 It has come to the knowledge of the Authorities that there have been instances wherein some persons/agents have claimed to provide a seat in any of the participating colleges in the Counselling process. The Candidates are advised to not fall prey to the said claims as there is no direct entry in any of the participating colleges in the NEET Counselling.

2.17 Candidates are advised to use the Mobile number/email id used by them during registration on NBE website for MCC counselling registration process. The said Email ID and Mobile number shall only be used/pre-populated during the Counselling registration process.

2.18 Refund process will commence only after the completion of all the rounds of Counselling. MCC will not entertain any query either through email or phone call with regard to refund before the completion of all the rounds of counseling.

2.19 Candidates are informed that they will be shown only the Clear-cut Vacancies in Round 1.

Also, the vacancy position of the seats will be shown in three categories, Round 2, which are as follows:

a) **Clear-cut vacancies-** The seats which have not been allotted in Round 1.

- b) **Virtual Vacancies-** Any Candidate who has been allotted a seat in Round 1 and has opted for up-gradation in Round 2, that allotted seats of Round 1 will be shown as virtual vacancy in Round 2 and Candidates can fill the said seat during the choice filling in Round 2. However, such seats will be allotted in Round 2 if the allottee of Round 1 vacates/upgrades in Round 2.
- c) **New Vacancies-** Fresh seats for which letter of permission has been issued by NMC/DCI for the first time and were not added in Round 1.

2.20 Court cases w.r.t. counselling must be in Delhi jurisdictions only.

CHAPTER 3- 50% ALL INDIA QUOTA

There will be two rounds of AIQ online counseling i.e. Round 1 & Round 2. All candidates who have qualified for All India Quota seats on the basis of their rank in NEET PG conducted by the National Board of Examination (NBE) except the Union Territory of J&K will be eligible. Eligible candidates may download the Rank letter/ Result from NBE website. Cutoff rank of eligible candidates will also be available on the MCC website (www.mcc.nic.in). The seats remaining vacant after round 2 of AIQ shall be reverted back to the respective states in compliance of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in I.A. No. 7 & 8 in W.P. No. 76 of 2015 in the matter of Ashish Ranjan & Ors. v/s Union of India & Ors.

Open seats-domicile free includes:

- i. 50% All India Quota seats (except Jammu & Kashmir)
- ii. 50% Seats of BHU
- iii. 50% Seats of AMU
- iv. 50% All India Quota seats of DU/ Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur)

3.1 Reservation Policy

- ❖ Reservation Policy of the Central Government for the NEET-PG Counselling in All India Quota is as follows:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%

- ❖ Reservation of seats under PWD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per the NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see **Annexure '1'**.

- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as **ANNEXURE- 2**. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

- ❖ Candidates declared Qualified/Eligible for All India Quota Postgraduate Seats only will be eligible for online allotment process for All India Quota Seats, which is conducted by the Medical Counseling Committee (MCC), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, & Government of India. For State Quota, Private

medical and dental college seats the candidates are required to contact the appropriate State Government/Admission Authority & Directorate of Medical Education. Medical Counseling Committee (MCC) will not be able to guide candidates in this matter.

3.2 Roster:

- ❖ The roster on the 50% AIQ seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.

3.3 Eligibility Condition:

- The Candidate should have qualified NEET PG.
- Domicile free.

3.4. Non-Eligible Conditions

- Except the Candidates of J&K.
 - OCI/PIO/Foreign Nationals will not be eligible for All India Quota seats vide Ministry of Home Affairs Gazette Notification No. S.O.1050(E) dated 04th March, 2021.
- ❖ The conversion of seats will be carried out during the second round of seat allotment for AIQ. The said conversion will be done only when the Candidates belonging to the said Conversion Category have exhausted. The algorithm for conversion of category is as follows:

CONVERSION ALGORITHM

S.NO.	CONVERSION CATEGORY	CATEGORY CONVERTED TO
1.	ST (PwD)	ST
2.	SC (PwD)	SC
3.	UR (PwD)	UR
4.	OBC(PwD)	OBC
5.	ST	SC
6.	SC	UR
7.	EWS	UR

CHAPTER 4- DEEMED UNIVERSITY

- ❖ There will be four rounds of 12ounseling i.e. Round 1 & Round 2 with AIQ, Mop-Up Round & Stray Vacancy Round. Out of the four rounds, three rounds will be conducted online by MCC i.e. Round 1, Round 2 and Mop-Up Round.
- ❖ From, 2017 the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P.(C) No.267 of 2017 (Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust case) directed the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW to conduct 12ounseling of 100% seats of Deemed Universities.
- ❖ The Mop-up Round (third round) is conducted online only for the Deemed and Central Universities as MCC has been entrusted with the responsibility of conducting 12ounseling of their 100% seats.
- ❖ The Stray Vacancy round will be conducted by the respective Deemed Universities for which the list of registered Candidates for the Stray Vacancy round will be forwarded by the MCC to the respective Deemed Universities, in compliance with the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Writ Petition(s) (Civil) No(s). 267/2017 Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust and Ors. V/s Medical Council of India and Ors.
- ❖ All the candidates who have qualified for All India Quota seats on the basis of their rank in NEET PG conducted by NBE including candidates from Union Territory of J&K will be eligible. Eligible candidates may download the Rank letter/ Result from NBE website.

4.1 Reservation Policy:

- ❖ Candidates who fall under the category of NRI as per the directions/ orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case (W.P. I No. 689/2017- Consortium of Deemed Universities in Karnataka (CODEUNIK) & Anr. Vs. Union of India & Ors.) dated 22-08- 2017 are eligible for NRI Category. OCI/PIO candidates will be considered as NRI. **OCI Candidates will only be eligible for NRI seats vide Ministry of Home Affairs Gazette Notification No. S.O.1050(E) dated 04th March, 2021.**

- ❖ The Candidates claiming under NRI category have to submit the following documents as and when the same are called for by the MCC:
 - Documents claiming that the sponsorer is an NRI (Passport, Visa of the sponsorer).
 - Relationship of NRI with the candidate as per the court orders of The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in case W.P.(c) No. 689/2017- Consortium of Deemed Universities in Karnataka (CODEUNIK) & Ans. Vs Union of India & Ors. Dated 22-08- 2017.
 - Affidavit from the sponsorer that he/ she will sponsor the entire course fee of the candidate duly notarized.
 - Embassy Certificate of the Sponsorer (Certificate from the Consulate).
 - NEET Score Card of the candidate.
 - There will be no reservation for OBC/ SC/ ST/ PWD/EWS candidates in Deemed Universities.

There might be reservation for Jain Minority or Muslim Minority in certain deemed universities. Candidates are requested to verify their eligibility for the same before applying under the said category.

Eligibility Condition:

- The Candidate should have qualified NEET PG.
- Domicile free.

Not Eligible

- ❖ OCI/PIO/Foreign Nationals will not be eligible for India Nationals i.e. Management/Paid seats vide Ministry of Home Affairs Gazette Notification No. S.O.1050(E) dated 04th March, 2021.

CHAPTER 5- AFMS

5.1 Candidates who desire to participate in AFMS Counseling will be required to register on the MCC portal i.e. www.mcc.nic.in.

5.2 The list of registered candidates will be sent to AFMS Authorities for conducting counseling at their own end as per their rules and regulations of AFMS Authorities.

5.3 The role of MCC is limited to registration of the willing Candidates only.

5.4 MCC shall not be responsible for any allotment made by or on behalf of the AFMS Authorities.

5.5 Candidates must verify the Eligibility Conditions (especially Medical Eligibility conditions) from the AFMS website before applying for AFMC Counselling. There have been instances of cancellation of admission due to non-fulfillment of Medical Eligibility Conditions.

5.6 MCC will not entertain any query with regard to the AFMS Counselling.

5.7 Candidates must verify their eligibility conditions well before from the AFMS website before applying for AFMS Counselling. MCC will not entertain any grievance regarding the same.

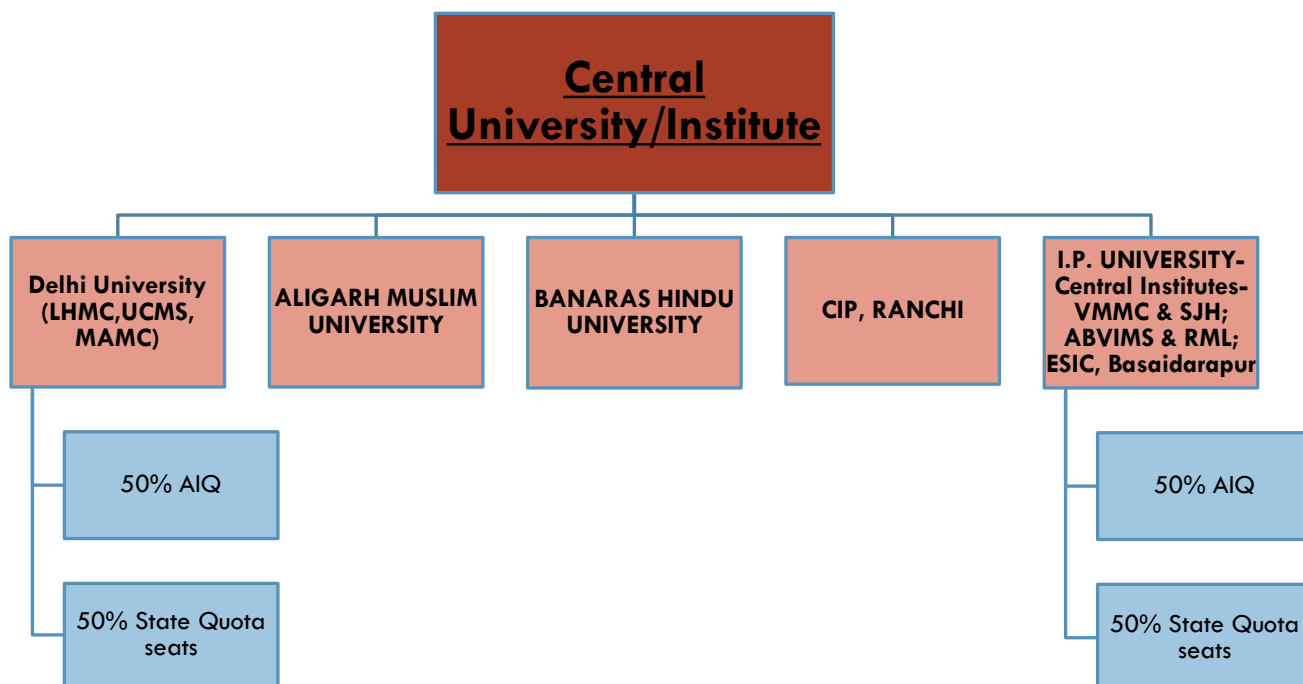
CHAPTER 6- CENTRAL UNIVERSITY/INSTITUTE

There will be four rounds of 15ounseling i.e. Round 1, Round 2 in AIQ, Mop-Up Round & Stray Vacancy Round. Out of the four rounds, three rounds will be conducted online by MCC i.e.Round 1, Round 2 and Mop-Up Round.

The Mop-up Round (third round) is conducted online only for the Deemed and Central Universities as MCC has been entrusted with the responsibility of conducting 15ounseling of their 100% seats.

The Stray Vacancy round shall be conducted by the respective Central University/Institute for which the list of registered Candidates for the Stray Vacancy round will be forwarded by the MCC to the respective Central University/Institute.

All the candidates who have qualified for All India Quota seats on the basis of their rank in NEET PG conducted by NBE excluding candidates from Union Territory of J&K will be eligible.



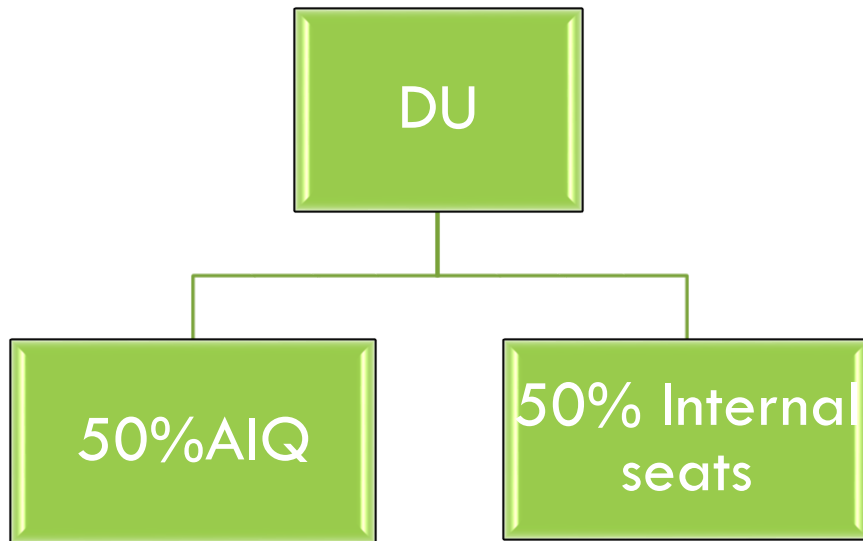
Disclaimer:

- ❖ The counseling for 50% AIQ is domicile free.
- ❖ The eligibility conditions for the internal quota is given by the colleges/institutes, MCC has no role to play in determining the eligibility conditions for the internal quota of the Central Universities/Institutes.
- ❖ The Candidate are requested to go through the eligibility conditions before applying for the internal quota of the Central Universities/Institutes and ensure that they meet the prescribed eligibility conditions.
- ❖ If any Candidate at any stage of the 16ounseling process is found to have furnished any incorrect/wrong information with regard to his/her eligibility condition, his/her candidature shall be cancelled for the further rounds of the 16ounseling and the security deposit shall be forfeited.
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PwD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in Central Universities and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure ‘1’.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE- 2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.
- ❖ The conversion of seats will be carried out during the second round of seat allotment for AIQ and Mop Up Round for Deemed and Central Universities/Institutes. The said conversion will be done only when the Candidates belonging to the said Conversion Category have exhausted.

The algorithm for conversion of category is as follows:

CONVERSION ALGORITHM

S.NO.	CONVERSION CATEGORY	CATEGORY CONVERTED TO
1.	ST (PwD)	ST
2.	SC (PwD)	SC
3.	UR (PwD)	UR
4.	OBC(PwD)	OBC
5.	ST	SC
6.	SC	UR
7.	EWS	UR



50% Seats will be contributed by the Delhi University to All India Quota. For the remaining 50% seats, candidates who have completed their MBBS from DU are eligible for Institutional Quota of 50% in Delhi University.

6.1.1 Reservation Policy for AIQ seats:

- ❖ The reservation policy of the Central Government is followed:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PWD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure '1'.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE-2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

6.1.2 Roster:

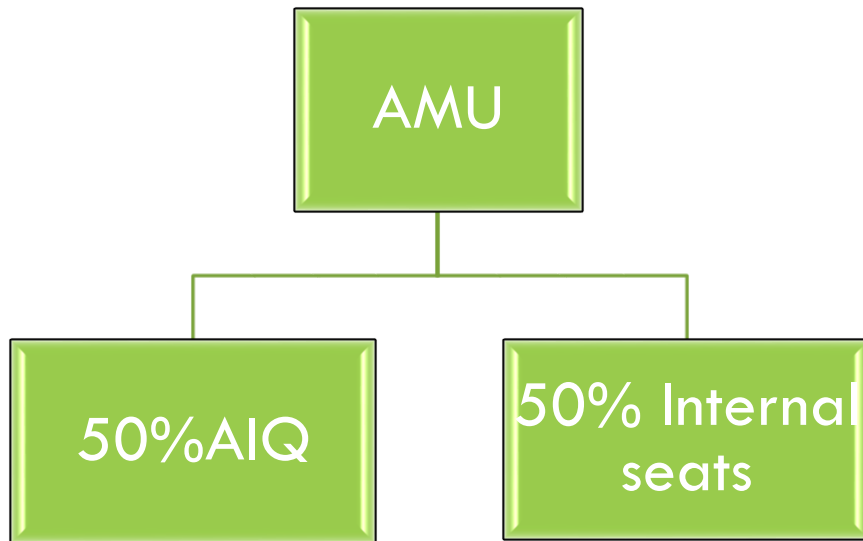
- ❖ The roster on the 50% AIQ seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.
- ❖ For the 50% seats of State quota of DU, the DU will apply the roster according to their rules & regulations and send the same to the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW for allotment for which the MCC shall not be held liable, if any discrepancy arises.

6.1.3 Eligibility Condition for DU State Quota:

❖ For Delhi University Quota:-

The candidate must have passed final M.B.B.S. examination (for MD/MS/Diploma Course) and BDS examination (for MDS Course) from the University of Delhi and **must have completed satisfactorily one year compulsory rotating internship as on 31st March of the year of admission** and must submit their internship completion certificate at the time of admission.

(The eligibility condition for internal quota is provided by DU. MCC has no role to play in this regard)



50% Seats will be contributed by the AMU to All India Quota. For the remaining 50% seats, candidates who have completed their MBBS from AMU are eligible for Internal seats of 50% in AMU.

6.2.1 Reservation Policy for AIQ seats:

- ❖ The reservation policy of the Central Government is followed:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%
- ❖ For the **Reservation Policy of 50% Internals seats of AMU**, there is not reservation.
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PWD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure '1'.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE-2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

6.2.2 Roster:

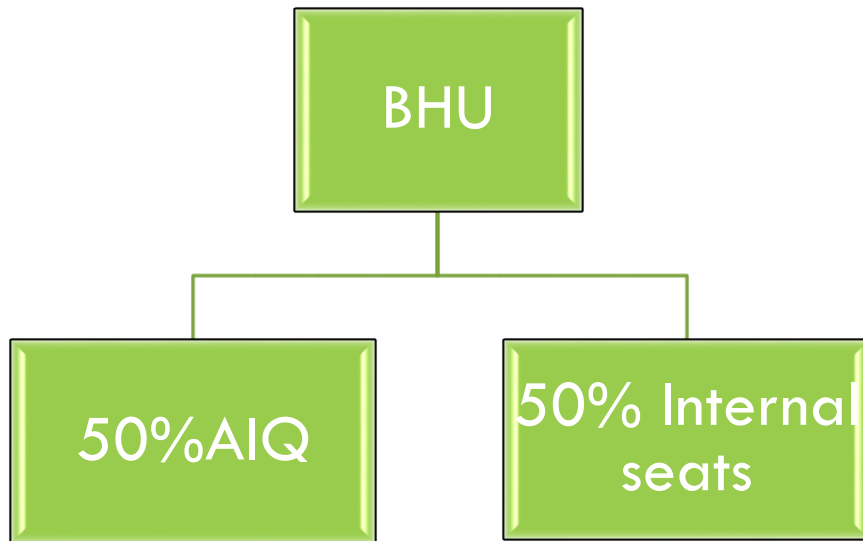
- ❖ The roster on the 50% AIQ seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.
- ❖ For the 50% seats of Internal seats of AMU, there is no reservation.

6.2.3 Eligibility Condition for AMU Internal seats:

- ❖ An Institutional (Internal) candidate is one who has passed the qualifying examination (MBBS/BDS as applicable) from THIS University and completes his/her internship between April 01, 2018 and March 31, 2021 (both days inclusive).

(The eligibility condition for internal quota is provided by AMU. MCC has no role to play in this regard)

6.3 BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY



50% Seats will be contributed by the BHU to All India Quota. For the remaining 50% seats, candidates who have completed their MBBS from BHU are eligible for Internal seats of 50% in BHU.

6.3.1 Reservation Policy:

- ❖ The reservation policy of the Central Government is followed:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PWD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure '1'.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE-2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

6.3.2 Roster:

- ❖ The roster on the 50% AIQ seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.
- ❖ For the 50% seats of Internal seats of BHU, MCC will apply the roster.

Eligibility Condition for BHU Internal seats:

- ❖ Only those Candidates who have passed MBBS/BDS from Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU in December, 2019 (Supplementary Batch by 31/03/2020) and have completed Compulsory rotary internship before 31/03/2021 will be considered for admission to MDS Course-2021 in IMS, BHU under Internal (Institutional) quota pool, provided the Candidates have appeared and qualified in NEET-PG 2021 Examination.
Candidate who are already pursuing MD/MS/MDS course in IMS, BHU through Internal (Institutional) quota or passed BDS from Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU in earlier academic years (i.e. before 2019) are not eligible for admission to PG Course 2021 under BHU Internal (Institutional) quota.

(The eligibility condition for internal quota is provided by BHU. MCC has no role to play in this regard)

CENTRAL INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY, RANCHI

The Institute contributes 100% seats for NEET-PG Counselling. There is no Internal/State quota seats in this Institute/College.

6.4.1 Reservation Policy:

- ❖ The reservation policy of the Central Government is followed:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PWD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure '1'.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE-2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

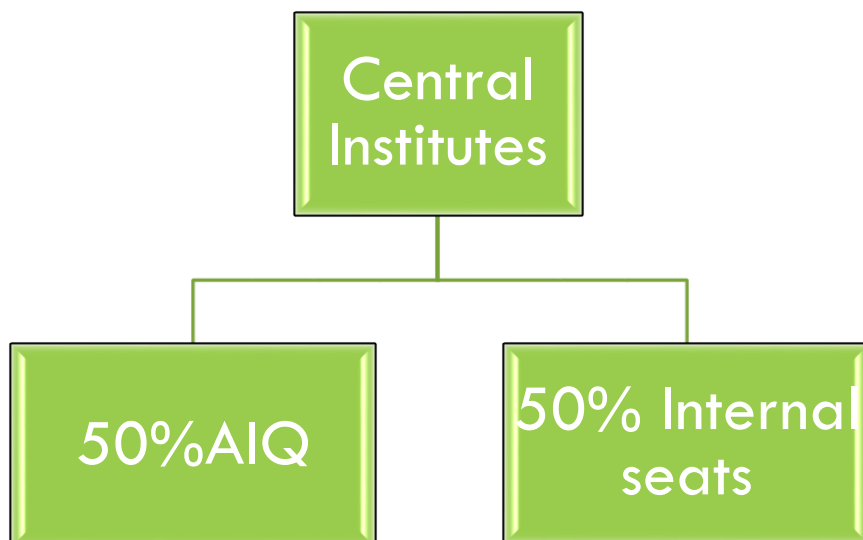
6.4.2 Roster:

- ❖ The roster on the seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.

6.4.3 Eligibility Condition for CIP Internal seats:

- ❖ There are no Internal Quota seats.

(The eligibility condition for internal quota is provided by CIP, Ranchi. MCC has no role to play in this regard)



50% Seats will be contributed by the Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur) to All India Quota. For the remaining 50% seats, candidates who have completed their MBBS/BDS from Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur) are eligible for Internal seats of 50% in Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur).

Reservation Policy:

- ❖ The reservation policy of the Central Government is followed:
 - S.C.- 15%
 - S.T.- 7.5%
 - O.B.C.- (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the Central OBC list- 27%
 - EWS- as per Central Government norms- 10%
 - PwD- Horizontal Reservation as per NMC norms- 5%
- ❖ Reservation of seats under PwD Category has been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms. For range of disabilities included, please see Annexure '1'.
- ❖ Candidates who want to avail 5% PwD reservation in PG seats of Govt. /Central medical institutions should obtain Disability certificate as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act 2016, from the designated disability centres as per the list enclosed as ANNEXURE-2. The certificate issued by any other hospital/ board will not be accepted.

6.5.2 Roster:

- ❖ The roster on the 50% AIQ seats shall be applied by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.
- ❖ For the 50% seats of Internal seats of Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur), MCC will apply the roster.

6.5.3 Eligibility Condition for Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur) Internal seats:

- ❖ The eligibility for Central Institutes will be as per their admission brochure. For more information please refer to their website.

(The eligibility condition for internal quota is provided by Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur). MCC has no role to play in this regard)

CHAPTER 7- DIPLOMATE OF NATIONAL BOARD (DNB)

- ❖ Medical Counseling Committee will be conducting counseling for the DNB courses from the academic year 2021 onwards in compliance of the Judgment dated 26/05/2020 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. of 2020 (Diary No. 11011 of 2020) in the matter of Alapati Jyotsana & Ors. v/s UoI & Ors.
- ❖ There will be four rounds of counseling i.e. Round 1, Round 2 in AIQ, Mop-Up Round & Stray Vacancy Round. Out of the four rounds, three rounds will be conducted online by MCC i.e. Round 1, Round 2 and Mop-Up Round.
- ❖ The Stray Vacancy round will be conducted by NBE.

- ❖ All the candidates who have qualified for All India Quota seats on the basis of their rank in NEET PG conducted by NBE including candidates from Union Territory of J&K will be eligible.

7.1. Reservation Policy

- ❖ The reservation policy will be provided by the Institutes themselves. MCC has no role to play in the same.

7.2. Eligibility Conditions

- ❖ Candidate must have qualified NEET-PG.
- ❖ Candidates of J&K are eligible.

7.3. Roster

- ❖ DNB Authorities will apply the roster according to their rules & regulations and send the same to the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW for allotment for which the MCC shall not be held liable, if any discrepancy arises.

CHAPTER 8- REGISTRATION: INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING ONLINE

APPLICATION FORM

- ❖ Candidates are informed that e-mail ID and Mobile Number provided in the Online Application Form of NBE will be used for registration on the MCC portal for Counselling. The said fields will be pre-populated in the Application/Registration form of the Counselling.
- ❖ Any complaint with regard to the change of registered mobile number or email address shall not be entertained by the MCC of DGHS, MoHFW.
- ❖ Candidates are advised to use Laptop or Computer during the Registration and Choice-Filling process to avoid any technical complications.
- ❖ Please note that registration facility will be available at the beginning of first round, second round & mop up round only on notified dates. Thereafter, registration facility shall not be available. Under no circumstances any request (for any reason) for registration, shall be entertained after closing of registration.
- ❖ **OCI/PIO/Foreign National Candidates are informed that they will only be eligible for NRI seats vide Ministry of Home Affairs Gazette Notification No. S.O.1050(E) dated 04th March, 2021.**

ROUND-1

- a) Main counseling Registration which will include payment of Non-Refundable Registration fee and Refundable Security Deposit (to be refunded only in the account from which payment has been made).
- b) Exercising of Choices and Locking of choices.
- c) Process of Seat Allotment Round-1
- d) Publication of result of Round-1 on MCC website
- e) Reporting at the allotted Medical/Dental College against 1 Round.

END OF ROUND 1

ROUND-2

(Candidates who registered for Round-1 and did not get any seat allotted are not required to register again.)

- a) Fresh New Registration for Round-2 for those candidates who
 - Have not registered in Round-1 (with full payment of fees).
 - Have Resigned / Not reported in Round-1 need not register again.
 - Fresh Choice filling Round-2.
- b) Publication of result of Round-2 on MCC website.
- c) Reporting at the allotted Medical/Dental College against Round 2

END of 50 % All India Quota Counselling and reverting of Non Joined, Not allotted seats to State quota / Institutional Quota/Internal Quota of States/Central University /Central Institute.

END OF ROUND 2

MOP –UP ROUND

Mop Up Round (Only for Deemed/ Central Universities)

- Fresh Registration with payment of registration fee for Mop Up Round for the following candidates :
 - i. Those who registered in Round-1 & exited availing Free Exit
 - ii. Who registered in Round-2 & exited with Forfeiture of fees can register again with payment of fees.
- However, candidates who have already joined and taken admission in Round-2 of AIQ/Deemed/ Central Universities will not be eligible to participate in Mop Up Round. (Those who registered but were not allotted a seat in Round-1 & Round-2 need not register again).
- Fresh choice filling of Mop Up Round
 - Publication of result of Mop Up Round on MCC website
 - Reporting at the Allotted Medical/ Dental College after Mop Up Round

List of Registered Candidates ten times the number of Stray vacancies to be sent to Deemed / Central Universities to be exhausted strictly in order of merit.

END OF MOP-UP ROUND

FINAL STRAY VACANCY ROUND

To be conducted by Deemed/ Central Universities/NBE (There will be no Fresh Registration of Candidates in Final Stray Vacancy Round)

The eligibility conditions for each participating Institute/College may vary, hence candidates may verify the same from the Institute/College.

COUNSELLING STAGES

AIQ Round 1- States, Deemed & Central Universities



AIQ Round 2-States, Deemed & Central Universities



Seats Remaining vacant after Round 2 are reverted back to the respective States - I.A. No. 7 & 8 in W.P. No. 76 of 2015, Supreme Court of India



Mop-Up Round- Only for Deemed/Central Universities - From, 2017 Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P.(C) No.267 of 2017 (Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust case) included counselling of 100% seats of Deemed Universities to be conducted by MCC, DGHS.



Stray Vacancy-Conducted by the respective Deemed/Central Universities MCC of DGHS, MoHFW forwards the **list of Candidates equaling to ten times the number of vacant seats** to the medical college- Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Writ Petition(s) (Civil) No(s). 267/2017** Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust and Ors. V/s Medical Council of India and Ors.

CHAPTER 9- COUNSELLING PROCESS-FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

Rounds	Types of Counselling
Round 1- Online (By MCC)	AIQ, Deemed University, Central University/Institutes/DNB
Round 2- Online (By MCC)	AIQ, Deemed University, Central University/Institutes/DNB
Round 2 vacant seats are reverted back to the respective States as per directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India	
Mop-Up Round- Online (By MCC)	Deemed University, Central University/Institutes/DNB
Stray Vacancy Round- Offline (By respective University/Institutes)	Deemed University, Central University/Institutes/DNB

Q. No. 1: When will online allotment process for this year start?

Ans: Online allotment process will start as per counseling Schedule for PG online Counseling for the current academic year.

Please See Schedule available on www.mcc.nic.in website.

Q. No. 2: Do I have to report to any counseling center for registration or choice filling?

Ans: No. Online registration and choice filling can be done from place of convenience (Including from home) using internet. Uninterrupted internet facility should be ensured.

Q. No. 3: Do I require any documents to get registered on-line?

Ans: Eligible NRI/OCI/PIO Candidates will have to upload their documents on the Email ID given by MCC during the registration process for verification of their documents for which Candidates are advised to be in touch with the MCC website.

Candidates who wish to get their Nationality converted from Indian to NRI will have to send their documents to MCC on the email id specified for which Candidates are advised to be in touch with the MCC website.

Q. No. 4: What information do I require for online registration?

Ans: Please note that you will be asked to fill some of the information (we are not showing it here for security reasons) that you have given in your application form of NBE, admit card of examination during online registration and provided by the examination conducting agency, (NBE) therefore keep a copy of your application form and admit card ready for reference. These documents may be retained as they may be required till you complete your PG course.

Q. No. 5: How do I get password for logging in?

Ans: During the process of online registration you will generate your own password. Candidates are advised to keep the password that they have created, confidential to them till the end of the counseling process. They can change the password after creating. Password is very important for participating in online allotment process . Sharing of password can result in its misuse by somebody else, leading to even exclusion of genuine candidate from online allotment process.

Q. No. 6: How much time will I be given to join the allotted course?

Ans: Candidates who are allotted seats will be required to join the allotted college/course within stipulated time from the date of allotment as mentioned in the counseling schedule. However, candidates are advised to join as early as possible and not to wait for last day of joining, due to different schedule of holiday/working hours in various Medical/Dental Colleges, also keeping in view that Medical/Dental colleges will have to furnish information about joining/non- joining status of candidates on Medical Counseling Committee portal. In some of the Colleges it may take 2 to 3 days' time for completion of admission formalities.

Q. No. 7: What documents are required at the time of joining in allotted Medical / Dental College?

Ans: Original documents required at the time of joining in allotted Medical/Dental College are as mentioned below:

- i. Allotment Letter issued by MCC (**Essential document**)

- ii. Admit Card issued by NBE (**Essential document**)
- iii. Result/Rank Letter issued by NBE (**Essential document**)
- iv. Mark Sheets of MBBS/BDS 1st, 2nd & 3rd Professional Examinations. (**Essential document**)
- v. MBBS/BDS Degree Certificate/Provisional Certificate. (**Essential document**)
- vi. Internship Completion Certificate/Certificate from the Head of Institution or College that the candidate shall complete the Internship by 31st March, of the year of admission. (**Essential document**)
- vii. Permanent / provisional Registration Certificate issued by MCI or DCI/State Medical or Dental Council. Provisional Registration Certificate is acceptable only in cases where candidate is undergoing internship and likely to complete the same on or before 31st March of the year of admission. (**Essential document**)
- viii. High School/Higher Secondary Certificate/Birth Certificate as proof of date or birth. (**Essential document**)
- ix. Candidates allotted seat must carry one of the identification proofs (ID Proof) to the allotted college at the time of admission (as mentioned in the information Bulletin published by the National Board of Examinations (NBE) for AIPGMEE/ AIPGDEE i.e. PAN Card, Driving License, Voter ID, Passport or Aadhar Card). (**Essential document**)
- x. The Candidate should also bring the following certificates, if applicable (**Essential document**)
 - a) SC/ST Certificate issued by the competent authority (in the format as specified in the prospectus) and should be in English or Hindi language. Sub caste should be clearly mentioned in the certificate.
 - b) EWS Certificate as per the Central Govt. Norms (**Essential document**)
 - c) OBC certificate issued by the competent authority. The sub-caste should tally with the Central List of OBC. The OBC candidates should not belong to Creamy Layer. The OBC certificate must be in the format as mentioned in the prospectus.
 - d) Disability Certificate issued from a duly constituted and authorized Medical Board for 21 Benchmark Disabilities as per the Rights of Persons with

Disability Act,2016. No other PwD certificate, issued by any other Authorities/ Hospital will be entertained. The format of Certificate of Disability is attached as ANNEXURE-I.

Candidates without original certificates / documents shall not be allowed to take admission in allotted Medical / Dental College.

Candidates who have deposited their original documents with any other Institute / College/ University and come for admission with a certificate stating that “their original certificates are deposited with the Institute / College / University” shall not be allowed to take admission in allotted Medical/Dental College.

Please note that the required documents at the time of admission may vary as per College/ Institute Policy. Hence candidates may verify the same from allotted college before Reporting.

Q. No. 8: What are the various fees to be paid at the time of registration?

Ans: At the time of registration students must pay two kinds of fee

a) Non-Refundable Registration fee

- Rs. 1000/- For AIQ /Central University UR/EWS candidates, & Rs. 500/- For SC/ ST/ OBC/ PwD
- Rs. 5000/- For Deemed University candidates

b) Refundable Security Deposit which will be refunded to candidates after joining the allotted college or if candidate did not get any seat during counseling to the same account of candidate from which payment had been made. Refundable security deposit may not be refunded in certain cases as specified in Question no.9.

- For AIQ / Central University/ ESIC- UR/EWS candidates – Rs. 25000/-
- For SC/ST/OBC/PwD –Rs. 10,000/-

(e.g. Any SC candidate opting for AIQ only will pay registration fee of Rs 500/- + Rs. 10,000/- Refundable Security Deposit.)

➤ For Deemed Universities –Rs 2,00,000/-

Any candidate opting for Deemed University will have to pay Rs 5000/- Non- Refundable fee + Rs 2,00,000/- Refundable Security Deposit at the time of registration.

Q. No. 9: What are the circumstances wherein the refundable security deposit will be forfeited?

Ans. Under the following circumstances the refundable security deposit will be forfeited by MCC:

- i. Where a Candidate has been allotted a seat in Round 2 or subsequent rounds and does not report at the allotted college to complete the admission process.
- ii. The Security Deposit will be forfeited if the admission gets cancelled after allotment due to any reason. E.g in case the candidate gives wrong information at the time of registration on the basis of which a seat may be allotted and later cancelled by the Admission Authorities at the time of reporting or fails to produce the required documents at the time of admission.

Q. No. 10: In case candidate must apply for both AIQ and for Deemed University should the candidate pay the fee for both?

Ans: No, in such case the candidate has to pay only the higher fee i.e. of Deemed University Rs. 5000/- and 2 Lakh Refundable Security Deposit.

Q. No. 11: Where and when this fee will be refunded?

Ans: This fee will be refunded to the same account from which payment had been made. No requests for the change of Account shall be entertained afterwards. Candidates are also advised not to get their Bank/Card account closed till the time Refund has been made into the account from which payment was made. This fee will be processed for refund only after all the rounds of counseling are completed.

Q. No. 12: What are the instructions regarding OBC, SC, ST, PwD & EWS certificates?

Ans: Candidates are advised to see Annexure nos. II to V on this Information Bulletin. In case the candidate fails to produce proper Caste, PwD & EWS Certificate, if applicable at allotted Medical/Dental College then he/she will not be permitted to join the allotted Medical / Dental College and his/her category will be changed for next round, if otherwise eligible.

Further the reservation of seats under PwD Category have been increased from 3% to 5% in AIQ and the 21 Benchmark Disabilities as envisaged under the regulations of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016 and as per NMC norms, have been included presently, where only the lower motor disabilities were included earlier.

The qualified Persons with Disability (PwD) candidates should get themselves certified at one of the Disability Assessment Boards, constituted in various states. The list of Centers who will issue Disability Certificates as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act- 2016 is attached as ANNEXURE-II. The extent of “specified disability” in a Person with Disability (PwD candidate) shall be assessed in accordance with these guidelines for the purpose of issuing Disability Certificate and at the time of admission in the college. Further, all the PwD candidates participating in the PG Counselling 2019 are required to get themselves assessed for their disability and obtain a Disability Certificate from any one of the designated Disability Centres. The Persons with Disability (PwD) are required to bring their treatment papers related to their disability, including the investigation reports, at the time of reporting to the designated institutes for obtaining disability certificate.

IMPORTANT: Qualified PwD candidates are advised to get themselves examined immediately at one of the above-mentioned disability assessment board and to obtain Disability (PwD) Certificate. The qualified candidates are requested to send a self-attested photocopy of disability certificate with mention of their Name, All India Quota Rank, Postal Address, Mobile Telephone Number, alternative contact number and E-mail id by email (address: aiqpg-mcc@nic.in) and by Speed Post (to Assistant Director General (Medical Education), Room Number 354, A-Wing, Nirman Bhawan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi, Pin code 110108).

Q. No. 13: Is there any restriction for filling up number of choices of Institutions (Colleges) or subjects in choice filling form?

Ans: No, you can give as many choices as you wish. However, choices should be in order of preference, as the allotment is done on the basis of choices submitted by the qualified candidate in order of preference given by the candidate and as per availability.

Q. No. 14: Can I have some idea about the seat I am likely to get at my rank?

Ans: Yes, the previous year allotment results are available on the MCC website i.e. www.mcc.nic.in. This will only be indicative (without any guarantee for the current year).

Q. No. 15: Is it necessary to fill up the choices and lock the choices to get seat allotted? Or I will be allotted seat automatically from available seats?

Ans: After online registration (registration is compulsory to take part in online allotment process), you have to fill in choice of subjects and Institutions/colleges in order of preference. Once choices are filled in, it can be modified before locking it. During the choice locking period it is necessary to lock the choices to get a print of your submitted choices. If candidate does not lock the choice submitted by him/her, they will be automatically locked on notified date at notified time, however you will be allowed to take a print of your choices after locking, but you will not be permitted to modify your choices after locking.

IMPORTANT: Don't wait till the last minute to lock your choices and to take a printout. Please go through your submitted choices before locking as once you lock the choices the same cannot be changed or even modified if you have made a mistake. Mistake in filling choices may result in allotment of a seat which you never wanted. Also, it won't be possible to unlock your choices at MCC's end.

Q. No. 16: Is it necessary to join allotted Medical / Dental College in Round-1 to get chance to participate in next round (2nd Round)?

Ans: If a candidate does not report at the allotted institute in Round-1, this will be considered as 'Free Exit' (option available only in Round-1). However, candidates

who have not joined (the Round- 1 allotted seat) by availing the free exit option may participate again in Round-2 after logging in with their earlier Registration details.

In case a candidate wants to ensure /retain his/her Round -1 seat and wants to upgrade his/her allotted seat, he/she should join Round-1 seat and give willingness for Up-gradation at the allotted college. However, if a candidate wants to participate directly in Round-2 without retaining the Round-1 seat he/she may not join the college and do choice filling for Round-2 since Round-1 has free exit option. In the above said case the Round-1 seat of the candidate will be cancelled and he/she cannot claim the Round-1 seat.

Please note that in case you are satisfied with the seat allotted to you in Round-1 and do not give willingness for up-gradation in Round-2 as 'Yes', you will not be considered eligible for participating in Round-2 i.e. for up-gradation of your choice.

Q. No. 17: What is second round of online allotment process & who are eligible for the same?

Ans:

- Round-2 of online allotment process is up-gradation round wherein the candidates who have not registered initially during round-1 can register and participate for round-2.
- Candidates who have joined Round-1 allotted seat can opt for up-gradation during Round- 2. And, candidates who were allotted Round-1 seat but did not join it, can also participate without fresh registration.

Therefore, the following categories of Candidates are eligible for seat allotment in 2nd round:

Category-I: Registered candidates who participated in Round-2 but did not get any seat allotted in the 1st round.

Category-II: Registered candidates, whose 1st round of allotted seat got Cancelled during the document verification on reporting for admission, who have secured seat under reserved quota, due to change of Category from reserved to Unreserved or PwD status from Yes to No, but are still eligible in the next round of seat allotment, with changed Category, subject to fulfillment of eligibility conditions. Conversion algorithm is

given below (*)

Category–III: Candidates who have reported/joined at allotted institute during the joining period of round-1 of allotment and submitted willingness for participating in second round up- gradation as ‘Yes’.

Category-IV: Candidates who exited during Round-1 availing Free Exit can log in again with their earlier Registered details.

Category-V: Candidates who did not register in Round-1 can do fresh registration and participate directly in Round-2.

(*) **Conversion algorithm:** The conversion of seats will be carried out during the second round of seat allotment for AIQ and Mop Up Round for Deemed and Central Universities/Institutes.

Accordingly, the candidates are required to keep this aspect also in mind while filling up the seats during choice filling period before allotment of Round-2 for All India Quota and Mop-up Round. The conversion of vacant reserved seats will be done as per the following algorithm:

S.NO.	CONVERSION CATEGORY	CATEGORY CONVERTED TO
1.	ST (PwD)	ST
2.	SC (PwD)	SC
3.	UR (PwD)	UR
4.	OBC(PwD)	OBC
5.	ST	SC
6.	SC	UR
7.	EWS	UR

Q. No. 18: Do I have to fill-up choices of subject and College to participate in second Round of allotment process separately?

Ans: Yes, for Round-2 and Mop Up round of Deemed/ Central Universities, candidates are required to submit fresh choices. During the second round of online allotment process, the choice of higher preference will be considered for up-gradation for those candidates who give option to upgrade their choice at the time of admission at allotted Medical/Dental College. During Round-2, fresh allotment will be considered for those eligible candidates who could not be allotted seat due to non-availability of seat in Round-1, (subject to availability of seat) and for candidates who have logged in again in Round-2 after Free Exit from Round- 1 .

Q. No. 19: If sufficient number of qualified PwD candidates are not available then, what will happen to those un-allotted PG seats, reserved for PwD candidates?

Ans: The un-allotted PG seats earmarked for UR-PwD, SC-PwD, ST-PwD and OBC-PwD will be reverted/converted to respective categories like SC-PwD to SC and so on, during the second Round of AIQ and Mop Up round (Central Universities) of allotment process after processing choices to PwD category candidates in second round and Mop Up Round.

Q. No. 20: If I give consent for up-gradation of my choice during Round-1 and if my choice is upgraded, is it necessary to join at college allotted during second round? Or in case I change my decision of upgrading choice, can I continue to study in college allotted through first round of allotment?

Ans: In case candidate is allotted seat during the Round-1 of allotment process and his choice is upgraded in Round-2, the seat allotted during the first round will be automatically cancelled immediately (and allotted to somebody else eligible as per merit) and candidate will have to join the college / seat allotted during second round. If candidate does not join the college/seat allotted during the second round, with in stipulated time, as per schedule, his/her Refundable Security Deposit will be forfeited. After joining the allotted institute in Round-2 the candidate will not be eligible to participate in any other round of counseling (For AIQ as well as Deemed/Central University counseling). **The names of such candidates who have joined in Round-**

2 of AIQ / Deemed / Central Universities will be circulated to all state counseling authorities for prohibiting them to participate in any other counseling.

Seat can also be up-graded in the same college by change of category (i.e. ST / SC / OBC to UR or PwD to non-PwD seat) in such a case the candidate has to take fresh admission on the up-graded seat.

Candidate who did not get any Up-gradation in Round-2 will continue to study in the same college.

Q. No. 21: If I give option to participate in ROUND-2 at the time of joining college from first round allotment, but later change my decision and want to continue study at already allotted Medical / Dental College of Round-1, what is the procedure to avoid change (cancellation) of already allotted college/seat?

Ans: In such a case candidate need not fill any fresh choices for Round-2 and the earlier seat will be retained.

Q. No. 22: Is there any option to choose between Recognised and Permitted seats?

Ans: MCC does not differentiate between Recognized/ Permitted Seats and the allotment is made only on MCI APPROVED Seats. As decided in the MCC committee by the competent authority, MCC/DGHS is receiving consolidated Approved seats (Recognised + Permitted) from the participating colleges and allotment will be made on the combined approved seats. Since, the MCC is not aware of the number of Recognized/ Permitted seats for each college and allotment is made purely on the basis of merit & choice of the candidate, it is on the discretion of College/Institute to provide Recognized/ Permitted Seats to the allotted candidate as per their policy/rules and regulations. However, as a general rule, the candidate with higher merit/ NEET rank may be preferred for recognized seat followed by next candidate for permitted seat. The allotment made through online allotment process

will be firm and final as per Hon'ble Supreme Court's directions.

Q. No. 23: If I forget my password that I have created during the process of registration, how to retrieve it?

Ans: To retrieve the forgotten password, system facilitates the following process:

The candidate is required to enter the information that he/she filled at the time of registration and then the security question & answer thereon to be entered as given during New Candidate registration process. The above data submitted by candidate will be validated with the registered candidates' database. If the above entries match, then only the candidate would be permitted to enter new password to proceed further.

IMPORTANT

Candidates are advised to remember the password and also retain their application form and admit cards printout ready till completion of admission process. It is not possible for MCC/NIC to retrieve such password.

Q. No. 24: In case I have Birth Certificate/Caste Certificate/other certificate(s) in regional language, will it be acceptable at the time of reporting/joining?

Ans: Certificates issued by the competent authority should be in English or Hindi language. Please remember that some of the states insist for certificate in English language only. Candidates are advised to carry Certified Copy of English version of the original certificate, in case certificate issued is in other language than English along with original certificate.

Q. No. 25: If there is discrepancy in spelling of name in documents and application form, what do I do?

Ans: If there is discrepancy in spelling in documents candidate must carry proof that the documents belong to same person, in form of an affidavit/undertaking.

Q. No. 26: Can I get prospectus (Information Bulletin) of All India Post Graduate Medical / Dental Entrance Examination for the current year for admission to All India Quota Post Graduate Medical / Dental courses for admission to 50% of total seats on All India basis?

Ans: Copy of prospectus is available on NBE website <http://www.nbe.gov.in> and www.mcc.nic.in for Medical /Dental Seats.

Q. No. 27: What about condition of Stipend / fee structure / course duration / bond amount / rendering of service in rural / tribal area / other conditions.

Ans: Stipend /fee structure/ course duration / bond amount / rendering of service in rural / tribal area/other conditions etc. may vary from State to State and Institute to

Institute. Some seats may be approved/ permitted but not yet recognized by MCI. However, MCC does not differentiate between Recognized/ Permitted Seats and the allotment is made only on MCI/NMC/DCI APPROVED Seats. The allotment made through online allotment process will be firm and final as per Hon'ble Supreme Court's directions. Therefore, the candidates should well examine these points before opting for a seat at a medical/dental college. The Medical Counseling Committee (MCC) shall neither be responsible nor shall entertain any case on above grounds, if any. The information received from various participating Medical/ Dental Colleges has been made available on Ministry of Health & Family Welfare / MCC website (under the Medical Counseling - Post-graduate Counseling - Information about college, fee, bond information etc.). Candidates are advised to visit the website of college/ institution to check the information. In case they require any additional information, they can contact the college / institution on telephone. **MCC has no role in fixation of Fee Structure of Deemed Universities. Therefore, MCC of DGHS will not entertain any request or complaint regarding Fee Structure of Deemed Universities.**

Q. No. 28: How to use registration and Choice filling form on website?

Ans: Candidates will have to log on to website www.mcc.nic.in to **get registered (Registration facility will open on dates as mentioned in Schedule)** and then fill in choices. It is advised that after going through the seat matrix, a tentative list may be prepared first as per your preference of subjects and colleges, before attempting to fill choices on-line.

Q. No. 29: Difficulty in login, what may be the problem(s)?

Ans: Follow the instructions about use of browser (**Mozilla Fire Fox, Internet Explorer - (Latest Version), Google Chrome**), use of same spellings, same format of date (Use digits for day, month and year with - in between) as in application form submitted to **National Board of Examination (NBE)**, New Delhi. The internet connection should be uninterrupted. If internet connection interruption takes place, the IP address which is being monitored will change and session expired message will be displayed. Please try to login from other computer from which other candidate(s) has logged in successfully, if possible.

Q. No. 30: I have difficulty in Creating Password, what may be the problem(s)?

Ans: Creation of password should be as per password policy. Please follow the password policy. Please use the internet browser as suggested in user manual, as it is difficult to login from some of the other browsers. While creating password avoid using Caps Lock key, instead of Caps Lock use shift key.

Q. No. 31: When I try to login for choice filling/submission, it say wrong roll numberpassword, what may be problem(s)?

Ans: This can happen if Roll Number/Testing ID typed is incorrect or password typed is incorrect. Password is case sensitive, therefore use password which was created by user exactly same as typed while creating. In case password is forgotten, try to generate new password by using security question and its answer.

Q. No. 32: What are the guidelines for choice filling before round one of online allotment process; Round-2 Allotment Process and Mop-up Round?

Ans: The Candidates are advised to fill in choice carefully for seats in (Higher preference to lowest preference). Choices once locked cannot be modified/alterd.

Q. No. 33: Can I modify my choices during the choice submission period for counseling?

Ans: Yes, you can modify, add or delete your choices during this period, before you lock your choices. However, the registration (of New Users) is permitted up to date and time specified in counselling Schedule, only.

Please note that you have to lock your choice by **date and time specified in Counseling Schedule**. If, not then the choices will be automatically locked by the server as per the schedule.

Q. No. 34: I have not locked my choices before the time specified in counseling schedule onlast date of choice locking, what will happen to my choices?

Ans: The choices submitted and saved by you will be locked by the system at the time of last date/date of choice locking as mentioned in Counseling Schedule, automatically. Once locked, the choices cannot be altered/modified/changed.

Q. No. 35: How can I get print out of my choices which system has locked?

Ans: After the specified time of last date/date of choice locking (or after choice locking) print out can be taken from MCC website after login by the Candidate, link is available on the left- hand side of the page as “Print Lock Choice”.

Q. No. 36: If I opt to participate in second round of counseling whether my allotted seat (of firstround) will be cancelled?

Ans: In case you are not allotted any seat in the second round you will retain earlier allotted seat of Round-1 (if you have already completed admission formalities and not resigned from the allotted seat). However, on allotment of a seat in second round the earlier allotted seat will automatically be cancelled and allotted to another candidate.

Q. No. 37: If I get an up-graded seat during second round of AIQ/ Deemed/ Central University from Round-1, can I join that college directly?

Ans: No, you will have to get a relieving letter from the earlier institute/college (of ROUND-1) generated on-line, before you can join the next college/institution.

Q. No. 38: In case I get an upgraded seat but in the same college, because of change of category, (e.g. from SC/ST/OBC to UR category) do I have to take admission on the allotted seat again?

Ans: Yes, you have to get a relieving letter generated on-line for the earlier seat and then get an admission letter again generated on-line for the upgraded category seat from the concerned institution; otherwise your seat would be cancelled or surrendered to state quota.

Q. No. 39: At the time of admission will my original certificates be retained by the allotted college/institution?

Ans: Yes, all the participating colleges/institutions have been instructed to retain original certificates of admitted students and release them only on up-gradation of the seat or resignation by the candidate.

Q. No. 40: In case some of the Post-graduate seats are sanctioned by the Medical Council of India/ Central Government after start of Counseling (as per Counseling Schedule) will they be added in seat matrix (available seats)?

Ans: As per the “Time Schedule for completion of Admission Process for PG (Broad Speciality) Medical Courses for All India and State Quota” notified in the Gazette of India: Extraordinary, notification dated 29th December 2015, approved by the Hon’ble Supreme Court of India in I.A. Number 7 & 8 in Writ Petition (Civil) no. 76 of 2015 in Ashish Ranjan & Ors. Vs Union of India & ors. Case vide order dated 18.01.2016, *“Institute/college/courses permitted after 28th February will not be considered for admission/allotment of seats for current academic year”*. As per Counseling Schedule (and MCI Admission Schedule) the 50% All India Quota Counseling will start after last date of issue of permission for starting new courses/ increase of PG seats including existing and PG seats permitted up to 28th February (last date of issue of permission). Accordingly, Round-1 and 2 of 50% All India Quota Counseling will be conducted and there is no provision of Round-3. However, Exception to the Rule is Seats which are increased due to Teacher/ Student ratio and sanctioned by 10 A act, such seats can be added in the Seat Matrix.

Q. No. 41: Will there be any Round 3 and 4 after completion of Round two of All India Quota Counseling?

Ans: As per the “Time Schedule for completion of Admission Process for PG (Broad Speciality) Medical Courses for All India and State Quota” notified in the Gazette of India: Extraordinary, notification dated 29th December 2015, approved by the Hon’ble Supreme Court of India in IA Number 7 &8 in Writ Petition (Civil) no. 76 of 2015 in Ashish Ranjan & Ors. Vs Union of India & ors. Case vide order dated 18/01/2016, there is provision of only two Rounds for All India Quota seats.

Q. No. 42: What will happen to seats which remain vacant after completion of Round two of All India Quota Counseling?

Ans: As per the “Time Schedule for completion of Admission Process for PG (Broad Speciality) Medical Courses for All India and State Quota” notified in the Gazette of India as per orders of Hon’ble Supreme Court of India in IA Number 7 &8 in Writ Petition (Civil) no. 76 of 2015 in Ashish Ranjan & Ors. Vs Union of India & Ors. Case, *“All India Quota seats remaining vacant after last date for joining will be deemed to be converted into State quota”*.

Q. No. 43: What is the procedure for Mop Up Round Counseling which will be conducted by DGHS for Deemed & Central Universities?

Ans: The net vacant seats due to Non-Allotted, Non-Joining, Non-Reporting of Round-2 will be published in the seat matrix and eligible candidates have to submit fresh choices and the result will be processed as per Choice & Merit for Mop Up Round.

Q. No. 44: Who will be eligible for DGHS Mop Up Round for Deemed & Central Universities?

Ans: The Following categories of candidates are eligible for Mop Up Round

- a) Candidates who are registering for the first time.
- b) Candidates who have registered but not been allotted a seat in Round-1 & Round 2.
- c) All candidates except those who are holding a seat of Round-1 or Round 2.

Q. No. 45: Who will not be eligible for Mop Up Round of Counseling for Deemed/ Central Universities?

Ans: Candidates who have joined seat in Round-1 or Round-2 of Deemed/ Central Universities are not eligible.

Q. No. 46: What is the schedule for Counseling and Admission to PG Courses?

Ans: As per the schedule uploaded on the Website (www.mcc.nic.in).

Q. No. 47: What is the permissibility to students to exercise fresh choice during counseling?

Ans: The following chart explains the above question:

Round	Free Exit	Exit with forfeiture of Fees	Ineligible for further counseling	Amount of Refundable Security Deposit.
AIQ I/ Deemed/Central Universities	✓			
AIQ II/ Deemed/ Central Universities		If not joined	If joined.	Government- Rs.25,000 & Rs. 10,000 for SC/ST/OBC Deemed –Rs. 2,00,000
State Quota I	✓			
State Quota II		If not joined	If Joined	Government- Rs. 25,000(half for SC/ST/OBC) Private- Rs 2,00,000
State Quota Mop Up			✓	
Mop Up Round of DGHS for Deemed/Central Universities		If allotted any seat, ineligible for further rounds of counseling	If joined	
Stray Vacancy Round at Institute level			✓	

Q. No. 48: How many rounds of counseling are for Deemed and Central Universities?

Ans: There will be three rounds of counseling for Deemed and Central Universities First, Second and Mop Up Round. The Stray Vacancy Round (Round 4) which is conducted in offline mode at the Institution level for which list of ten times the number

of vacancies will be sent by DGHS to Institutes for conduction of Stray which would be exhausted strictly in terms of merit as per the directions laid down in the Dar-Us-Salam case.

Please see the schedule on the website.

Q. No. 49: Whether counseling will be conducted for 50% State Quota seats of Central Universities also, and for which universities?

Ans: Yes, counseling for 50% State quota seats as per the University eligibility conditions will be conducted by MCC of DGHS, MoHFW for DU, AMU, BHU & Institutional Preference will be given to the candidates in 50% State Quota. It is to be noted that Rules & Regulations of Central Universities will apply. MCC of DGHS is only responsible for allotment of seats.

From this year, MCC of DGHS will be conducting counselling for 50% institutional quota seats of central institutes (VMMC & Safdarjung Hospital and ABVIMS & RML Hospital) affiliated to IP University.

Q. No. 50: What is the criteria for OBC reservation in Central Institutes of IP University?

Ans: There will be provision for OBC candidates of state quota of IP University to exercise their right of OBC reservation in IP University seats while they will be treated as UR (General Category) in All India Quota.

Q.No. 51: Is it required to confirm domicile status before filling up choices?

Ans: Candidates are advised to confirm their eligibility/domicile status before registering on MCC website for 50% Institutional Quota seats of Central Universities/Institutes before opting for their seats.

Q. No. 52: Whether Up-gradation is allowed from 2nd round counseling of Deemed/ Central Universities to Mop Up Round counseling of DGHS for Central / Deemed Universities?

Ans: No, Up-gradation is not allowed once a candidate joins a seat allotted in Round-2 of Deemed/ Central Universities.

Q. No. 53: Whether the Security Deposit which was submitted at the time of Registration will be refunded back in case the candidate is not allotted any seat during the rounds of online counseling conducted by DGHS?

Ans: Yes, in case the candidate is not allotted any seat during the 2 Round of AIQ and Mop Up Round of Deemed/ Central Universities, in such case the Security Deposit will be refunded back to the same account of the candidate from which payment had been made.

Q. No. 54: What will be the eligibility criteria for 50% Institutional seats of Central Universities which is being conducted by DGHS?

Ans: The eligibility conditions of the 50% Institutional Quota of the Central Universities will be as per the following eligibility criteria given by the respective institutions. For additional information please contact the concerned University.

AMU	An Institutional (Internal) candidate is one who has passed the qualifying examination (MBBS/BDS as applicable) from THIS University and completes his/her internship between April 01, 2018 and March 31, 2021 (both days inclusive).
BHU	<p>Only those Candidates who have passed BDS from Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU in December, 2019 (Supplementary Batch by 31/03/2020) and have completed Compulsory rotary internship before 31/03/2021 will be considered for admission to MDS Course-2021 in IMS, BHU under Internal (Institutional) quota pool, provided the Candidates have appeared and qualified in NEET-PG 2021 Examination.</p> <p>Candidate who are already pursuing MDS course in IMS, BHU through Internal (Institutional) quota or passed BDS from Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU in earlier academic years (i.e. before 2019) are not eligible for admission to PG Course 2021 under BHU Internal (Institutional) quota.</p>
DU	<p>a) For Delhi University Quota: The candidate must have passed final M.B.B.S examination (for MD/MS/Diploma Course) and BDS examination (for MDS Course) from the University of Delhi and must have completed satisfactorily one-year compulsory rotating internship as on or before March, 31 of the Year of admission and must have submit their internship completion certificate at the time of admission.</p> <p>b) For All India Quota: The candidate must have passed final M.B.B.S</p>

	examination (for MD/MS/Diploma Course) and BDS examination (for MDS Course) from the recognized Institution/University and must have completed satisfactorily one- year compulsory rotating internship as on or before March, 31 of the Year of admission and must submit their internship completion certificate at the time of admission.
Central Institutes (VMMC & SJH, ABVIMS & RML, ESIC, Basaidarapur)	The eligibility for Central Institutes will be as per their admission brochure. For more information please refer to their website.

Q. No. 55: Whether there will be two separate counseling for All India Quota and 50% Institutional Quota on separate days and separate platform?

Ans: This time there is common counseling software for AIQ/ Deemed University/ Central Institutional Quota/ **I.P University** & ESIC. Hence, the candidates of 50% Institutional Quota who are eligible for counseling should opt for the choices in order of preference between AIQ and 50% Institutional Quota. The computer will allot the seat in order of choice and merit from the choices filled by the candidate. It is important to note that the preference would be given to the Institutional candidates for their eligible institutions as per the Institution's eligibility criteria.

Q. No. 56: I have registered for Round 1. Should I register again for Round-2 and Mop Up Round?

Ans: No, only those candidates who have not registered in Round-1 need to register again for Round-2 or Mop Up Round. Candidates who did not report for the Seat allotted in Round-2 or whose admission got cancelled need to register again for Mop Up Round.

Q. No. 57: What is the process of counseling for AFMS?

Ans: Candidates who are willing to participate in AFMS screening should register under AFMS at the time of Registration & fill their eligibility as per the 5 categories given by the AFMS authorities. Further round of Offline counseling will be conducted by AFMS authorities.

Q. No. 58: Who is Eligible for Stray Vacancy Round of Deemed/ Central Universities?

Ans: All registered candidates who were not allotted any seat in any of the previous rounds are eligible for stray vacancy round of Deemed/Central Universities Rounds. However, Candidates are advised to check their eligibility conditions before applying.

Q. No. 59: Who are not eligible for Stray Vacancy Round of Deemed/Central Universities?

Ans: Following Candidates are not eligible:

- a) Candidates who joined the allotted seat in Round-2 of AIQ/ Deemed/ Central Universities.
- b) Candidates allotted a seat in Mop Up Round of DGHS since there is no option of fresh registration in stray vacancy round.
- c) Candidates joined the allotted seat in Mop Up Round of DGHS.

Q. No. 60: Whether I am eligible for State Counseling if allotted a seat in 2nd Round of DGHS?

Ans: If a candidate has been allotted a seat in Round-2 but not reported at the allotted Institute, he/she can exit with Forfeiture of Fees i.e. the Refundable Security Deposit will be forfeited. However, once the candidate joins a seat allotted in 2nd Round (of AIQ/ Deemed University) he/she will not be eligible for exiting the seat and not eligible for any other round of Counseling including State Counseling. The names of such candidates who have joined in Round-2 of AIQ/ Deemed/ Central Universities will be circulated to all state counseling authorities for prohibiting them to participate in any other counseling.

The above rule is due to the direction of Hon'ble Supreme Court in Dar-Us- Slam case.

Q. No. 61: Who are eligible for "Exit with Forfeiture" option?

Ans:

- a) Candidate who has been allotted a seat in Round-2/Mop-up Round but do not report at the college may Exit with Forfeiture. (i.e. The Security Deposit will not be refunded in such a case)

Please refer to Gazette Notification No. MCI-18(1)/2018-Med./100818 of Medical Council of India dated 5th April, 2018.

Q. No. 62: What will happen to the All India Quota (50%) seats of Central Universities remaining vacant after the second round of All India Quota Counseling?

Ans: Seats of Central Universities remaining vacant after the second round of All India Quota Counseling will be considered in the Mop-Up Round of the counselling conducted by MCC/DGHS.

Q. No. 63: What will happen to the All India Quota (50%) seats of Central Universities remaining vacant after the second round of All India Quota Counseling?

Ans: Seats of Central Universities remaining vacant after the second round of All India Quota Counseling will be considered in the Mop-Up Round of the counselling conducted by MCC/DGHS.

Q. No. 64: Who are eligible for NRI Category?

Ans: Candidates who fall under the category of NRI as per the directions/ orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case (W.P. (C) No. 689/2017- Consortium of Deemed Universities in Karnataka (CODEUNIK) & Anr. Vs. Union of India & Ors.) dated 22-08- 2017 are eligible for NRI Category.

Please refer to Chapter 4- Deemed University.

Q.No.65: Whether NRI category candidates are eligible for Management Quota seats as well?

Ans: Yes, the NRI category candidates are eligible for Management quota seats as well. The seats will be allotted to candidates in order of preference or choices filled by the candidate as per merit only.

Q. No. 66: What are the helpline numbers for PG Counselling & Finance related queries?

Ans: The following are numbers for PG Counselling & Finance related queries: 1800 1027637, 0120- 4073500.

Q. No. 67: How do I know the seat allotted to me is Recognized or Permitted?

Ans: Allotment of seats done by MCC is by computer software and does not

differentiate between Recognized or Permitted. The seats allotted by MCC are all MCI Approved Seats. Only the allotted college would be able to tell whether the seat is Permitted or Recognized.

Ideally, the higher merit candidates will be given recognized seat and lower merit candidates would be given permitted seat.

Q. No. 68: How much money will be deducted as Transaction fee/Service fee by the College in case of Upgradation in the next round or after Resignation?

Ans: Candidates are advised to contact college authorities regarding Transaction fee/Service fees or other related fees before joining the college as MCC would not be responsible for any Refund related issues with the college.

Q. No. 69: I have joined my allotted college of second round of counselling for All India Quota and now I am being offered another seat in State Quota / DNB, can I resign from my second round (AIQ) seat?

Ans: Once you have joined your second round allotted college of All India Quota you will not be allowed to resign from your All India Quota seat in compliance with the directions of the **Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 09/05/2017 passed in Writ Petition© No.267 of 2017 –Dar-Us-Slam Educational Trust & Ors Vs MCI & Ors. Directorate General of health Services, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.**

Q. No. 70: I have joined my allotted college of second round of counselling for Deemed University now I am being offered another seat in State Quota /DNB, what is the process of resigning and the Bond to pay?

Ans: Once you have joined your allotted college in second round of Deemed University counselling you will not be allowed to resign from your Deemed University seat and will not be eligible for any further round of counselling in compliance with the directions of the **Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 09/5/2017 passed in Writ Petition© No.267 of 2017 –Dar- Us-Slam Educational Trust & Ors. Vs MCI & Ors. Directorate General of health Services, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.**

Q. No. 71: I have not registered with the MCC during first, second and Mop Up round, now I want to register in the Stray Vacancy round during the ongoing counselling schedule, what is the process of registration?

Ans: Registration for Counselling conducted by MCC is only permitted during first, second and Mop Up Round and no fresh registration can be done during stray vacancy round.

REFUND RELATED INFORMATION

Important questions regarding Refund Issues:

Q. No. 72: When and where this Security Deposit will be refunded?

Ans:

1. Security amount will be refunded only after the completion of all rounds of Counseling. MCC will notify about the completion counselling on their website “www.mcc.nic.in”.The Financial Custodian will initiate the refund of security deposit within 15 days of such notification and complete within 30 days of such notification.
2. The security amount will be refunded to the same account from where the security amount was initially deposited by the candidate. E.g. If the security amount was deposited through Card # 1234XXXXXXXXX5678, then the refund will go to Card #1234XXXXXXXXX5678 only. If the security amount was deposited from account # 123456789012 of State Bank of India ISF Code SBIN0003567 then the refund will go to then the refund will go to # 123456789012 of State Bank of India ISF Code SBIN0003567 only.

Hence, the candidate must keep their card/bank account ACTIVE till refund process is completed.

Q. NO. 73: If the security deposit is remitted through unrelated card/bank account can the candidate request for refund to different card/bank account?

Ans: No. The security deposit will be refunded only to the account from where the security deposit was initially deposited. **The candidates are advised to not to use unrelated card/bank accounts for remitting security deposit. MCC will not entertain such requests.**

Q. NO. 74: What happens if the candidate, by mistake, makes more than one payment for the same Roll #?

Ans: Candidate can approach the Financial Custodian after 15 days of closing of Registration Window. The Financial custodian will refund the excess payment, if any,

between 20 to 30 days of closing of Registration Window.

The financial custodian will deduct, towards their admn. expenses, 50% of the Regn Fees or Rs.500/- whichever is less from the excess receipt refund .

Q. NO. 75: Do I have to request the Financial Custodian to refund the security amount? What is the schedule for refund of security amount?

Ans: NO. Candidate need not approach the Financial Custodian for refund of security amount. The Medical Counselling Committee will publish the list of candidates who are eligible for the refund of security amount on the website of MCC "www.mcc.nic.in" once all rounds of counselling are completed. The Financial Custodian will initiate the refund of security amount within 15 working days and complete the refund of security deposit within 30 days of publishing the eligible list in the MCC Website. Once the Financial Custodian completes the refund, MCC will publish the refund details along with refund date & transaction # in the website of MCC "www.mcc.nic.in" within 45 days of publishing the eligible list in the MCC Website. The refund will be credited, depending upon the level of digitalization of candidate's bank, to the candidates account between 2 to 15 days from the date of refund by Financial Custodian.

Q. NO. 76: Can candidate initiate refund proceedings through chargeback claim through the card Issuing bank?

Ans: NO. Candidates who has been allotted Roll # should not initiate refund proceedings through chargeback claim through the card issuing bank. If the chargeback claim is initiated, the Financial Custodian will be debarred by the Payment Gateway Service Providers from initiating direct refund. The candidate has to approach only their card issuing banks for refunds. Moreover, if chargeback claim is raised, refund will be inordinately delayed. **Hence candidates are advised to not to initiate chargeback claim.**

Q. NO. 77: Who is the Financial Custodian?

Ans: HLL Lifecare Ltd, a Govt. of India Undertaking under Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is the Financial Custodian. They will, on behalf of MCC, collect non-refundable Registration Fees and refundable security deposit from the candidates and refund the security deposit to the candidates.

Q. No. 78: How to contact the Financial Custodian?

Ans: The Financial Custodian Can be contacted through email "financemcc@lifecarehl.com" The Financial custodian will respond only to the mails through mail id registered in the application form.

- Direct queries to MCC will not be entertained.
- All refund related queries must be addressed to financemcc@lifecarehll.com only.
- Candidate can approach Financial Custodian only after 15 days of Counselling Window Closing or 30 days of publication of “candidate eligible for refund” list in MCC web-site (Refer FAQ 75 &76).

Q. No. 79: Will Medical Counselling Committee bear the bank charges incurred by the candidate while registering for counseling?

Ans: NO, Bank Charges if any, incurred by the candidate should be borne by the candidate only.

Q. No. 80: Can candidate remit the Registration Fee and Security Deposit from NRI Account?

Ans: NO, since MCC cannot, as per Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Rules, refund security deposit to NRI Account. If the candidate wants to use the funds available in his/ her NRI Account for registering for counseling, he / she has to first transfer funds from NRI Account to NRO Account and from NRO Account to MCC. The refund from MCC will be credited to NRO Account only.

Q. No. 81: Will MCC pay interest on the refundable security deposit?

Ans: NO. MCC will not pay interest on the refundable security deposit.

Q.No. 82: What are the modes of Online Payment at the time of Registration and Fees process?

Ans: At a time of Registration and Fees process candidates will provided with 3 (Three) Payment gateway:-

1. Standard Chartered Bank Payment Gateway (Any Debit Card/Credit Card/Net Banking/UPI)
2. SBIPay Payment Gateway (Any Debit/Credit Card/Net Banking/UPI)
3. HDFC Bank Payment Gateway (Any Debit/Credit Card/Net Banking)

CHAPTER 10- RESULT & ADMISSION

10.1 RESULT

The counseling for NEET-PG is conducted by MCC based on the result of qualified candidates sent by NBE. The whole counseling process is completely automated without any manual intervention.

MCC uploads the **provisional result at first in every round** for verification of the allotted college/institute based on their choices, merit and eligibility. They will also be given an opportunity to reach out to MCC if there is any discrepancy in the result. If no discrepancy is found or if the discrepancy is rectified, then the **final result** is uploaded on the MCC website.

Once the Candidates are allotted a seat based on their merit, choice & eligibility, in any of the Rounds of counseling conducted by MCC the Candidates will be required to download their '**allotment letter**' from the MCC website (www.mcc.nic.in). If the Candidate is satisfied with his/her allotment he/she may approach the allotted college/institute for completing the admission formalities.

However, it is clarified that, **the allotment made by MCC in any of the rounds is purely provisional subject to physical verification of documents of the candidate by the allotted college authorities.**

10.2 ADMISSION

If the Candidate is satisfied with his/her allotment he/she may approach the allotted college/institute for completing the admission formalities.

Original documents required at the time of joining in allotted Medical/Dental College are as mentioned below:

- i. Allotment Letter issued by MCC
- ii. Admit Card issued by NBE
- iii. Result/Rank Letter issued by NBE
- iv. Mark Sheets of MBBS/BDS 1st, 2nd & 3rd Professional Examinations.
- v. MBBS/BDS Degree Certificate/Provisional Certificate.
- vi. Internship Completion Certificate/Certificate from the Head of Institution or College that the candidate shall complete the Internship by 31st March, of the year of admission.

- vii. Permanent / provisional Registration Certificate issued by MCI or DCI/State Medical or Dental Council. Provisional Registration Certificate is acceptable only in cases where candidate is undergoing internship and likely to complete the same on or before 31st March of the year of admission.
- viii. High School/Higher Secondary Certificate/Birth Certificate as proof of date or birth.
- ix. Candidates allotted seat must carry one of the identification proofs (ID Proof) to the allotted college at the time of admission (as mentioned in the information Bulletin published by the National Board of Examinations (NBE) for AIPGMEE/ AIPGDEE i.e. PAN Card, Driving License, Voter ID, Passport or Aadhaar Card).
- x. The Candidate should also bring the following certificates, if applicable
 - a. SC/ST Certificate issued by the competent authority (in the format as specified in the prospectus) and should be in English or Hindi language. Sub caste should be clearly mentioned in the certificate.
 - b. EWS Certificate as per Central Govt. Norms
 - c. OBC certificate issued by the competent authority. The sub-caste should tally with the Central List of OBC. The OBC candidates should not belong to Creamy Layer. The OBC certificate must be in the format as mentioned in the prospectus.
 - d. Disability Certificate issued from a duly constituted and authorized Medical Board for 21 Benchmark Disabilities as per the Rights of Persons with Disability Act, 2016. No other PwD certificate, issued by any other Authorities/ Hospital will be entertained. The format of Certificate of Disability is attached as ANNEXURE-I.

The physical verification of the documents will be done by the respective college authorities and MCC has no role to play in the same.

However, it is once again clarified that, **the allotment made by MCC in any of the rounds is purely provisional subject to physical verification of documents of the candidate by the allotted college authorities.**

Also, the information regarding Stipend/fee structure/course duration/bond amount/ rendering of service in rural/tribal area/other conditions etc. has been provided by Medical Colleges. MCC/ DGHS takes no responsibility regarding the said information including Fees/Bond/Mode of Payment or any typographical error/ data etc. Candidates are advised to visit College website or contact the College Authorities directly for any query regarding above information before filling choices.

CHAPTER 11- HELP DESK

11.1. The Information Bulletin and the information uploaded on the MCC website from time to time will lead you through the whole process of registering for Counselling process.

11.2. For any further communication you may contact MCC:

MCC CALL CENTRE:

Phone No. : 0120-4073500

TOLL FREE NUMBER : 1800 102 7637

Please contact the above numbers for Queries related to Counseling.

Please note that all queries will be answered during Call centre timings only i.e. 9:00 AM to 8:30 PM. The Call Centre will be closed on Sundays.

MCC:

E-mail : adgme@nic.in (Only for Administrative Queries)

E-mail : financemcc@lifecarehll.com (Only for Queries regarding Finance/Accounts / Refund related matters of online counselling NEET PG)

Note: All the emails must be sent to the respective email IDs for respective queries / grievances only and any email sent to any other email ID other than the concerned email IDs would not be considered in any case. Also, mails will be answered during office hours only i.e. 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Monday to Saturday

11.3. While sending the queries the Candidates must specify the following details:

- i. Name
- ii. Application Number
- iii. Roll Number
- iv. Rank
- v. Contact Number
- vi. Email ID

Emails sent without the afore-stated information may not be entertained.

The Candidates are informed that the queries whose answer is available in the Information Bulletin will not be answered.

ANNEXURE-I

- **List of Centres who will issue Disability Certificates as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act-2016.**

S/No.	Centres who will issue Disability Certificates as per 21 Benchmark Disabilities given under RPWD Act-2016	City/State
1.	Vardhman Mahavir Medical College & Safdarjang Hospital,	New Delhi
2.	All India Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (for Locomotor Disability only)	Mumbai
3.	Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research	Kolkata
4.	Madras Medical College	Chennai
5.	Grant Government Medical College, J.J. Hospital Compound	Mumbai, Maharashtra
6.	Goa Medical College	Goa
7.	Government Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram	Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
8.	SMS Medical College	Jaipur, Rajasthan
9.	Govt. Medical College and Hospital, Sector32	Chandigarh
10.	Govt. Medical College, Agartala, State Disability Board	Agartala/Tripura
11.	Institute of Medical Sciences, Banaras Hindu University,	Varanasi/ Uttar Pradesh
12.	Ali Yavar Jung National Institute of Speech and Hearing Disabilities, Bandra, Mumbai (fo (for Hearing Disabilities only)	Mumbai, Maharashtra
13.	AIIMS, Nagpur	Nagpur, Maharashtra

CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY

Annexure - 2

(As per MCI Gazette Notification No. MCI-18(1)/2018-Med./187262 dated 5th Feb, 2019/ 14th May, 2019 for admission to Medical Courses in All India Quota)

Certificate No. _____ Dated _____

Name of the Designated Disability Centre (as per ANNEXURE):

This to certify that Dr. / Mr. / Ms. _____

Aged _____ Years Son/ Daughter of Mr. _____

R/o _____

**Recent Passport
Size Photograph
of the candidate
duly attested by
the issuing
authority**

NEET Roll No. _____, Rank No. _____, has the following

Disability (Name of the Specified Disability) _____ (in percentage)

of _____ (in words) _____ (in Figures).

• **Please tick on the “Specified Disability”**

(Assessment may be done on the basis of Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part-II, Section 3 Sub-section(ii), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment)

S/No.	Disability Type	Type of Disability	Specified Disability
1.	Physical Disability	A. Locomotor Disability* B. Visual Impairment* C. Hearing Impairment* D. Speech & Language Disability	a. Leprosy cured person, b. Cerebral Palsy, c. Dwarfism, d. Muscular Dystrophy, e. Acid attack Victims, f. others such as Amputation, Poliomyelitis a. Blindness b. Low Vision a. Deaf b. Hard of hearing a. Organic/ Neurological causes
2.	Intellectual Disability		a. Specific Learning Disabilities(Perceptual disabilities, Dyslexia, Dyscalculia, Dyspraxia & Developmental Aphasia b. Autism Spectrum Disorders
3.	Mental Behaviour		a. Mental illness
4.	Disability caused due to	a. Chronic Neurological Conditions b. Blood Disorders	i. Multiple Sclerosis ii. Parkinsonism i. Haemophilia, ii. Thalassemia, iii. Sickle Cell Disease
5.	Multiple Disabilities including Deaf Blindness		More than one of the above specified disabilities

• **Conclusion:** He/ She is **Eligible/ Not Eligible** for admission in Medical/ Dental courses as per the MCI Gazette Notification subject to his being otherwise medically fit.

❖ Functional competency with the aid of **Assistive devices** in case of **Locomotor*/ Visual*/ Hearing* Impairment**, if any _____

Sign & Name _____
(Concerned Specialist)

Sign & Name _____
(Concerned Specialist)

Sign & Name _____
(Concerned Specialist)

ANNEXURE-3

PROFORMA FOR SCHEDULED CASTE AND SCHEDULED TRIBE CERTIFICATE

Form of certificate as prescribed in M.H.A., O.M., No. 42/21/49-N.G.S. dated the 28.1.1952, as revised in Dept. of Per- & A.R. letter No. 36012/6/76-Est. (S.CT), dated the 29.10.1977, to be produced by candidate belonging to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe in support of his/her claim.

CASTE CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum.* ----- son/daughter* of ----- of village/town*-----in district/Division*-----of the State/Union Territory* ----- belongs to the----- Caste/ Tribe which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe*under:

- The Constitution (Scheduled Caste) Order, 1950
- The Constitution (Scheduled Tribe) Order, 1950
- The Constitution (Scheduled Caste) (Union Territories) Order,1951
- The Constitution (Scheduled Tribe) (Union Territories) Order,1951

1. (as amended by the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Lists (Modification) order, 1956, the Bombay Re-organization Act, 1960, the Punjab Re- organization Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970 the North Eastern Areas (Re-organization) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders, (Amendment) Act, 1976).

- The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Caste Order, 1956.
- The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959.
- The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Caste Order, 1962.
- The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1962.
- The Constitution (Puducherry) Scheduled Caste Order, 1964
- The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1967.
- The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Caste Order, 1968.
- The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1968.
- The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970.
- The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Caste Order, 1978.
- The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978.

2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Caste/Schedule Tribe persons who have migrated from one State/Union Territory Administration:

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* certificate issued to Shri/Smt*----- -father/mother of Shri/Smt/Kum* - ----- of village/town* ----- in District/Division* -----of the State/Union Territory*----- who belongs to the -----caste/tribe which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* in the State/Union Territory* -----issued by the ----- (name of prescribed authority) vide their No----- - date -----.

3. Shri*/Smt.*/Kum* -----and/or his/her* family ordinary reside (s) in village/town* -----of the State/Union Territory of -----.

Signature_____

Place----- State/Union Territory ** Designation-----

Date----- (With seal of Office)

* Please delete the words which are not applicable.

- Please quote specific Presidential Order.
- Delete the paragraph which is not applicable.

** Should be signed by the Authorities empowered to issue Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe certificates as specified above.

ANNEXURE-4

PROFORMA FOR OTHER BACKWARD CLASS (OBC-NCL) CERTIFICATE

(Certificate to be produced by Other Backward Class applying for admission to Central Educational Institute (CEIS) under the Government of India)

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum./Dr. _____ Son/Daughter of Shri/Dr. _____ of Village/Town _____ District/Division _____ in the _____ State belongs to the _____ Community which is recognized as a backward class under:

- (i) Resolution No. 12011/68/93-BCC(C) dated 10/09/93 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 186 dated 13/09/93.
- (ii) Resolution No. 12011/9/94-BCC dated 19/10/94 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 163 dated 20/10/94.
- (iii) Resolution No. 12011/7/95-BCC dated 24/05/95 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 88 dated 25/05/95.
- (iv) Resolution No. 12011/96/94-BCC dated 09/03/96.
- (v) Resolution No. 12011/44/96-BCC dated 06/12/96 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 120 dated 11/12/96.
- (vi) Resolution No. 12011/13/97-BCC dated 03/12/97.
- (vii) Resolution No. 12011/99/94-BCC dated 11/12/97.
- (viii) Resolution No. 12011/68/98-BCC dated 27/10/99.
- (ix) Resolution No. 12011/88/98-BCC dated 06/12/99 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 270 dated 06/12/99.
- (x) Resolution No. 12011/36/99-BCC dated 04/04/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 71 dated 04/04/2004.
- (xi) Resolution No. 12011/44/99-BCC dated 21/09/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 210 dated 21/09/2000.
- (xii) Resolution No. 12015/09/2000-BCC dated 06/09/2001.
- (xiii) Resolution No. 12011/01/2001-BCC dated 19/06/2003.
- (xiv) Resolution No. 12011/04/2002-BCC dated 13/01/2004.
- (xv) Resolution No. 12011/09/2004-BCC dated 16/01/2006 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary part I Section I No. 210 dated 16/01/2006.
- (xvi) Resolution No. 20012/129/2009/-BC-II dated 04/03/2014 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I section I no. 63 dated 04/03/2014.

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the _____ District/Division of _____ State.

This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/section (creamy layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Scheduled to the Government of India. Department of Personnel & Training O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) dated 08/09/93 which is modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004 Estt. (Res.) dated 09.03.2004 or the latest notification of the Government of India.

Dated:

District Magistrate/Competent Authority Seal

NOTE:

- (a) **The Term Ordinarily used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.**
- (b) **The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:**
 - (i) **District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate.)**
 - (ii) **Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief presidency Magistrate/Presidency magistrate.**
 - (iii) **Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.**
 - (iv) **Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family resides.**
- (c) **The annual income/status of the parents of the applicant should be based on financial year ending March 31, 2021.**

Government of
 (Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

INCOME & ASSEST CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

Certificate No. _____

Date: _____

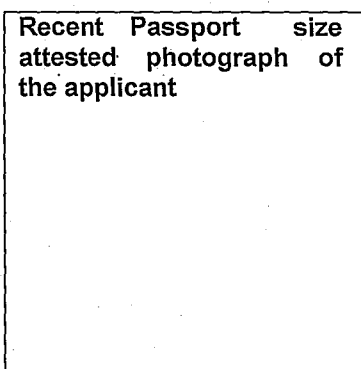
VALID FOR THE YEAR _____

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ son/daughter/wife of _____ permanent resident of _____, Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District _____ in the State/Union Territory _____ Pin Code _____ whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income* of his/her 'family'** is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year _____. His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets*** :

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
- II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
- III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ belongs to the _____ caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)

Signature with seal of Office _____
 Name _____
 Designation _____



*Note1: Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.

**Note 2: The term "Family" for this purpose include the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years

***Note 3: The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.