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NOTIFICATION

STRAY VACANCY ALLOTMENT TO PG DENTAL COURSES, KERALA - 2026

OPTIONS INVITED

The activities related to the Online Stray Vacancy Allotment to the vacant seats in Post Graduate Dental Courses-202 6 in Dental Colleges in the State have commenced. This allotment will be conducted to fill up the currently available vacant seats and vacancies arising, if any. The net vacant seats due to Un-allotted/Non joining after the Third round is published herewith. Candidate shall register options to any seats they wish to join, if allotted, irrespective of the vacancy status notified. The unallotted category seats were converted during the final phase of centralised allotment as per MDS Prospectus 2026 clause 18.1.1. Those eligible candidates who are included in the Revised Kerala State Merit List will only be considered for allotment. The options can be registered through the website **www.cee.kerala.gov.in** till **21.11.2026, 11:00 AM**.

Candidates may enter their Application Number & Password in the link **'PG Dental 2026 Candidate Portal'** provided in the above website to log on to their home page. By clicking the menu **'Stray Vacancy Registration'** candidates can register their options. The allotment will be based on the rank list and the online options received up to **11:00 AM on 21.11.2026**. Candidates who get allotment shall have to join the allotted colleges by paying the fees to the allotted college.

Tentative Schedule:

18.11.2026	**Website opens for Option Registration**
21.11.2026, 11:00 AM	**Option Registration ends**

21.11.2026	**Publication of Stray Vacancy Allotment (Provisional)**
23.11.2026	**Publication of Stray Vacancy Allotment (Final)**
24.11.2026 to 28.11.2026, 4:00 PM	**All candidates who get an allotment should join the course and college to which they are allotted along with the required documents and pay the fee at the colleges**
28.11.2026, 5:00 PM	**College authorities shall have to approve and submit the list of admitted candidates to the CEE through the OAMS.**

Conditions for Participating in Stray Vacancy Allotment:

- Candidates who vacated the seat after **07.11.2026, 05:00 PM** are not eligible for participating in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates included in the MCC ineligible list will not be eligible to participate in the State Stray Vacancy Allotment.
- Candidates who joined the allotted seats through the allotments conducted by CEE and still continuing in the allotted seat are not eligible for participating in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who have been allotted seats in the third round are not eligible to participate in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who have already been allotted or admitted to a seat through AIQ/State Counselling, including seats under the Private/Deemed quota, are not eligible to participate in this Stray Vacancy Allotment.

Registration Fee :-

There will be fresh option registration and separate Registration fee for stray vacancy counselling. The registration fee amounting to the annual tuition fee of the seat opted, if opted only for government seats, or an amount of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One lakh only), if opted also for private self-financing colleges will be set as registration fee. Those candidates who have paid any Registration fee to the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations through previous rounds of counselling, but not allotted any seat, have to pay the balance amount, if any, as Stray Vacancy Registration fee. Those who got allotment in the first and second round but did not join and those who vacated the seat in the first and second round allotments shall have to pay registration fee afresh as mentioned above. For SC/ST/OEC and other eligible candidates having fee concession, the registration fee will be half of the above amounts respectively. The registration fee paid for stray vacancy

allotment will be adjusted in the fee of the course, if the candidates gets an allotment or else will be refunded after the end of counselling. The registration fee paid for stray vacancy phase of those candidates **who do not join the seat allotted** in stray vacancy filling allotment will be treated as penalty and will not be refunded. Liquidated damages will also be applicable as per MDS 2026 Prospectus clause 19.5.

Note:

1. Candidates who belong to SC/ST/OEC/Children of Fisherman/Inmates of Sri Chithra home, Nirbhaya home, Juvenile home are exempted from payment of tuition fees.
2. If any candidate (including SC/ST/OEC Student) discontinue the PG Dental course after stray vacancy counselling, shall have to pay liquidated damages as stipulated in prospectus clause 19.5. If a service candidate discontinues the PG Dental course after the stray vacancy counselling, shall have to pay liquidated damages as per clause 11.5.

All details related to the counselling/allotment process are available in the Prospectus for admission to PG Dental Courses-2026, available on the website **www.cee.kerala.gov.in** of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.

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