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NOTIFICATION

THIRD ROUND ALLOTMENT TO PG DENTAL COURSES,
KERALA-2026
ONLINE OPTION REGISTRATION FACILITY AVAILABLE

The activities related to the Third Round Allotment to Post Graduate Dental courses-2026 in Government Dental Colleges and Private Self-financing Dental Colleges in the state have commenced. This allotment will be conducted to fill up the currently available vacant seats and the seats expected to be released during the allotment process of the third round. Eligible candidates included in the Rank list published by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations can register fresh options online through the website **www.cee.kerala.gov.in** up to **12.10.2026, 10:00 AM**. Candidates who have submitted online application as per notification dated **06.10.2026** can also register options, however only those eligible candidates who are included in the revised Kerala State Merit List will be considered for allotment.

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. Then by clicking the menu **‘Option Registration’** candidates can register their options online. The allotment will be based on the revised rank list and the online options received up to **10:00 AM on 12.10.2026**. Candidates who get an allotment in the third phase counselling

will lose their current admission. Candidates who get allotment shall have to join the allotted colleges by paying the fees to the allotted college.

Tentative schedule*:

07.10.2026	Website opens for Option Registration
12.10.2026, 10:00 AM	Time for Option Registration ends
12.10.2026	Publication of Third Phase Allotment (Provisional)
13.10.2026	Publication of Third Phase Allotment (Final)
14.10.2026 to 19.10.2026, 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.
19.10.2026, 5:00 PM	College authorities shall have to approve and submit the list of admitted candidates to the CEE through the OAMS.

**subject to change as per MCC schedule*

Candidates allotted to courses, and who remit the fee/balance fee as prescribed, should take admission in the colleges/course allotted as per the schedule prescribed by CEE. No extension of time for reporting to the college will be granted under any circumstances. The candidates are liable to pay admission fee as prescribed by the University at the time of admission. 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. The allotment to Colleges/Courses will be subject to recognition of All India Regulatory Bodies/ Affiliation from the Universities concerned.

Fresh option registration:

Fresh option registration will be available during the third (final) round. The **conversion of seats**, if any, will be carried out during this final round of allotment. From the final round onwards, restriction has been implemented to candidates in order to avoid lapsing of seats and holding of AIQ seats and State quota seats thus blocking seats. Hence candidates are

advised to exercise due diligence in exercising their options and do not file unwanted options to seats in which they do not wish to pursue studies. As a measure to prevent this, **a fresh option registration fee** will be implemented to all candidates, who register fresh options in the final round. Registration fee amounting to the annual tuition fee of the seat opted, if opted only for Government seat or an amount of Rs.1,00,000 (Rupees One lakhs only), if opted also for a seat in Private Self financing Dental College is set as option registration fee in final round. For SC/ST/OE and other candidates who are eligible for fee concession, the registration fee for Govt. / Pvt. Dental college seats will be half of the above amounts respectively. The registration fee paid for final round allotment will be adjusted in the fee of the course, if the candidate gets an allotment or else will be refunded after the end of counselling.

The registration fee paid for final round allotment of those candidates who do not join the seat allotted in the final phase allotment will be treated as penalty and will not be refunded. Candidates who file/retain unnecessary options & do not take admission on allotment to the Course/College during the final phase of allotment, resulting in Government seats in government/self financing colleges allotted by the CEE to lapse, will not be eligible for refund of fees. They will have to pay Liquidated damages as stipulated in Clause 19.5. Candidates who wish to cancel their existing admission and do not want to proceed in further allotments should apply for the **Transfer Certificate on or before 12.10.2026, 10:00 AM**. No refund of fees will be made to candidates who apply for Transfer Certificate/ Cancellation of admission under any circumstances, after the last date. They will also have to pay Liquidated damages as stipulated in Clause 19.5. A candidate who leaves one course to join another through **AIQ/State Quota**, either before or during the final centralized allotment process **shall not be liable** to pay liquidated damages.

Stray Vacancy Filling:

After the 3rd phase allotment, if any vacancy exist or arise, those vacancies shall be filled through **Stray Vacancy Allotment**. The Stray Vacancy Allotment offers fresh option registration to candidates. The following guidelines are applicable:

- Candidates who have been allotted seats in the third phase are not eligible for participating in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who joined the allotted seat in the third phase allotment are not eligible for participating in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who joined allotted seats in the first and second phase allotments and continuing on the same are not eligible to participate in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who exited the seat after **12.10.2026, 10:00 AM** are not eligible for participating in the stray vacancy filling.
- Candidates who joined/holding a seat in the All India quota/Deemed/Central University seats at the time of stray vacancy filling as per the data shared by the central authorities are not eligible for participating in stray vacancy filling.

All details related to the counseling/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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