



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health & Family Welfare Department- Medical Education-Academic- Admission to Medical Post Graduate Degree Course 2023-24- Prospectus - amended - Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(S)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.244/2023/H&FWD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 09-09-2023

- Read 1 GO(Ms) No.112/2023/H&FWD dated, 10.05.2023
- 2 GO(Ms) No.201/2023/H&FWD dated, 16.08.2023
- 3 GO(Ms) No.226/2023/H&FWD dated, 24.08.2023
4. GO (Ms)No.240/2023/H&FWD dated, 05.09.2023
5. Letter No.CEE/393/2023-TA1- Part(1) dated 07.09.2023 from the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations

ORDER

The Prospectus for admission to the Medical Post Graduate Degree Courses in Government Medical Colleges in the State and Regional Cancer Centre, Thiruvananthapuram for the academic session 2023-24 was approved as per the GO read at 1st paper above. As per the GO read as 2nd paper above, the category wise distribution of State Quota seats for Medical PG Degree Courses in Government Medical Medical Colleges and Regional Cancer Centre, Thiruvananthapuram was also approved. Subsequently, as per the GO read as 3rd paper above, the Prospectus for admission to the Medical Post Graduate Degree Courses in Government Medical Colleges in the State and Regional Cancer Centre,Thiruvananthapuram for the academic session 2023-24 was also amended in line with All India Counseling Procedure. The seat matrix for the newly added PG seats in Kottayam and Kozhikkode Medical colleges also approved as per the GO read as 4th paper above. In the letter read as 5th paper above ,the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations has furnished a proposal to further amend the Prospectus conditions for admission to the Medical Post Graduate Degree Courses to initiate a fresh option registration in the 3rd round of allotment .

2. Government have examined the proposal in detail and are pleased to amend the Prospectus for admission to the Medical Post Graduate Degree Courses in Government Medical Colleges in the State and Regional Cancer Centre, Thiruvananthapuram for the academic session 2023-24 as follows:-

Present Prospectus conditions (amended as per GO(Ms)No.226/2023/H&FWD dated 24.08.2023)	Amendment
Clause 10-1.18: eliminated	No change
<p>Clause 10-1.19: Stray Vacancy Filling: The stray vacancies that may exist after the completion of the admission process of the 3 rd round allotment will be filled up through an institution level stray vacancy filling procedure. The various lists of candidates for the stray vacancy filling will be prepared by the CEE based on the options registered by the candidates. So, candidates who intend to participate in the institution level stray vacancy filling should participate in the 3rd round allotment.</p>	Deleted
<p>Clause 10-2.1: Phase 1</p> <p>Eligible candidates, who are included in the State rank list (Kerala Merit list and Service Quota rank list) prepared by the CEE can register fresh options during the first phase counseling, based on which and based on rank and category, allotment will be published. A</p>	

Security deposit of Rs.10, 000 will have to be paid at the time of option registration. For SC/ST/OE and other candidates who are eligible for fee concession Rs.5000/- will have to be paid as Security deposit. Free exit has been offered to all candidates during the first phase of counseling i.e., those candidates, who have got an allotment/admission through first phase State counseling, can leave the seats without paying any penalty. But, a candidate who does not join the allotted seat in Phase 1 or who vacates the seat joined in Phase 1 will not be considered for Phase 2 allotment. His /her options will be deleted and will only be able to participate in the Stray Vacancy round wherein fresh options are registered. If a candidate gets an allotment and takes admission in the first phase, Security deposit will be adjusted to the tuition fee to be paid at the College or if he/she does not get an allotment in this or subsequent phases, this will be refunded after the completion of the entire counselling process.

No change

Clause10-2.2: Phase 2:

In the second phase counselling, there is no facility for fresh option registration for the candidates. Only

option confirmation /deletion/rearrangement of the existing options in Phase 2 is possible. Option confirmation is compulsory to participate in Phase2. Option registration will be available only if any new course is added to the list at this stage. If a candidate is allotted a seat in the first round and joined the allotted seat, his/her higher options will be retained and all those options listed below the allotted option will automatically be deleted thus enabling only up gradation/retention in the same seat. If a candidate joined in a seat in Phase 1 does not give confirmation of option in the Phase 2 he will not be considered for up gradation in Phase 2, but the seat joined in Phase 1 will be retained. So if a candidate joined in Phase 1 does not want up gradation in Phase 2, he/she may not confirm options or after confirmation delete all options registered.

Candidates who will be excluded from Phase 2 State Counseling:

- A candidate who was allotted a seat in Phase 1 of State counselling but did not join the allotted seat
- A candidate who joined the allotted seat in Phase 1 of State counselling but after that vacated the seat.
- A candidate who has been admitted in Round 3 of All India counseling.

Clause10-2.2: Phase 2 :

In the second round counselling, there is no facility for fresh option registration for the candidates. Only option confirmation/deletion/re-arrangement of the existing options in round 2 is possible. Option confirmation is compulsory to participate in round 2. Option registration will be available only if any new course is added to the list at this stage. If a candidate is allotted a seat in the first round and joined the allotted seat, his/her higher options will be retained and all those options listed below the allotted option will automatically be deleted thus enabling only up gradation/retention in the same seat. If a candidate joined in a seat in round 1 does not give confirmation of

If a candidate has been allotted a seat in the first phase and after the second phase of allotment is retained in the same seat he/she need not do the joining process again and shall be considered as joined in the Second round if he/she continues in the admitted status after the last date of joining specified for the second phase. Surrender of seats will not be permitted. This is also in line with the regulations issued by National Medical Commission wherein a candidate admitted in All India or State second round will not be considered for further phases of All India or State counselling.

Penalty Conditions in Phase 2:

If a candidate does not join the allotted seat in Phase 2 or vacates the joined seat allotted in Phase 1 or 2 after Phase 2 and before the notification for Stray Vacancy allotment is published he/she may exit with forfeiture of any Security deposit paid earlier. This will not be refunded and will be considered as a penalty.

If a candidate vacates phase 1 or phase 2 joined seats after the notification for Stray Vacancy allotment is published, he/she shall have to pay an amount equivalent to 10% of the annual tuition fee as penalty to the CEE and also the Security Deposit paid to CEE will not be refunded. He /she will not be

option in the round 2 he will not be considered for up gradation in round 2, but the seat joined in round 1 will be retained. So if a candidate joined in round 1 does not want up gradation in round 2, he/she may not confirm options or delete all options registered.

Free exit condition: Those candidates who wish to vacate the seats joined through Round 1 / Round 2 can exit the seat on or before the date notified by the CEE. But, such candidates will not be considered for further rounds of centralized allotment process except in Stray vacancy allotment.

<p>considered for further rounds of counselling.</p>	
<p>Clause 10-2.3: Phase 3</p> <p>After the first two rounds of counseling, Third allotment will start. There is no facility for fresh option registration for the candidates. Only option confirmation/deletion/rearrangement of the existing options in Phase 3 is possible. Option confirmation is compulsory to participate in Phase 3. Option registration will be available only if any new course is added to the list at this stage. If a candidate is allotted a seat in the second round and joined the allotted seat, his/her higher options will be retained and all those options listed below the allotted option will automatically be deleted thus enabling only up gradation/retention in the same seat. If a candidate joined in a seat in Phase 2 does not give confirmation of option in the Phase 3 he will not be considered for up gradation in Phase 3, but the seat joined in Phase 2 will be retained. So if a candidate joined in Phase 2 does not want up gradation in Phase 3, he/she may not confirm options or</p>	<p>Clause 10-2.3: Phase 3:</p> <p>After the 2nd Round allotment , vacancies exist or arise shall be filled in the 3rd round allotment .There is facility for fresh option registration in 3rd round.</p> <p><u>Conditions for 3rd round allotment to PG Medical Courses:-</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Those candidates who have not registered in Round-1 shall have to pay security deposit for fresh registration forfeiting the already paid security deposit. 2. Those who have got allotment in round 2 and do not take admission shall have to pay security deposit for fresh registration in 3rd round. 3. Those who have vacate the seat after the date prescribed by the CEE, will not be eligible for participating the 3rd round allotment. 4. The options registered in the previous rounds will not be considered for allotment in the 3rd round . 5. If any candidates does not join round 3 seat,he may exist with forfeiture of security deposit and cannot participate in further rounds of allotment. 6. If a candidate freshly register in round

after confirmation delete all options registered.

Candidates who will be excluded in 3 rd Allotment:

- A candidate who was allotted a seat in Phase 2 of State counseling but did not join the allotted seat
- A candidate who joined the allotted seat in Phase 2 of State counseling but after that vacated the seat.
- Those candidates who are allotted seats through All India 3 rd round allotment.

Penalty Conditions in 3 rd round :

From the 3 rd 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. A candidate allotted a seat in 3 rd round in State counseling shall be ineligible to participate in any further counseling.

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.

The list of candidates admitted as on the last date of admission in Phase 3 will be forwarded to MCC as the list of candidates ineligible to participate in any further rounds of

3 and is not allotted any seat, he/she is eligible to participate in Stray round .

7. Candidates getting allotment in Round 3 shall not have any claim on earlier rounds allotted seat.

Candidates shall register options to any seats they wish to join if allotted irrespective of the vacancy status as any vacancy that may arise during the counselling will be filled based on these options. As applicable category conversions of seats will take place in the third round allotment. While registering options for the third round allotment candidates are advised to take into account those probable vacancies too that may arise due to the applicable category conversion rules.

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<p>All India or State counseling.</p> <p>Those candidates who vacate seat (allotted in Round 1 or Round 2 or Round 3), after the last date of joining of Round 3 will not be considered for further rounds of counseling.</p>	<p>candidates ineligible to participate in any further rounds of All India or State counseling. Those candidates who vacate seat (allotted in Round 1 or Round 2 or Round 3), after the last date of joining of Round 3 will not be considered for further rounds of counselling and penalty will be initiated as per the Prospectus conditions .</p>
<p>Clause 10-2.4: Stray Vacancy Filling Phase 10-2.4(1):</p> <p>After the 3rd Round allotment, if any vacancies exist or arise, those vacancies shall be filled through Stray vacancy allotment. This may be conducted in online or offline mode and will be decided upon by the CEE at the time. The Stray vacancy allotment, offers fresh option registration to candidates. The net vacant seats due to Unallotted/ Non joining of Round 3 will be published. Candidates shall register options to any seats they wish to join if allotted irrespective of the vacancy status notified as any vacancy that may arise during the counseling will be filled based on these options. As applicable category conversions of seats will take place in the Stray Vacancy allotment, while registering options for the Stray Vacancy allotment candidates are advised to take into account those probable vacancies</p>	<p>Clause 10-2.4: Stray Vacancy Filling Phase:</p> <p>10-2.4 (1) After the 3rd Round allotment, if any vacancies exist or arise, those vacancies shall be filled through Stray vacancy allotment. For the stray vacancy allotment, the option registered by the candidates during the third round will be considered. This may be conducted in online or offline mode and will be decided upon by the CEE at the time. The net vacant seats due to un-allotted/ non joining of Round 3 will be published.</p> <p>10-2.4 (3): The various lists of candidates for the college level stray vacancy filling will be prepared based on the options registered for the stray vacancy allotment process. So, candidates who intend to participate in the institution level stray vacancy filling</p>

<p>too that may arise due to the applicable category conversion rules.</p> <p>10-2.4(3):The various lists of candidates for the college level stray vacancy filling will be prepared based on the options registered for the stray vacancy allotment process. So, candidates who intend to participate in the institution level stray vacancy filling has to register register fresh options for the stray vacancy allotment.</p>	<p>has to register fresh options for the third round allotment.</p> <p>If any candidate vacates a seat joined in Stray vacancy allotment or vacates a joined seat (joined in any of the previous rounds also) after Stray vacancy allotment process, he/she will be liable to pay liquidated damages as per clause 10-2.4(4) of the Prospectus.</p>
<p>Clause 10-3: Conversion of seats</p> <p>The conversion of seats if any will be carried out during the processing of options for the stray vacancy allotment. If any category seat remains vacant due to insufficient number of options to fill up the vacant seats even after fresh options are registered for the stray vacancy allotment, the applicable category conversion will be carried out as part of the stray vacancy allotment process. The conversion will be effected even if there are candidates of the category in the rank list but have failed to give options to the category seat in stray vacancy allotment. Such conversion will be done during the stray vacancy allotment process and allotment will be done to the new category arrived at by conversion. Any claim for the seat after effecting seat conversion and allotment to the converted</p>	<p>Clause 10-3: Conversion of seats</p> <p>The conversion of seats if any will be carried out during the processing of options for the third round allotment. If any category seat remains vacant due to insufficient number of options to fill up the vacant seats even after fresh options are registered for the third round allotment, the applicable category conversion will be carried out as part of the third round allotment process. The conversion will be effected even if there are candidates of the category in the rank list but have failed to give options to the category seat in third round allotment. Such conversion will be done during the third round allotment process and allotment will be done to the new category arrived at by conversion. Any claim for the seat after effecting seat conversion and allotment to the converted category in third round allotment due to absence of options of</p>

category in stray vacancy allotment due to absence of options of eligible candidates belonging to the original category will not be considered	eligible candidates belonging to the original category will not be considered.
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3. The GO read as 3rd paper above stands modified to the above extent.

(By order of the Governor)
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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

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