

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER FOR ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

HOUSING BOARD BUILDINGS, SANTHINAGAR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001.

NOTIFICATION

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION FOR ADMISSION TO POST GRADUATE MEDICAL(DEGREE/DIPLOMA) COURSES, KERALA -2015

1. Applications are invited for the Entrance Examination for admission to Post Graduate Medical(Degree/diploma) Courses for the year 2015 to the State Quota seats in the Government Medical Colleges in Kerala and to the 50% seats available in the Self Financing /Co-operative Medical colleges in Kerala.

2. Eligibility for Admission

- (a) Academic: Those candidates who are in possession of MBBS degree or provisional MBBS pass certificate recognized by the MCI with the MBBS qualification registered permanently or provisionally with MCI or State Medical Council and who have completed one year of Internship or likely to complete it on or before 31st March 2015 are eligible to apply. Applicants should have passed the MBBS Degree from any of the Universities in Kerala or any other University recognized by KUHS as equivalent thereto with eligibility for full registration in respect of all courses. Admission to the candidate will be given only after obtaining registration of T.C. Medical Council.
- b) Nativity: Applicants should have satisfied any of the following conditions:
 - i) Be an Indian Citizen of Kerala Origin.
 - ii) Candidates who are sons/daughters of Non-Keralite parents who have obtained MBBS degree from any of the Medical Colleges in Kerala State. But they will not be eligible for communal/Special/PD reservation benefits.
- c) Age: (i) There is no upper age limit for General Quota (GQ) candidates.
 - (ii) Under ordinary circumstances (ie, for those Service Quota(SQ) candidates whose retirement age is 56 years), the upper age limit for getting admission will be 48 years for Post Graduate Degree Courses and 49 years for Post Graduate Diploma courses as on 01-01-2015, for Health Service candidates and Municipal Service candidates. But for those candidates in the service of DHS, who submit a bond (Rs.100/- non judicial stamp paper) at the time of admission, that they shall serve the Government of Kerala in any capacity which the Government deems fit after their retirement, up to the age of 60 years (the retirement age in MES and IMS), as per the terms and conditions prescribed by the Government and that they will not take up employment else where during this period if the government has requisitioned their services, the upper age limit of such service candidates drawn from DHS will be 52 years for Post Graduate Degree courses and 53 years for Post Graduate Diploma courses as on 01-01-2015. For those candidates who possess Diploma and are eligible for 1 year reduction in the duration of course, the upper age limit for the admission to Post Graduate Degree courses will be 49 years and 53 years as in the case.
 - (iii) For MES and IMS candidates, upper age limit will be 52 years for Post Graduate Degree courses and 53 years for Post Graduate Diploma courses as on 01-01-2015.
- d) Entrance Examination: All candidates including service candidates shall have to qualify the "Post Graduate Medical Entrance Examination-2015" to be conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examination (CEE), Government of Kerala. The Entrance Examination will be conducted on 08.02.2015 (Sunday) at Thiruvananthapuram, Ernakulam and Kozhikode. It will consist of two Papers, each of two hours duration and having 150 Objective Type (Multiple Choice) Questions each.
- e) Qualifying Criteria: In order to be eligible for admission to any Post Graduate Medical (Degree/diploma) Courses in 2015, it shall be necessary for a candidate to obtain a minimum of 50% in the Entrance Examination. However in respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC)-the minimum marks shall be at 40%. In respect of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs, the minimum shall be at 45%. For Service Quota candidates the minimum marks for qualifying the Entrance Examination will be 40%. It is summarised in the following table.

SI.No.	Category	Passing criteria
1	General	50 %
2	SC/ST/SEBC	40 %
3	Persons with Disabilities (PD)	45 %
4	Service Quota	40 %

- 3. Mode of Selection: All candidates including Service Quota candidates shall have to qualify the "Post Graduate Medical Entrance Examination-2015" to be conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examination (CEE), Government of Kerala. The candidates who satisfy the eligibility conditions as per clause 4 of the prospectus for Admission to Medical Post Graduate Degree/Diploma courses-2015 alone will be considered for admission to PG Medical Degree/Diploma Courses. The Commissioner for Entrance Examinations shall prepare the Rank List of qualified candidates and the Category Lists of SC, ST, SEBC, PD, XS of General candidates who qualify in the Entrance Examination for allotment and admission under General quota seats .The CEE will forward a list of Service candidates who qualify in the Entrance Examination to the Director of Medical education. The selection of the Service Quota candidates shall be made from the Rank list furnished by the Director of Medical Education and approved by the Post Graduate Selection Committee as per clause 7-2 of the prospectus.
- 4. Submission of Applications and Application Fee: All candidates seeking admission to the PG Medical(Degree/Diploma) Courses -2015, Kerala can apply in the online application form available from 20.12.2014 to 05.01.2015, 3 p.m. in the website www.cee.kerala.gov.in of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations and then remit the required fee at any branches of State Bank of Travancore using the bank chalan available with the printout of the online application. The candidates outside Kerala State can remit the application fee by way of a Demand Draft for the requisite amount, drawn from any nationalized bank in favour of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations, payable at Thiruvananthapuram. Application fee for Genertal Quota and Service Quota candidates is RS.1000/-(Rupees Thousand only) and in the case of SC/ST candidates and those eligible for SC/ST benefits as per G.O.(Ms) No. 25/05/STSCDD dated 22.03.2005 is Rs.500/- (Rupees Five hundred only). Service Quota candidates seeking admission in General Quota also, should pay extra Rs.1000/-. Application fee once remitted will not be refunded under any circumstances. Application forms and prospectus will not be available from the Medical Colleges or from the Office of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.
- 5. Last date and time for receipt of printout of the online application:
 - All Candidates including service candidates seeking admission to the PG Medical(Degree/Diploma) Courses -2015 should take the printout of the online application, affix their left hand thumb impression and passport size photograph (same as the one uploaded to the online application) in the spaces provided in it and get it attested by a Government Gazetted Officer and forward their completed application with all the required documents mentioned in clause 8-5 of the prospectus to the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations, Housing Board Buildings, Santhinagar, Thiruvananthapuram 695 001, either by Registered Post/ Speed Post/Hand Delivery so as to reach him before 5 pm on 05.01.2015 (Monday). However, Service Candidates in addition should forward a copy of the completed application along with all required documents including their service details to the Controlling Officer concerned as stipulated in the prospectus, on or before 5 p.m. on 05.01.2015 (Monday). Late, defective and incomplete applications will be summarily rejected. No correspondence will be undertaken in this regard. The Commissioner for Entrance Examinations will not be responsible for any postal delay.
- 6. Candidates will be allowed, neither to include any information in the printout of the application nor to submit any certificates / documents claiming reservation or any benefits, after the submission of the printout of the application, under any circumstances. Candidates must note that they have to obtain the required certificates in the body of the printout of the application itself, wherever specified.
- 7. Admit Card: Candidates eligible to appear for the Entrance Examination for admission to the PG Medical(Degree/Diploma) Courses -2015 will be issued with the admit cards which can be downloaded from the website www.cee.kerala.gov.in from the date notified.
- 8. The selection and allotment of seats including those under Service Quota will be made by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations through the Centralized Allotment Process (CAP) as per Clause 11 of the Prospectus for admission to Medical Post Graduate Degree/Diploma courses-2015, approved by the Government of Kerala.
- 9. Candidates may go through the various provisions of the to Medical Post Graduate Degree/Diploma courses-2015 available in the Official website of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations at www.cee-kerala.org before filling up the "On-line application forms".