



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Abstract



Health & Family Welfare Department – Medical Education Service – Academic-Prospectus for Admission to Post Graduate Medical Degree/Diploma Courses 2015-16 – Amended- Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (S) DEPARTMENT

GO(Rt) No. **517/2015/H&FWD.**

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, **03.02.2015**

- Read:-
1. G.O(Rt) No. 3986/2014/H&FWD dated 15.12.2014.
 2. Judgment dated 12.01.2015 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal Nos. 297-298 of 2015
 3. Minutes of the Prospectus Committee Meeting held on 20.01.2015
 4. Letter No. B2/21885/2014/DME dated 21.01.2015 from the Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read above, the Prospectus for Admission to Post Graduate Medical Degree/Diploma Courses 2015-16 was approved by Government. The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, in its judgment read as 2nd paper above had given specific directions regarding the selection of in-service Medical Officers for Post Graduate Medical Education under Service Quota Act. **As per the judgment merit and merit alone can be the basis of admission among candidates belonging to any given category.** The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India also directed weightage should be given to the service rendered by the Inservice candidates in rural areas while determining the merit of such candidates. The Prospectus Committee discussed the directions of the apex Court in detail and recommended certain amendments in tune with its directions.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to amend the relevant provisions of the Prospectus for Admission to Post Graduate Medical Degree/Diploma Courses, 2015-16, as detailed below:

Sl.No	Clause No./Table	Modifications
1	4.4 Qualifying criteria	The sentence "and service quota, the minimum percentage shall be 40" is deleted.
2	Table	Sl.No.1-Category- "General & Service" is added Sl.No.4- deleted
3	7.1.2	The sentence "Inter se seniority.....PSC seniority will be the criterion" is deleted. The following sentences added "In determining the merit in the entrance test for postgraduate admission weightage in the marks will be given as an incentive at the rate of 10% of the marks obtained for each year of service in rural area upto a maximum of 30% in the marks obtained".
4	7.1.3	"Preparation of seniority list.....as.....bonus." is modified as follows: Preparation of rank list under Health Service Quota. The merit list for candidates in service quota under Health Services will be prepared by the CEE after awarding due weightage marks for the rural service put in by the candidates qualifying the entrance examination
5	Clause 7.2	Application and selection under service quota. The Commissioner for Entrance Examinations is deleted and the following modifications made: The DHS will furnish the total rural service rendered by the candidates who have applied for the PG course to the CEE in order to award due weightage marks as stipulated in clause 7.1.2 to the candidates who have qualified the entrance examination to prepare the final rank list of health service candidates.
6.	7.5	Medical Education Service-The following modification is made: "selection to these seats will be on the basis of merit" instead of "inter se seniority calculated as per clause 7.1
7	7.6	The sentence "selection toclause 7.1" is modified as follows: "selection to different categories of seats under Health Service Quota" will be as per clauses 7.1.2, 7.1.3 and 7.2
8	7.7	The sentence "seats as specified.....Director of Insurance Medical Services" is modified as "seats as specified.....will be based on merit.
9	7.8	The sentence "selection to the seat.....Director of Municipal Service" is modified as "selection to the seat under MSQ will be based on merit.
10	9.2(ii)	a. The sentence "A minimum offor general category candidates is modified as follows: A minimum of 50% mark in the Entrance Examination is mandatory for general category and service quota candidates". b. The sentence "In case.....is 40% is modified as "In case of candidates belonging to SC/ST and SEBC, the required minimum marks in the entrance examination is 40% ("& service quota " is deleted)
11	13.1 (c)	The following sentence "The Senior Residents will have to put in continuous service for a.....of the course" is modified as follows: "All the general merit candidates including AIQ candidates

		admitted to Medical Post Graduate Courses shall serve the Government of Kerala in Medical Education Services as Senior Resident as decided by the Government for a continuous period not less than one year immediately after the completion of the course.
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(By Order of the Governor)

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DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

- ✓ The Commissioner for Entrance Examination, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director of Insurance Medical Services, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Registrar, Kerala University of Health Sciences, Thrissur-680 596.
- The Principals, All Government Medical Colleges, (through Director of Medical Education)
- The Principals, All Self Financing Medical Colleges in the State (through Director of Medical Education).
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