GOVERNMENT OF KERALAM

Abstract

Health and Family Welfare Department - Redistribution of the additional batch at Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram to other Government Nursing Colleges for the academic year 2026-27- Cancelled- Orders issued

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (C)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.364/2026/H&FWD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 04-11-2026

Read 1. G.O.(Ms) No.228/2023/H&FWD dated 24.08.2023

2. G.O.(Ms)No.250/2026/H&FWD dated 01.09.2026

3. Letter No. B4/6312/2026/DME dated 26.10.2026 from the Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

In 2023, the ATELC building within the General Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram premises was allotted to function as an annex to the Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram, for conducting an additional batch of the B.Sc. Nursing Programme. Subsequently, the said building was proposed to be utilized for the commencement of K.Karunakaran Memorial Government Medical College.

2. Based on the recommendation of the Director of Medical Education, the Government decided to redistribute the 100 additional B.Sc. Nursing seats sanctioned to the Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram, among six Government Colleges of Nursing in various districts. Accordingly, orders were issued vide Government Order read as 2nd paper above, redistributing the said 100 seats among the identified Government Colleges of Nursing.

3. Now the Director of Medical Education has reported that due to some technical issues the approval of Indian Nursing Council (INC) and the Kerala University of Health Sciences which is mandatory for admitting students to the redistributed seats during the academic year 2026–2027 was not yet obtained , and as a result their exists situation where the students will

lose the 100 seats sanctioned in 2023. The Director of Medical Education has reported that,it is feasible to facilitate the admission of students to the aforementioned 100 seats by utilizing the existing infrastructure at the Government Nursing College, Thiruvananthapuram, as well as the facilities available at the Thiruvananthapuram Medical College and PIPMS as required .

4. Government have examined the matter in detail and are of the view that the 100 additional B.Sc. Nursing seats sanctioned in 2023 should be retained at the Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram, in order to ensure that the sanctioned seats are not lost and that eligible students are provided an opportunity for admission during the academic year 2026–2027. Government hereby order that the 100 B.Sc. Nursing seats redistributed among six Government Colleges of Nursing as per G.O read as 2nd paper above, shall be retained at the Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram, for the academic year 2026–2027.

5. The Director, LBS Centre for Science and Technology, is hereby directed to take necessary steps to facilitate the admission of eligible students to the said 100 seats at the Government College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram, in accordance with the applicable rules and admission norms.

(By order of the Governor)
CHITHRA K DIVAKARAN
JOINT SECRETARY

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Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
Director, LBS Centre for Science & Technology,Thiruvananthapuram.
Registrar, Kerala University of Health Sciences, Thrissur.
Registrar, Kerala Nurses & Midwives Council, Thiruvananthapuram
Principal, Govt. College of Nursing, Thiruvananthapuram/Kottayam/Ernakulam/Thrissur/Kannur/Kozhikkode.
Principal Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
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