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NOTIFICATION

KEAM- 2026

ADMISSION TO MBBS/BDS COURSES - 2026

SPECIAL STRAY VACANCY FILLING ROUND
FACILITY TO REGISTER NEW OPTIONS

Vacancies in MBBS/BDS courses that have arise in various Government/Self Financing Medical/Dental Colleges after Stray Vacancy filling allotment will be filled up through Special Stray Vacancy Filling Allotment to be conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations. Candidates who are included in the Kerala State Medical Rank List published by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations can register fresh options till **06.11.2026, 05:00 PM**. Based on the options received till 06.11.2026, 05:00 PM , the Provisional Allotment will be published on 07.11.2026.

Candidates, in order to participate in the online special stray vacancy filling allotment can register options through the website of Commissioner for Entrance Examinations **www.cee.kerala.gov.in** by clicking the menu **'Option Registration'** available in the Home page. Since the probable vacancies that may arise during the course of the vacancy filling allotment have to be filled, the candidates shall give options to all colleges and courses in which they wish to study for the course. Unallotted category seats still existing will be converted during this phase as per existing prospectus conditions. Candidates should give options only to the courses and colleges where they want to study if they get an allotment.

Guidelines for Special Stray Vacancy Filling

- Candidates who are **still continuing in admitted status** consequent on previous

allotments (Phase I, phase II, Phase III & Stray Phase) are not eligible for participating in special stray vacancy filling allotment.

- Candidates who are **allotted seat** in the third phase/stray phase allotment are not eligible for participating in the special stray vacancy allotment.
- Those candidates who vacated the seat **after 07.10.2026, 10:00 AM** are not eligible for participating in the special stray vacancy filling allotment.
- Those candidates who have been included in the **list of allotted/admitted candidates** shared by the MCC after the Special Stray round AIQ Counselling will not be considered in the special stray vacancy filling allotment of the state , even if they register options.
- The seat received by the candidate through special stray vacancy allotment cannot be changed at any instance.
- **Vacancies, if any, existing after special stray vacancy filling will be filled immediately through Second Phase Special Stray Vacancy Filling considering the options registered in this phase.**

Tentative Allotment Schedule

03.11.2026	Web site opens for online option registration
06.11.2026, 5.00 PM	Option registration facility ends.
07.11.2026	Allotment Publication (Provisional)
08.11.2026	Final Allotment Publication
09.11.2026 to 12.11.2026, 2.00 PM	Joining time to allotted colleges after paying the fees/balance fee (if applicable) as shown in the allotment memo.
12.11.2026, 3.00 PM	Time to update the details of admitted candidates through OAMS.

Registration Fee:

Those candidates who wish to register options will have to pay the following registration fees to the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.

- Those candidates who register options only to courses in Govt colleges shall have to pay an amount of **Rs.10,000/-** (Rupees Ten Thousand) as Registration fee to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.
- Those candidates who register options to courses in both Govt. and Self Financing Dental colleges shall have to pay an amount of **Rs.25,000/-** (Rs.

Twenty Five Thousand) as Registration fee to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.

- Those candidates who register options to courses in both Govt. and Self Financing Medical colleges shall have to pay an amount of **Rs.50,000/-** (Rs. Fifty Thousand) as Registration fee to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.
- Those candidates who register options to courses in Govt. and Self Financing Medical and Dental colleges shall have to pay an amount of **Rs.75,000/-** (Rs. Seventy Five Thousand) as Registration fee to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations.
- Candidates allotted under SC/ST/OEC category and those having benefits as per G.O. (MS) 25/2005/SCSTDD, dated: 20.06.2005 and G.O. (MS) 10/2014/BCDD, dated 23.05.2014, and those candidates from Sree Chitra Home, Juvenile Home, Nirbhaya Home should pay **Rs. 10,000/-** as Registration fee to the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations. However, if they give options in Minority/NRI seats in Self-financing Colleges they will have to remit the Registration Fee as mentioned in the previous para and will not be eligible for fee concession. Also, if such candidates are allotted under NRI/ Minority seats, they will have to remit the fee as shown in the allotment memo and they will not be eligible for any fee concession.
- In the case of candidates who are admitted through previous allotments conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations and vacated the seat within the date prescribed, if the fee already paid to the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations is greater than or equal to the registration fee, they need not pay the registration fee. Whereas if the fee paid to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations by such students is less than the registration fee, they will have to pay the balance registration fee.
- The registration fee applicable to a candidate will be fixed as per the details entered by the candidate in the registration page available in the Candidate Portal in the website **www.cee.kerala.gov.in.** Candidates can register options only after paying the applicable Registration fee to Commissioner for Entrance Examinations. The Registration fee once paid will not be changed at any instance. Thus candidates should be very careful, while giving details to fix the Registration fee.

- The registration fee of those candidates, who get an allotment in Government Colleges through Special Stray Vacancy allotment, will be carried over to Tuition Fee of the course allotted and the registration fee of those candidates who will not get any allotment will be refunded. The registration fee of these

candidates, who get an allotment in Private Self-financing colleges will be refunded to candidates after closing date of admission, provided the candidate has taken admission.

- The registration fee of those candidates **who do not join within the stipulated time** after getting an allotment and those candidates who quit seats after taking admission, will be considered as penalty and will not be refunded. Such students will also be penalized as per KEAM Prospectus clause 12.2.4.

Candidates who file unnecessary options, but do not take admission on allotment to the Course/ College during this phase, resulting in Government seats and Management seats allotted by the CEE to lapse, will be penalized. They will be liable to pay penalty of **Rs.10,00,000/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Only) for MBBS course, Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakh only) for BDS course** irrespective of annual family income/nativity/reservation status. **Their candidature is also liable to be cancelled and also will be debarred from appearing the Entrance Examinations and/or allotments conducted by the CEE for a period not exceeding two years.** In case of failure to remit the penalty, the same is liable to be recovered under the Revenue Recovery Act. **Candidates should give options only to the courses and colleges where they want to study if they get an allotment.**

More details can be obtained from the the website **www.cee.kerala.gov.in** of the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations. All details regarding allotment and Govt. Orders are available in the website of Commissioner for Entrance Examinations **www.cee.kerala.gov.in.**

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