

ADMISSION TO M.D.S COURSE

Chettinad Dental College & Research Institute is a self-financing institution affiliated to The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R Medical University, Chennai and approved by Dental Council of India as per the notification of Ministry of Health and family welfare, Government of India.

Guidelines for Allotment of M.D.S seats for admission in Chettinad Dental College & Research Institute.

Admission to the M.D.S course to Chettinad Dental College & Research Institute is made through the counseling and allotment of seats conducted by the **Selection Committee, Directorate of Medical Education, Kilpauk, Chennai, Tamil Nadu only and not through DGHS, New Delhi.**

The allotment of M.D.S course seats are done in the counseling under **two categories**, namely

- 1. Allotment under GOVERNMENT SELF-FINANCING QUOTA**
- 2. Allotment under MANAGEMENT QUOTA.**

All NEET qualified students can apply through online separately for the government self-financing quota and management quota counseling through the **Selection Committee, Directorate of Medical Education, Chennai, Tamilnadu** in the following website only

Website: www.tnmedicalselection.org / <https://tnhealth.tn.gov.in/>

I. Important information for Government self financing Quota:

Candidates seeking for admission to MDS Course 2023-24 session under government self-financing quota in Chettinad Dental College & Research Institute, affiliated to the Tamilnadu Dr.M.G.R Medical University in Tamil Nadu, can access and submit the filled-in application form at the following official websites: www.tnmedicalselection.org / <https://tnhealth.tn.gov.in/>

In addition to the filled-in online application form, candidate should also send the printout (Hard copy) of the filled-in online application form with necessary enclosures. The cost of application fee is Rs.3000/- (Non-refundable) and should be paid online via bank payment portal in the websites. A copy of receipt of payment paid by the candidate should be attached along with the application form submitted.

Eligibility Criteria for Government self-financing Quota

- (a) Candidates should be a Citizen of India and should have completed BDS course including the entire CRRI period in the State of Tamil Nadu. (Candidates who complete CRRI in other States are not eligible).
- (b) Candidates of Tamil Nadu nativity who have completed BDS in other States should furnish a ‘Certificate of Nativity in Tamil’, issued by the competent authority only.

II. Important information for Management Quota:

Candidates seeking for admission to MDS Course 2023-24 session under Management quota in Chettinad Dental College & Research Institute affiliated to The Tamilnadu Dr.M.G.R Medical University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, can access and submit the filled-in application form at the following official websites: www.tnmedicalselection.org / <https://tnhealth.tn.gov.in/>

In addition to the filled-in online application form, candidate should also send the printout (Hard copy) of the filled-in online application form with necessary enclosures. The cost of application fee is Rs.5000/- (Non-refundable) and should be paid online via bank payment portal in the websites. A copy of receipt of payment paid by the candidate should be attached along with their application form submitted.

Eligibility Criteria for Management Quota

(a). The NEET qualified candidate should be a Citizen of India and should have **completed BDS course in any institution in India**, approved by Dental Council of India or NRI's as per the prospectus of Selection Committee, Directorate of Medical Education, Chennai, Tamil Nadu guidelines.

Note: a). Tentatively the admission notification and online submission of application will commence from the month of March which can be accessed at the following official websites: www.tnmedicalselection.org / <https://tnhealth.tn.gov.in/> (as per previous session).

b).The counseling schedule notification will be accessed at the following official websites: www.tnmedicalselection.org / <https://tnhealth.tn.gov.in/>