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AMRITA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, KOCHI
Health Sciences Campus
AMRITA SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY



PROSPECTUS – 2024

Master of Dental Surgery (MDS)

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OUR CHANCELLOR

HER HOLINESS SRI MATA AMRITANANDAMAYI DEVI



OUR
GUIDING LIGHT AND INSPIRATION

“Children should be taught the art of relaxation, how to be at ease. If they don’t feel relaxed, how can they learn? Without relaxation, no real learning is possible. This is the first lesson that clearly needs to be understood. It is very important that parents & teachers understand this before they ask the children to do something”.

-AMMA

Amrita School of Dentistry is founded on the highest principles, with an emphasis on service, compassion, charity and excellence through education. The blending of the vital ingredients of competence and compassion is an extension of the vision and inspiration of our founder, Sri Mata Amritanandamayi Devi, from whom we draw our strength and dedication and whose life exemplifies these high principles in every action. The nurturing of these values at the Amrita Health Sciences Campus complements a fine technical education by enhancing skills with a unique understanding and compassion for the patient. The faculty is dedicated to these sustaining values and has diligently worked on the curricula, techniques and methods that will be of the greatest help to the students.

1. QUALIFYING AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- a) **Qualification:** Candidates must have BDS degree recognised by the Dental Council of India, New Delhi.
- b) **Eligibility Criteria:** NEET MDS – 2024 qualified candidates who have been allotted to Amrita School of Dentistry by the MCC, New Delhi are eligible to report for admissions for the academic year 2024-25

Note: Stipend will be paid as per Institutional norms.

It is mandatory to submit copy of Aadhaar card and Pan card at the time of admission.

2. SELECTION

Selection for MDS Admissions is based on the NEET MDS 2024 All India Rank. Admission of candidates is based on the centralized online allotment list published in the MCC website. After NEET MDS - 2024 results are published, candidates are advised to visit the [Medical Counselling Committee's \(MCC\) website](#) for participating in All India Deemed University counselling conducted by the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MoHFW), New Delhi.

MDS programs are offered at Amrita School of Dentistry, (AIMS), Kochi , in 9 streams.

3. PROGRAM DETAILS

Duration of the Program: Three academic years from the dates of commencement of classes.

Curriculum: As per the Directives of Dental Council of India and Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham – Deemed University.

4. IMPORTANT

The admission activities to Dental Courses is through the Admission Office presided by the

Chairman – Admissions, Amrita Health Sciences Campus, Kochi.

Management of the AMRITA VISHWA VIDYAPEETHAM reserves the right to change any of the conditions enumerated herein for the purpose of complying with any of the regulations of the University Grants Commission (UGC) or any other competent authorities.

Centralized Counselling (for General Category and NRI Category) is conducted by the Directorate General of Health Service (DGHS) / Medical Counselling Committee (MCC) /Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MOHFW), Government of India, New Delhi through MCC website www.mcc.nic.in.

NEET qualified candidates are advised to visit MCC website <https://mcc.nic.in/#/home> and Amrita website (<https://amrita.edu/admissions/health-sciences/>) regularly for latest notifications and updates regarding counselling and allotment, scheme of counselling, schedule of counselling etc. Candidates should apply/register for online counselling through <https://mcc.nic.in/#/home> in as per the notification of DGHS. NRI Admissions are also made on the basis of the qualifying NEET MDS – 2024 Examination conducted by the National Board of Examinations, New Delhi.

If a candidate has secured a seat in Amrita in any of the allotment rounds conducted by DGHS, then he/she is requested to report at Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi for undertaking admission procedure as per the “schedule of reporting” published in MCC website.

The allotted candidates are advised to check Amrita website <https://www.amrita.edu/program/mds/> for details of admission and other instructions before reporting to the college.

5. SEAT CATEGORY

- a) General Category: As per the DGHS – MCC guidelines (<https://mcc.nic.in/#/home>)
- b) NRI Category : As per the DGHS – MCC guidelines (<https://mcc.nic.in/#/home>) and also reference with Supreme Court Order – W.P. (C) No. 689 / 2017.

6. PROXY REPORTING FOR ADMISSION

Reporting for admission by proxy is not permitted. Admission of the allotted candidates who do not report to the Admission Office, Amrita Health Sciences Campus, Kochi shall stand cancelled.

In extremely exceptional cases, where the candidate is unable to report physically due to illness for attending admission procedure, Chairman – Admissions at his sole discretion may permit candidate's father, mother to attend counselling on behalf of the candidate on the basis of a written request. Also specific authorization from the candidate with relevant Medical

Certificate from a Medical Officer not below the rank of a Civil Surgeon or a Clinical Associate Professor of a Medical College should be submitted at the time of reporting for admission.

7. Verification of Documents

- a) All admissions/allotments are subject to verification of the original certificates and documents submitted by the candidates. The decision of the Chairman - Admissions regarding the eligibility of applicants shall be final.
- b) If at any time before or after admission it is found that the candidate does not meet the eligibility requirement, seat will be denied to him/her. Therefore, it is the sole responsibility of the candidates to ensure that he/she meets all the eligibility requirements.

At the time of reporting for Admission to Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi, candidates should be accompanied either by their parent or spouse. The candidate should produce the following documents / certificates in Original along with ONE SET OF SELF

ATTESTED PHOTOCOPIES: -

1. Allotment Letter issued by MCC (Two Copies)
2. NEET – PG Score Card (Two Copies)
3. Admit Card issued by NBE (Two Copies)
4. Result/Rank Letter issued by NBE
5. BDS Degree certificate /Provisional Certificate from the concern University
6. Mark Sheet of BDS Professional Examination year wise
7. Permanent / provisional Registration Certificate issued by DCI (State) / State Medical Council. (Provisional Registration Certificate is acceptable only in cases where candidate is undergoing internship and likely to complete the same on or before 30th June 2023)
8. Registration certificate with Kerala State Medical Council has to be submitted within a period of one month from the date of admission, failing which his/her admission shall stand cancelled.
9. Internship Completion Certificate (from the Head of Institution or college that the candidate shall complete the internship by 30th June 2023).
10. Attempt certificate
11. High School/Higher Secondary Certificate/Birth Certificate as proof of date of birth.
12. Candidates allotted seat must carry one of the identification proofs (ID Proof) to the allotted college at the time of admission (as mentioned in the information Bulletin published by the National Board of Examinations (NBE) for AIPGMEE/ AIPGDEE i.e. PAN Card, Driving License, Voter ID, Passport or Aadhaar Card).
13. Transfer Certificate from the institution last studied (if not received from the institute, mention the reason and to be submitted while reporting for admission physically to Amrita).
14. Migration Certificate from the University (if not received from the institute mention the reason and to be submitted while reporting for admission physically to Amrita).
15. Recent passport size color photographs – 6 nos.
16. Copies of all certificates (one set – self attested)
17. Character and conduct certificate.

18. Medical Certificate for fitness (as per the format prescribed)

In addition to the above, **NRI candidates** are required to produce the below documents:

- a. Documents claiming that the sponsorer is an NRI (Passport, Visa of the sponsor).
- b. Relationship of NRI with the candidate as per the court orders of The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in case W.P.(c) No. 689/2017- Consortium of Deemed Universities in Karnataka (CODEUNIK) & Ans. Vs Union of India & Ors. dated 22-08- 2017.
- c. Affidavit from the sponsor that he/ she will sponsor the entire course fee of the candidate duly notarized.
- d. Embassy Certificate of the Sponsor (Certificate from the Consulate).
- e. NEET Score Card of the candidate.
- f. Copy of passport and visa of the candidate (for foreign nationality)

Note : The scanned copies of all the above mentioned documents & soft copy of photograph (not scanned pdf) should be mailed to dentaladminoffice@aims.amrita.edu

All the certificates submitted are subjected to scrutiny. In case of any fake/bogus/false information, the admission office will initiate the same to DGHS and cancel the enrollment process. During this course of action, if the college suffers any damages/ loss of reputation due to vacancy, Amrita reserves the right to claim liquidated damages from the candidate.

8. ANNUAL FEES & SEAT DETAILS

	MDS	Seats			General (INR)	NRI (USD)	Other Fees In INR	Hostel
		Total	General	NRI				
1	Conservative Dentistry And Endodontics	5	4	1	12,60,000	20,000	1,14,800	Rs.62,000
2	Oral And Maxillofacial Surgery	2	2		11,10,000			
3	Oral Medicine And Radiology	2	2		5,60,000			
4	Oral And Maxillofacial Pathology And Oral Microbiology	2	2		3,50,000			
5	Orthodontics And Dentofacial Orthopaedics	3	2	1	12,60,000	20,000		
6	Paediatric And Preventive Dentistry	3	3		12,60,000			
7	Periodontology	5	5		11,10,000			
8	Prosthodontics And Crown And Bridge	5	5		12,60,000			
9	Public Health Dentistry	2	2		4,50,000			

Total 29

**All the above seats are recognized by the Government of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.*

Stipend Offered (in INR) per month	
1st Year	₹ 5,000.00
2nd Year	₹ 5,000.00
3rd Year	₹ 5,000.00

9. FEE PAYMENT POLICY

Candidates must remit the First year course fees at the time of reporting by RTGS / NEFT*

Request of extension of time for fee payment will not be considered. DD/Cheque/Cash payment will not be accepted/entertained at all.

- Candidates are requested to remit the first year fees at the time of admission as mentioned in the website: <https://amrita.edu/program/mds>
- From second year onwards tuition fees, other fees and hostel fees should be paid within the stipulated date informed by the Dental Academics Office.

- c) Failure to make the fee payment within the specified dates will turn to loss of attendance and also fine will be charged from the last day of fee remittance stipulated by the Institution. Fine for general category is INR 300/- per day.
- d) Upon failure of fee payment, the stipend offered for PG Students will be withheld until all fee dues are cleared.
- e) A student will only be permitted to attend the University Examination after all fee dues are cleared.

10. ADMISSION CANCELLATION AND REFUNDS

SL.NO	SCENARIO	PROCESS
1	Candidate who joins through MCC allotment and then upgrades to the next round to another college.	Cancellation procedure as per the DGHS/MCC Counseling Norms.
2	Candidate cancels admission (in any circumstance) leaving the seat vacant for the entire course duration	First year Course Fees paid will not be refunded. In addition to this, residents should pay the Tuition Fees for the remaining course duration (as applicable to each course) as liquidated damages to the institution.

11. HOSTEL RULES

Hostel Rules and Guidelines will be provided to Residents at the time of admission. Residents are requested to sign the terms and conditions provided in the Rules and handover to Admission Office at the time of admission.

12. SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTE

In case of any dispute in the interpretation of any of the conditions included in this booklet or in any other matter related to admissions covered by the Rules and Regulations contained herein, decision of the Medical Director, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences will be final and binding.

13. JURISDICTION

Courts situated in Kochi, Kerala only will have jurisdiction over disputes if any arising on the matter of application and or admission to the courses covered in these Rules and Regulations.

WARNING

Candidates who wish to apply for admission to any course at Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Health Sciences Campus are hereby warned against possible cheating by unscrupulous agents who may promise and assure seats by extracting large sum of money from the parents / candidates. Candidates should note that there is no provision for capitation fees towards admission.