



ABSTRACT

Para Medical Education – Admission to Para Medical Courses – Policy / Prospectus for admission to M.Pharm and MPT course for the academic year 2015 - 2016 – Approved - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PME-1) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (D) No.414

Dated: 27.03.2015
Jaya Panguni 13,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2046

Read:

From the Director of Medical Education (OSD) / Secretary, Selection Committee, letter Ref. No.3761/SCSII(1)/2015, dated: 13.03.2015.

ORDER:

The Director of Medical Education (OSD) / Secretary, Selection Committee, Chennai in her letter read above, has sent the Draft Policy / Prospectus for admission of M.Pharm and MPT courses for the academic year 2015-2016 with certain modifications and requested to approve the same.

2. The Government, after careful consideration, accept the modification suggested by the Director of Medical Education (OSD) / Secretary, Selection Committee, Chennai and approve the Policy / Prospectus for admission of M.Pharm and MPT course for the academic year 2015-2016. A copy each of the approved Policy / Prospectus for admission of candidates to the M.Pharm and MPT course for the year 2015-2016 are annexed to this order.

3. The Director of Medical Education is directed to take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

J. RADHAKRISHNAN,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Medical Education, Chennai-10.
The Director of Medical Education (OSD) /
Secretary, Selection Committee, Chennai -10 (w.e)

Copy to

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Health), Secretariat, Chennai- 9.
The Health and Family Welfare (Data Cell) Department, Chennai-9.
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SECTION OFFICER.

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ADMISSION TO M. PHARMACY COURSE

As per G.O(D) No. 414 , Health & Family Welfare (PME-1) Department dated 27.03.2015 and as amended from time to time.



**IN
TAMIL NADU GOVERNMENT / SELF – FINANCING
INSTITUTIONS AFFILIATED TO
THE TAMIL NADU Dr. M.G.R.MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
PROSPECTUS
2015- 2016**



**SELECTION COMMITTEE
DIRECTORATE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION
#162, PERIYAR E.V.R HIGH ROAD, KILPAUK,
CHENNAI – 600 010.**

Phone No : 044-28361674

Websites: 1. www.tnhealth.org , 2. www.tn.gov.in

SMS will be sent through the official ID - "TNMESC" regarding counseling only (if required)

COST ₹ 1000/-

AT A GLANCE

- Date of Notification : 5.4.2015
- Commencement of Downloading : 6.4.2015
- Last date for downloading : 17.4.2015, 5.00 PM
- Last date for receipt of application : 20.4.2015, 5.00 PM
- Date of Entrance Examination : 3.5.2015, 10.00 am to 12.00 Noon.
- Expected date for declaration of result : within a week.
- Allotment of seats by personal appearance :
I Phase : May 2015
- Last date of admission : The time as mentioned
in the allotment letter of the candidate
- Results will be available on the website at www.tnhealth.org and www.tn.gov.in.
- Application forms along with the Prospectus can only be downloaded from websites 1. www.tnhealth.org and 2. www.tn.gov.in.
- **Submission of application forms through online process only.** Applications submitted through online shall be considered, only after receiving the print-out of online entry with necessary copies of certificates (duly attested passport size photograph to be pasted on the space provided). Application with necessary enclosures to be sent in a large sized cover measuring 38cm X 28cm superscribed '**APPLICATION FOR M.Pharm COURSE 2015 – 2016 SESSION**' to the **Secretary, Selection Committee, Directorate of Medical Education, Kilpauk, Chennai -10** before the last date along with a Demand Draft for ₹ 1000/- towards the cost of application form **drawn in favour of The Secretary, Selection Committee, payable at Chennai.**
- Applications without the Demand Draft will not be accepted. The name of the candidate and the course applied for (M. Pharm) should be mentioned on the reverse of the Demand Draft. SC/ SCA and ST candidates **who are Natives** of Tamil Nadu are exempted from payment of the cost of the Application Form.
- The Application Number will be assigned to each candidate at the time of online submission.
- Candidates should send the application with all enclosures in an A 4 size cloth lined cover . The template with requisite details available for download should be printed and pasted on the cover.
- Candidate can track their application by logging in with their Application No and Password.
- Eligible candidates only can download their Hall Tickets from the websites www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in by logging with their Application Number with Password and attend the Entrance Examination.
- Eligible candidates only can download their Call Letters by logging from the websites www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in with their Application Number with Password and attend the Counseling as per the date and time mentioned in the counseling schedule which will also be available on the above web-sites.

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. (a) Candidates seeking admission to Post Graduate M.Pharm Degree course should submit the **application form** with necessary enclosures which should reach
THE SECRETARY,
SELECTION COMMITTEE,
162, PERIYAR E.V.R. SALAI,
KILPAUK, CHENNAI – 600 010.
on or before 20.04.2015 by 5.00 p.m.
- (b) The candidates shall ensure that the completed application form with all particulars and enclosures reaches the Selection Committee within the date and time specified. Applications received by Speed post / courier or any other means, after the last date & time will not be accepted.
- (c) The Selection Committee **shall not be responsible** for any delay in the receipt or for the loss in transit of application form etc.,
- (d) Non-Service Candidates should send their applications directly to the **Secretary, Selection Committee** at the above address.
- (e) Service Candidates should get their online printout applications forwarded only through the proper channel with the remarks of the forwarding authorities in the format prescribed in the application form. If not, the **applications will be summarily rejected**.
- (f) Advance copies from the Service candidates will not be accepted.
- (g) Both Upper limbs, vision and hearing should be normal for all candidates including for candidates applying under Orthopaedically Physically Disabled category.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

2. (a) Candidates seeking admission to the Postgraduate M.Pharm., Degree Courses should be citizens of India and natives of Tamil Nadu.
- (b) Candidates of Tamil Nadu Nativity who have completed B. Pharm in other States should furnish a **certificate of Nativity** in Tamil Nadu issued by the competent authority only **in the specified format in Annexure VIII B and supported by a copy of Passport/ Ration Card / Voter's ID / Driving License**. If the copy of the supporting document is not produced, then the application form **will be rejected**.
- (c) **Nativity Certificate submitted later will be summarily rejected.**
3. Candidates should possess a B.Pharm., Degree awarded by the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University or any other University recognized as Equivalent thereto by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University / Pharmacy Council. Candidates who have qualified from other universities should obtain and produce an **Eligibility Certificate** from the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University at the time of counseling, failing which they will not be considered for selection.
4. Candidates seeking admission to the Postgraduate M.Pharm., Degree course should have obtained not less than 50% of the total marks obtained in all semester subject marks taken together in the B.Pharm., Degree Course. In case of failure (s) the pass marks in the subsequent (attempts) shall be taken for calculation purpose. Number of attempts are not considered for calculation of marks.
5. A candidate who has already completed or acquired a Postgraduate Degree in any branch in M.Pharm., course or is undergoing a Postgraduate course in any branch is ineligible to apply for any other branch in M.Pharm., Degree course. Candidates who have discontinued a course on any grounds after the cut off date fixed by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University and the candidates who have taken allotment after 25.05.2015 and not joined the course on or before the cut off date **are not eligible to apply for two years from the date of appearance for the entrance examination.**

<p>6. The following categories of B.Pharm., Graduates will be treated as Service candidates for selection under the seats reserved exclusively for service candidates.</p> <p>(i) B.Pharm., graduates serving in Tamil Nadu Medical Service on a regular basis and who have completed two years of service as on 30-4-2015.</p> <p>(ii) B.Pharm., graduates who are approved probationers serving in local bodies who have completed 2 years of service as on 30-4-2015.</p>
<p>7. The following categories of B.Pharm., Graduates will be considered for selection under open quota as non – service candidates only.</p> <p>a) B.Pharm., graduates who are serving in Govt. of India institutions in Tamil Nadu / Public Sector undertaking and organization under control of Government of India in Tamil Nadu.</p> <p>b) B.Pharm., Graduates who are serving purely under temporary category in Tamil Nadu Medical Service / Local bodies.</p> <p>c) Self employed B.Pharm. Graduates and B.Pharm. Graduates serving in Private sector.</p>
<p>PROCEDURE FOR FILLING THE APPLICATION :-</p>
<p>8. a. Candidates seeking admission are required to send his/her application print out of Online Entry only.</p> <p>b. Attested recent identical passport size photograph, which was uploaded should be affixed to the application form.</p>
<p>9. The candidates shall fill in the Application form carefully.</p>
<p>10. Candidates shall ensure that completed application form with all particulars and enclosures reaches the Selection Committee within the date and time specified. Applications received by Speed Post/Courier / any other means after last date and time will be rejected.</p>
<p>11. A candidate shall submit only ONE application form for admission to the entrance examination.</p>
<p>12 (a) Only Photo copies of the Certificates should be enclosed.</p> <p>(b) Application with incomplete or insufficient particulars or without enclosures or those received after the last date mentioned will be summarily rejected (without any intimation to the candidate).</p>
<p>13. The Government Orders issued and to be issued from time to time pertaining to any of the matters contained in the prospectus should be read as part and parcel of this prospectus and such terms and conditions in the Government Order are deemed to have been incorporated in this prospectus.</p>
<p>14. Service candidates should send their online printout applications through the proper channel with the forwarding authority's remarks and the service particulars carefully filled up by the forwarding authority as prescribed in the application form. Applications of the Service candidates who have completed two years of continuous, regular service as on 30.04.2015 alone excluding the leave for which the candidates is eligible / availed other than casual and compensatory leave will be considered. The Heads of Directorate have to issue a Certificate of completion of the required service. The application should reach in stipulated time. If the application is received after the last date, it will not be accepted irrespective of date of submission and date of forwarding by the Competent authority.</p>
<p>15. Candidates must enclose only <u>photo copies</u> (not originals) of the following documents in the order indicated below along with the application, failing which the application is liable for rejection.</p> <p>a. B.Pharm., Degree Certificate or provisional pass certificate from the University concerned to which the college is affiliated.</p> <p>b. First year / Semester to final year / Semester B.Pharm., Mark sheets issued by the University concerned.</p> <p>c. Permanent Registration Certificate of the State Pharmacy Council of the B.Pharm., Degree.</p> <p>d. Valid Community Certificate issued by the competent authority with Office Seal.</p> <p>e. Birth Certificate or copy of H.Sc., Certificate / School Leaving Certificate / College Leaving Certificate / Extract from Service Register as evidence for Date of Birth.</p> <p>f. Eligibility certificate from the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University for candidates who have qualified for the under graduate course from Universities other than the Tamil Nadu Dr.</p>

<p>MGR Medical University. (This certificate shall be produced at the time of counseling)</p> <p>g. Attempt Certificate in Final Year B.Pharm., course from the Head of the Institution studied in.</p> <p>h. Nativity certificate (if applicable) with supportive documents</p> <p>i. Copy of posting order for Service Candidates</p>				
<p>16. It shall be the responsibility of the candidate to give the correct mailing address on the main application form. If there is any change of address it should be intimated immediately to the Selection Committee in writing</p>				
<p>17. Online print out of applications without the signature of the candidates will be rejected.</p>				
<p>CONDUCT OF EXAMINATIONS: -</p> <p>18. (a) The Entrance Examination will be conducted only at Chennai as scheduled below:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name of the Course</th> <th>Date and Time</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>M.Pharm Degree Course</td> <td>03.05.2015(Sunday) 10.00 A.M. to 12.00 Noon</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>(b) The Centre in which the entrance examination is to be written will be given in the Hall Ticket.</p>	Name of the Course	Date and Time	M.Pharm Degree Course	03.05.2015(Sunday) 10.00 A.M. to 12.00 Noon
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<p>19. Admission to the Entrance Examination and Counseling does not confer on the candidate the right of admission to any course if found to be ineligible later.</p>				
<p>20. Eligible candidates only can download their Hall Tickets from the websites www.tnhealth.org/ www.tn.gov.in by logging with their Application Number with Password and attend the Entrance Examination..</p>				
<p>21. Candidates admitted for the Entrance Examination will have to come to the Examination Centre at their own expense and make their own arrangements for stay.</p>				
<p>22. Only candidates with Hall Tickets will be allowed to enter the Examination Hall.</p>				
<p>23. (a) Candidates are advised to be present at 9.30 a.m. in the Examination Centre. They are required to be seated on their respective seats 15 minutes before the commencement of examination and to fill up the 1st page of Question Booklet. Question Booklets should not be opened by the candidates before 10.00 A.M.</p> <p>(b) Candidates coming Thirty minutes (30 minutes) after the commencement of the Examination will not be permitted to appear for the Examination.</p>				
<p>24. Candidates shall not be allowed to carry any text material printed or written, bits of paper, electronic and telecommunication devices like pagers, cellular phones, or electronic diary, pencil/pens, etc., inside the Hall .</p>				
<p>25. No candidate shall be allowed to leave the hall before the end of the examination.</p>				
<p>26. Candidates shall maintain strict silence. Any misconduct will entail forfeiture of the right to continue the Examination. His / Her Answer Sheet will not be considered for valuation. Further he / she will not be allowed to apply for the M. Pharm., Courses for Two Years.</p>				
<p>27. Answers should be shaded with a Ball Point Pen in the OMR answer sheet as per the instructions given and if it is shaded with any other item the answer sheets will not be considered for valuation without any intimation to the candidate. The ball point pen will be provided in the examination hall.</p>				
<p>SCHEME OF ENTRANCE EXAMINATION :-</p> <p>28. Candidates seeking admission should write the Tamil Nadu Post Graduate M.Pharm., Degree Course Entrance Examination conducted by the Selection Committee.</p>				
<p>29. The Entrance Examination will be of the undergraduate level covering all subjects and will contain 125 objective type questions each with four responses (A B C D) in English. Number of questions in each subject is as shown in the Annexure IX.</p>				

30. Each question will carry 1 (one) Mark. There will be **NO NEGATIVE MARK** for incorrect responses. Zero mark will be given for questions not answered. When more than one answer is indicated or when it is illegible, no mark will be awarded for that question. The Maximum marks will be computed to 90.

31. No candidate shall be allowed to take back the Question Booklets and a request for provision of Xerox copies of the question booklet, answer sheet or answer key will not be entertained.

DECLARATION OF RESULTS:

32. The individual Entrance Examination Marks for 90 will be displayed on the websites : (www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in).

33. The Secretary, Selection Committee will publish the merit list on the websites www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in. The candidates are advised to visit the website everyday from the date of issue of application for information.

34. The candidates will be called for counseling as per their merit and they may exercise their option as per their eligibility norms mentioned in the Prospectus.

35. There will be **NO** Rechecking / Revaluation / Retotalling of answer sheets. Answer keys will not be provided.

MERIT LIST:

36. The Merit List will be drawn for a Total Mark of 100 by computing the Entrance Examination Marks and the marks for experience. (**90 marks for entrance examination + 10 marks for experience including marks for hilly areas**).

37. **Experience Mark** : - One mark for each completed year of experience as on 30.04.2015 which is calculated from the last date of the month of passing B.Pharm., Degree Examination, subject to a maximum of 10 marks shall be awarded as experience mark for both Service and Non Service candidates. In addition, two marks per year of service in hilly areas will be awarded to Service candidates. Altogether the total marks awarded for experience will be restricted to 10 marks to all candidates including candidates from hilly areas

1) Marks awarded for Entrance examination: Maximum 90 marks.

2) Experience marks for all candidates to a maximum of 10 marks.

i. Marks for service candidates served in hilly areas - 2 Marks per year

ii. Non-Service candidates are not eligible to get marks mentioned in 2 (i)

Fractional values of a year will not be counted for awarding marks for experience and service in hilly regions.

38. In the case of candidates who have furnished the mark sheets only in grades, they should furnish the actual marks obtained from the university. If not, only the minimum marks of the grade will be considered

39. **Determination of inter-se merit** : -

In case of two or more candidates obtaining equal marks out of total of 100 marks, the inter-se-merit of such candidates shall be determined on the basis of the following order of preference.

a) Marks obtained in the Entrance Examination.

b) Least number of appearance in the final Semester/ final year of B.Pharm., Examination.

c) Total marks obtained in the final semesters/ final year examination of B.Pharm., course.

d) Seniority in age will be given preference.

COUNSELING PROCEDURE: -

40. a. Allotment of seats will be done by counseling based on merit following the rule of reservation / roster system in force in the State of Tamil Nadu and as per all other terms and conditions contained in the Government Order issued and to be issued from time to time with regard to rule of reservation.
- b. Candidates will be called for counseling according to their rank in batches.
- c. Option once given during the counseling cannot be changed later. Request for change of branch/college from one to another is not permitted after an option has been exercised at the time of counseling.
- d. Request for transfer from one college to another will not be allowed strictly after the cut off date. Re-allotment will be permitted only during 2nd phase of counseling.**
- e. Individual request for transfer of college will not be entertained .**
- f. Mutual transfers will not be permitted under any circumstances.**

41. Candidates selected for admission should give a declaration in the form given at the time of counseling that he / she is liable for forfeiture of selection / admission if **suppression of facts** are found at any time during or after admission to the course. The selection / admission shall be liable for cancellation based on declaration at any time during or after the admission to the course.

Further he / she will not be allowed to apply for the Post Graduate M.Pharm Degree Course for Two Years.

42. (i) Due to unforeseen reasons ,if a candidate cannot attend the counseling on the specified date and time, he / she can **authorize** a representative to attend the counseling on his/ her behalf. The authorized representative should produce an undertaking and authority letter for allotment **in the format** given in the Annexure VII (A& B) along with **requisite original documents**. The allotment made to the authorized representative shall be binding on the candidate.

(ii) Candidates who are absent at the scheduled time and date of counseling without a valid reason for absence will not be considered for admission. However the Selection Committee reserves the right to permit the candidate to attend the counseling if a valid reason for absence is communicated to the Selection Committee. The candidate so permitted can only claim the speciality and college available at the time of counseling when he / she actually attends **during that phase only**.

(iii) If the candidate is absent during the first phase of counseling, he / she cannot attend the second phase of counseling.

43. **Strict discipline should be maintained by the candidates for smooth conduct of counseling. If the candidates are found to indulge in any untoward activities, they will be debarred from the counseling and selection for the present and subsequent sessions.**

44. The marks obtained by the candidates in the entrance examination shall be considered for the purpose of preparing the merit list.

45. The candidates appearing for allotment by personal appearance should bring the **documents** enclosed along with application in original. **Candidates without original certificates / documents, shall not be allowed to participate in the counseling. Candidates who have submitted their original documents to Institutions / Universities and appear for counseling with a certificate stating that “ their original certificates are submitted with institution / University” will NOT be allowed to participate in counseling in any case.**

46. Any change or modification and relevant information pertaining to this admission process will be made available immediately on the websites. (www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in) The candidates are instructed to visit the websites from the date of application till the end of counseling without fail. All information including the date of counseling will be put up in the website. **Call letters can only be downloaded from the websites.** Candidates will be permitted for counseling accordingly.

47. All candidates attending the counseling for M. Pharm Degree Course will have to remit a **non-refundable** amount of ₹ 500/- by means of Demand Draft drawn in favour of the Secretary, Selection Committee as processing fee.

The candidates who are selected at the time of counseling shall pay the tuition fee in total as prescribed in Clause 53 for Government Colleges by way of Demand Draft drawn in favour of the Secretary, Selection Committee, Kilpauk, Chennai – 10 payable at Chennai at the time of receipt of the allotment orders towards tuition fee. After the receipt of the joining report from the Deans of the respective colleges, this amount will be transferred to the Colleges concerned. The fee is **not refundable if the candidate does not join or discontinues the course.**

Candidates selected in the seats offered by the Self Financing Institutions will have to remit a **non-refundable** sum of ₹ 5000/- by means of a Demand draft drawn in favour of “The Secretary, Selection Committee, Chennai”, at the time of counseling for allotment of seats. This will be adjusted towards the tuition fee that has to be paid to the colleges and the balance amount, towards tuition fee has to be paid in the respective colleges at the time of joining the course. The fee is **not refundable if the candidate does not join or discontinues the course**

48. Candidates who discontinue the course in Government Colleges on any grounds after the cut off date (i.e. 31st May 2015) fixed by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University and the candidates who have taken allotment after 25.05.2015 and not joined the course on or before the cut off date shall pay Rs.25000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) in total as discontinuation fees to the Deans of the respective Colleges by way of Demand Draft drawn in favour of the **Secretary, Selection Committee, Kilpauk, Chennai-10**, payable at Chennai.

Unless the penalty amount is paid in total, the candidates will not be relieved.

METHOD OF SELECTION AND ADMISSION: -

49. Seats will be distributed equally among service and open quota in the order of merit

50. (1) a. The Selection will be made by counseling based on Merit and by applying the Rule of Reservation / Roster method followed by the Government of Tamil Nadu wherever applicable.

The rule of reservation shall be as follows:-

Open Competition	- 31%
Backward Class	- 30%
Most Backward / Denotified	- 20%
Scheduled Caste	- 18%
Scheduled Tribe	- 1%

Within the 30% reservation for Backward Classes 3.5% reservation will be provided for Muslims and 16% of seats out of 18% Quota earmarked to Scheduled Caste Arunthathiyar Community.

b. 50% of seats in **each branch** and in **each college** are reserved for service candidates, in addition to those service candidates selected in the open category. In case an odd number seat remains in any branch in the total seats sanctioned for that branch, that seat shall be filled by merit and communal reservation.

The odd seat stated above is referable to each branch and not to each college

c. For the newly sanctioned seats in Government Colleges after the I Phase of counseling, reallotment of courses/colleges will be permitted as per merit and communal reservation from rank one. Joined and Waitlisted candidates only can attend the counseling for the allotment of the above seats.

d. If there are no eligible Service candidates opting for M.Pharm Degree course, the same will be allotted to eligible Open Category candidates .

(2)a. Any remaining unfilled seats for want of adequate number of eligible candidates belonging to SCA community shall be filled by candidates belonging to SC community other than Arunthathiyar as per merit and vice versa. (GO (Ms) 55 P & AR Department dated 08.04.2010.)

- b. Any remaining reserved seats in ST Quota for want of adequate number of eligible candidates belonging to ST community shall be allotted to candidates belonging to SC Community as per merit. (GO (Ms) No 77 Health & Family Welfare Department (MCA 1) dated 24.02.2011.)
- c. Any remaining unfilled seats in BCM Community for want of adequate number of eligible candidates after exhausting the merit list shall be filled up on merit basis by candidates belonging to BC community without exceeding the quota for BC community as a whole. (GO (Ms) No 30 Health & Family Welfare Department (MCA 1) dated 18.01.2012.)
- d. Even after filling up of the required seats reserved for Arunthathiyars on preferential basis, if more number of qualified Arunthathiyars are available, such excess number of candidates of Arunthathiyars shall be entitled to compete with the Scheduled Castes other than Arunthathiyars in the inter-se merit among them(G.O.Ms.No.65, dated 27.5.2009 of P&AR(K) Department).

51. a. Selection and admission of students to the seats earmarked as Government quota in Self-Financing and Government Aided Institutions will be subject to the Central and State Act and Rules proposed by the respective Government coming into force before counseling. The seat matrix for these institutions will be displayed during counseling.
- b. Service candidates taking allotment in Self-financing colleges **will not be paid salary** and they have to avail leave for which they are eligible to the period of study on their own after obtaining prior permission from their Head of Directorate concerned.
 - c. Stipend / Fee structure/ Bond amount/ any other conditions will be as per the Institution admitted into.

SPECIAL CATEGORY:-

52. SEATS RESERVED FOR ORTHOPAEDICALLY PHYSICALLY DISABLED CANDIDATES:

3% of the total number of seats available in Government Institutions are reserved for the Orthopaedically Physically disabled candidates (only for locomotory disabilities of lower limbs). In the reservation of seats in the first instance, candidates with disability of lower limbs between 50% to 70% shall be considered and in case candidates are not available in that category then the candidates with 40% to 50% locomotory disabilities of the lower limbs will be considered.

The other conditions for admission into the course will be applicable as in the case of the general category.

The candidates are required to produce a certificate from the Medical Board of the Medical Colleges of the area concerned constituted for this purpose assessing the nature and the extent of physical disability in the format prescribed in the Annexure – I (A & B). The Certificate must have been obtained **within three months prior** to submitting the application for seeking admission under this category. If the certificate has been obtained earlier, the application will be rejected.

The Medical Certificate issued by the District Medical Board of the area concerned for this purpose is subject to the confirmation of the Expert Committee constituted by the Director of Medical Education at the time of counseling.

The candidates seeking admission under this category should produce the full size photograph exhibiting the deformity.

Seats earmarked for the special categories will be allotted following the Horizontal Reservation. If no eligible candidates are available for the seats earmarked under special category, those seats will be added to general pool and allotted on merit basis.

Note:- (1) The candidates who have applied under this category will be required to undergo a second Medical Examination by a Medical Board constituted for the purpose by the Director of Medical Education to ascertain and confirm the nature and extent of Physical disability.

(2) a. Candidates with **any other disability other than the locomotory disability of the lower limb** will not be considered for admission to the course under this Special Category.

b. Both Upper Limbs, Vision and Hearing should be normal

(3) The decision of the Director of Medical Education in this regard will be final

53. DURATION OF COURSE AND TUITION FEES: -

(i) The Duration of the Post Graduate M. Pharm., degree course shall be 2 years.

S.No.	Course	Tuition Fees	
		Government Colleges (Rs. per annum)	Self-financing Colleges (Rs. per annum)
1	M.Pharm	5,000	55,000 (For 2014 – 2015)

Fee for 2015 – 2016 will be fixed by the fee Committee and will be informed.

Special fees and other fees are to be paid at the time of admission in respective colleges.

(ii) Students of SC/SCA/ST, whose parents'/guardians' **annual income is less than Rs.2,50,000/- (Rupees two lakhs and fifty thousand only)** and for SC Converted Christianity students whose parents'/guardians **annual income is less than 2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs only)** are exempted from payment of all compulsory, Non refundable fees (Enrollment/Registration, Tuition, Games, Union, Library, Magazine, Medical Examination and such other fee compulsorily payable by the scholar to the Institution or University/ Board) and also exempted from all compulsory Non refundable fees fixed by the "Fee Committee". The fees, so exempted shall be claimed by the respective Institutions under the Scholarship Programme of the Government of India in G.O.(Ms) No.6, AD and TW Department, dated: 09.01.2012 and as per G.O.(Ms).No.92 ,AD and TW Department, dated 11.09.2012.

54. STIPEND: - a. Service candidates selected and allotted Postgraduate courses in Government Institutions will be paid salary as per the Government orders in force.

b. Private candidates selected and allotted Postgraduate courses in Government Institutions will be paid stipend as per Government orders in force.

55. SECURITY AMOUNT: -

a. All Service candidates of Tamil Nadu shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five lakhs only) as security amount with the undertaking that they will serve the Government of Tamil Nadu till superannuation . Two permanent Government servants in the same or higher rank than the candidate shall execute sureties. The prescribed form will be available in the colleges at the time of admission. The bond will become infructuous if the service candidates serve the Government of Tamil Nadu after the completion of the course until superannuation.

b. Non Service candidates of Tamil Nadu shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five lakhs only) as security amount with the undertaking that they will serve the Government of Tamil Nadu for a period of not less than two years if required. During the above period they will be paid a salary on par with the fresh recruits of the Government of Tamil Nadu Medical Service and the Government of Tamil Nadu will requisition their services if required within a period of two years from the date of completion of their post graduate degree courses. Two permanent Government servants shall be sureties. The prescribed form will be available in the colleges at the time of admission. The bond will become infructuous if he / she serves the Government of Tamil Nadu if required for a minimum period of two years.

c. If for any reason, the candidate is unable to serve the Government for the above said period, the bond amount has to be credited to the relevant Head of account.

d. The Security Bonds are governed by clause (c) under exemption under article 57 of schedule of the Indian Stamp Act 1879 (Central Act II of 1879). Hence the Security Bonds executed need not be stamped.

56 . HEPATITIS – B VACCINATION: -

All the Selected candidates for admission to the various Postgraduate M.Pharm., Degree course for 2014- 2015 session should take Hepatitis – B vaccine and submit a medical certificate from an

authorized Medical Officer as proof thereof, to the Head of the Institution at the time of joining. Admission to any Post Graduate course will not be allowed by the Heads of Institutions without the medical certificate. The candidate should take further doses at the prescribed intervals as required.

57. COMMUNICATION:-

- a. **The Intimation / Call Letters will be available in the Web Sites www.tnhealth.org & www.tn.gov.in before counseling. Selection Committee will not be held responsible for non viewing of website.**
- b. Candidates should inform the change of address, change of postings etc., immediately to the Selection Committee. The results will be published in the Web Sites www.tnhealth.org & www.tn.gov.in

58. The candidates who join M.Pharm., Degree Course should not indulge in any kind of agitation /strike /ragging activity inside / outside the college campus during the course of study. Candidates found to be taking part in any such activities mentioned above will be expelled from the course / college, at any point during the course of study and criminal action will be taken against them.

59. Any candidate appearing for the Entrance Examination is deemed to have read the contents in the Prospectus and agrees with all the conditions and clauses and will not have the right to challenge any of the clauses contained in this Prospectus after appearing for the Entrance Examination.

J. RADHAKRISHNAN,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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B. Jayaraman
SECTION OFFICER.

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AT A GLANCE

- **Date of Notification** : 5.4.2015
- **Commencement of Downloading:** 6.4.2015
- **Last date for downloading** : 17.4.2015, 5.00 pm
- **Last date for receipt of application** : 20.4.2015, 5.00 pm
- Allotment of seats by personal appearance I Phase : May 2015
- Last date of admission : the time as mentioned in the allotment letter of the candidate
- Results will also be available on the website at www.tnhealth.org /www.tn.gov.in.
- Application forms along with the Prospectus can be downloaded from websites www.tnhealth.org and www.tn.gov.in. **Submission of application forms through online process only.** Applications submitted through online shall be considered, only after receiving the print-out of online entry with necessary copies of certificates (duly attested passport size photograph to be pasted on the space provided). Application with necessary enclosures to be sent in a large sized cover measuring 38cm X 28cm superscribed '**APPLICATION FOR MPT COURSE 2015 – 2016 SESSION**' to the **Secretary, Directorate of Medical Education, Selection Committee, Kilpauk, Chennai -10** before the last date along with a Demand Draft for ₹ 1000/- towards the cost of application form which is not refundable **drawn in favour of The Secretary, Selection Committee, payable at Chennai.** Applications with out the Demand Draft will not be accepted. The name of the candidate and the course applied for MPT should be mentioned on the reverse of the Demand Draft. SC/SCA and ST candidates **who are Natives** of Tamil Nadu are exempted from payment of the cost of the Application Form.
- Candidates should send the application with all enclosures in an A 4 size cloth lined cover. The template with requisite details available for download should be printed and pasted on the cover.
- The Application Number will be assigned to each candidate at the time of online submission.
- Candidate can track their application by logging in with their Application No and Password.
- Eligible candidates only can download their Call Letters by logging from the websites www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in with their Application Number with Password and attend the Counseling as per the date and time mentioned in the counseling schedule which will also be available on the above web-sites.

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS :-

- 1(a) Candidates seeking admission to Post Graduate MPT Degree course should submit the **application form** with necessary enclosures which should reach
THE SECRETARY,
SELECTION COMMITTEE,
162, E.V.R. PERIYAR SALAI,
KILPAUK, CHENNAI – 600 010.
on or before 20.04.2015 by 5.00 p.m
- (b) The candidates shall ensure that the completed application form with all particulars and enclosures reaches the **Selection Committee** within the date and time specified. Applications received by Speed post / courier or any other means, after the last date & time will be rejected irrespective of the date of booking.
- (c) The Selection Committee **shall not be responsible** for any delay in the receipt or for the loss in transit of application form etc.,
- (d) Non-Service Candidates should send their applications directly to the **Secretary, Selection Committee** at the above address.
- (g) Service Candidates should get their online printout applications forwarded only through the proper channel with the remarks of the forwarding authorities in the format prescribed in the application form. If not, the **applications will be summarily rejected.**
- (h) Advance copies from service candidates will not be accepted.
- (g) Applications with incomplete or insufficient particulars or without enclosures will be summarily rejected without any intimation to the candidate.
- (h) Both Upper limbs, vision and hearing should be Normal for all candidates including candidates applying under Physically Disabled category.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

2. (a) Candidates seeking admission to the Postgraduate M.P.T., Degree Courses should be citizens of India and natives of Tamil Nadu.
- (b) Candidates of Tamil Nadu Nativity who have completed B. P.T in other States should furnish a **certificate of Nativity** in Tamil Nadu issued by the competent authority only **in the specified format in Annexure VI B and supported by a copy of Passport/ Ration Card / Voter's ID / Driving License/ Permanent Registration Certificate.** If the copy of the supporting document is not produced, then the application form **will be rejected.**
- (c) **Nativity Certificate submitted later will be summarily rejected.**
3. Candidates should possess a B.P.T., Degree awarded by the Tamil Nadu Dr.MGR Medical University or any other University recognized as Equivalent thereto by the Tamil Nadu Dr.M.G.R. Medical University / Physiotherapy Council. Candidates who have qualified from other universities should produce an **Eligibility Certificate** from the Tamil Nadu Dr.MGR Medical University at the time of counseling, failing which they will not be considered for selection.
4. Candidates seeking admission to the Postgraduate M.P.T., Degree course should have obtained not less than 50% of the total marks obtained in all semesters taken together in the B.P.T., Degree Course. In case of failure (s) the pass marks in the subsequent attempt(s) shall be taken for calculation purpose. Number of attempts are not considered for calculation of marks.
5. A candidate who has already completed or acquired a Postgraduate Degree in any branch in M.P.T, course or is undergoing a Postgraduate course in any branch is ineligible to apply for any other speciality in M.P.T Degree course.

<p>6. The following category of B.P.T., Graduates will be treated as Service candidates for selection under the seats reserved exclusively for service candidates.</p> <p>i) B.P.T. graduates serving in Tamil Nadu Medical Service on a regular basis and who have completed two years of service as on 30-04-2015.</p> <p>ii) B.P.T. graduates who are approved probationers serving in local bodies who have completed 2 years of service as on 30-4-2015.</p>
<p>7. The following categories of B.P.T Graduates will be considered for selection under open quota as non – service candidates only.</p> <p>a) B.P.T., graduates who are serving in Govt. of India institutions in Tamil Nadu / Public Sector undertaking and organization under control of Government of India in Tamil Nadu.</p> <p>b) B.P.T. Graduates who have not been selected by Tamil Nadu Medical Service and are serving purely under temporary category in Tamil Nadu Medical Service / Local bodies.</p> <p>c) B.P.T Graduates serving in Private sector.</p>
<p>PROCEDURE FOR FILLING THE APPLICATION:</p> <p>8 a. Candidates seeking admission are required to send his/her application print out of Online Entry only.</p> <p>b. Attested recent identical passport size photograph which was uploaded should be affixed to the application form.</p> <p>Note: If the Photograph is not a recent one taken at the time of submitting the application, the Application will be rejected.</p>
<p>9. The candidates shall fill in the Application form carefully.</p>
<p>10. A candidate shall submit only ONE application form</p>
<p>11. The Government Orders issued and to be issued from time to time pertaining to any of the matters contained in the prospectus should be read as part and parcel of this prospectus and such terms and conditions in the Government Order are deemed to have been incorporated in this prospectus.</p>
<p>12. Service candidates should send their applications through the proper channel with the forwarding authority's remarks and the service particulars carefully filled up by the forwarding authority as prescribed in the application form. Applications of the Service candidates who have completed two years of continuous, regular service as on 30.04.2015 excluding eligible leave alone will be considered. The Heads of Directorates have to issue a Certificate of completion of the required service. The application should reach in stipulated time. If the application is received after the last date, it will not be accepted irrespective of date of submission and date of forwarding by the Competent authority.</p>
<p>13. Candidates must enclose only photocopies (not originals) of the following documents in the order indicated below along with the application, failing which the application is liable for rejection.</p> <p>i) B.P.T., course completion certificate from the College where the candidate had undergone the B. P.T., course.</p> <p>ii) B.P.T., Degree Certificate or provisional pass certificate from the University concerned to which the college is affiliated.</p> <p>iii) First year / Semester to final year/semester B.P.T., Mark sheets issued by the University concerned.</p> <p>iv) Valid Community Certificate issued by the competent authority with Office Seal</p> <p>v) Birth Certificate or copy of H.Sc., Certificate / School Leaving Certificate / College Leaving Certificate / Extract from Service Register as evidence for Date of Birth.</p>

25 Any change or modification and relevant information pertaining to this admission process will be made available immediately on the websites. (www.tnhealth.org / www.tn.gov.in) The candidates are instructed to visit the websites from the date of application till the end of counseling without fail. All information including the date of counseling will be put up in the website. **Call letters can only be downloaded from the websites.** Candidates will be permitted for counseling accordingly.

26. All candidates attending the counseling for M.P.T Degree Course will have to remit a non-refundable amount of ₹500/- by means of Demand Draft drawn in favour of the Secretary, Selection Committee as processing fee.

METHOD OF SELECTION AND ADMISSION: -

27. 1. a. The Selection will be made by, counseling based on merit and by applying the Rule of Reservation / Roster method followed by the Government of Tamil Nadu wherever applicable.

Roster method of rule of reservation will be followed if the seats are more than 1 and less than 8 in each branch as per G.O.Ms.No.241/ dt.29-10-07 of P&AR (K) Dept. of Government of Tamil Nadu. This is subject to the final verdict of the Supreme Court of India in the SLP 14014-15/09 filed by this Govt. against the orders passed by the Bench of the High Court of Madras dated 12.05.2009 in W.A Nos.763 & 764 / 2007 and W.P No 7067 / 2009

If the seats are 8 and more, the rule of reservation shall be as follows:-

Open Competition	- 31%
Backward Class	- 30%
Most Backward / Denotified	- 20%
Scheduled Caste	- 18%
Scheduled Tribe	- 1%

Within the 30% reservation for Backward Classes 3.5% reservation will be provided for Muslims and 16% of seats out of 18% Quota earmarked to Scheduled Caste Arunthathiyar Community.

b. 50% of seats will be made available for service candidates and the other 50% of seats are for open Quota to be filled on the basis of merit from Service and Non-Service candidates put together. In case of an odd number of vacancy, among the seats, that vacant seat shall be filled up by consideration of merit and communal reservation.

28. a. Selection and admission of students to the seats earmarked as Government quota in Self-Financing and Government Aided Institutions will be subject to the Central and State Act and Rules proposed by the respective Government coming into force before counseling. The seat matrix for these institutions will be displayed during counseling.

b. Service candidates taking allotment in Self-financing colleges **will not be paid salary** and they have to avail leave to which they are eligible for the period of study on their own after obtaining prior permission from their Head of Department concerned.

c.. Stipend / Fee structure/ Bond amount/ any other conditions will be as per the Institution admitted into.

29. DURATION OF COURSE AND TUITION FEES

a. **The duration of the Post Graduate M.P.T Degree Course shall be 2 years.**

S.No	Course	Tuition Fees (Self Financing Colleges) (₹ per annum)
1	M.P.T Degree Course	50,000 (For 2014-2015)

<p>Fee for 2015-2016 will be fixed by the Fee Committee. Special fees and other fees are to be paid at the time of admission in respective colleges.</p> <p>b. Students of SC/SCA/ST community, whose parents'/guardians' annual income is less than Rs.2,50,000/- (Rupees two lakhs and fifty thousand only) and r students of SC converted Christianity, whose parents'/guardians' annual income is less than 2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs only) are exempted from payment of all compulsory, Non refundable fees (Enrollment/Registration, Tuition, Games, Union, Library, Magazine, Medical Examination and such other fee compulsorily payable by the scholar to the Institution or University/ Board) and also exempted from all compulsory Non refundable fees fixed by the "Fee Committee". The fees, so exempted shall be claimed by the respective Institutions under the Scholarship Programme of the Government of India in G.O.(Ms) No.6, AD and TW Department, dated: 09.01.2012 and as per G.O.(Ms.) No.92, AD and TW Department, dated 11.09.12.</p> <p>c. Selected candidates shall pay ₹2000/ - by way of Demand Draft drawn in favour of the Secretary, Selection Committee, Kilpauk, Chennai – 10 payable at Chennai at the time of receipt of the allotment orders towards tuition fee. After the receipt of the joining report from the Deans of the respective colleges, this amount will be transferred to the Colleges concerned. The fee is not refundable if the candidate discontinues or does not join the course.</p>
<p>30. HEPATITIS B VACCINATION All the Selected candidates for admission to the various Postgraduate M.P.T Degree course for 2015 - 2016 session should take Hepatitis – B vaccination and submit a medical certificate from an authorized Medical Officer as proof thereof, to the Head of the Institution at the time of joining. Admission to any Post Graduate course will not be allowed by the Heads of Institutions without the medical certificate. The candidate should take further doses at the prescribed intervals as required.</p>
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<p>32. RAGGING The candidates who join M.P.T Degree Courses should not indulge in any kind of agitation /strike /ragging activity inside / outside the college campus during the course of study. Candidates found to be taking part in any such activities mentioned above will be expelled from the course / college, at any point during the course of study and criminal action will be taken against them.</p>
<p>33) Candidates who have applied for M.P.T. Course are deemed to have read the contents in the Prospectus and agrees with all the conditions and clauses and will not have the right to challenge any of the clauses contained in this Prospectus.</p>

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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