



Secretariat  
Chennai-9.

**HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT**  
**Letter (D) No.835 / MC.1 / 2015, Dated 26.06.2015**  
**Manmadha, Aani- 11, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2046**

From  
Dr. J. Radhakrishnan, I.A.S.,  
Secretary to Government.

To  
The Principal,  
Tamil Nadu Government Dental College & Hospital,  
Chennai – 600 003.

Sir,

Sub : Dental Education – Tamil Nadu Government Dental College, Chennai - Increase of seats in 5 specialities of existing MDS course - Essentiality Certificate – Issued.

- Ref : 1. Government Letter (D) No.648, Health and Family Welfare (MCA.1) Department , dated: 26.06.2014.  
2. From the Director of Medical Education letter Ref. No. 39695 / ME III / 2 / 2013, Dated: 23.06.2016.

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The Director of Medical Education, in accordance to the instructions received from the Government of India has requested to revalidate Essentiality Certificate issued in the Government letter 1<sup>st</sup> cited for increase of seats in the following 5 (Five) specialities of MDS courses at Tamil Nadu Government Dental College and Hospital, Chennai for the academic year 2016-2017.

2. The Government hereby revalidate Essentiality Certificate issued vide Government letter 1<sup>st</sup> cited for increase of seats in the following 5 (Five) specialities in MDS courses at Tamil Nadu Government Dental College, Chennai for the academic year 2016-2017 subject to the condition that the approval of the Dental Council of India / Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi should be obtained before the students are admitted:

Sl.No.	Name of the Specialities	No of existing MDS seats	Proposed to be increased
1	Prosthodontics	6	9
2	Conservative Dentistry	6	9
3	Oral & Maxillo Facial Surgery	6	9
4	Periodontics	6	9
5	Orthodontics	6	9

Yours faithfully,

*H. Srinivasan*  
26/06/15  
for Secretary to Government.

Copy to :

The Director of Medical Education, Chennai - 600 010.

The Secretary to Government of India,

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi – 110 011

The Secretary, Dental Council of India, New Delhi – 110 002.

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Health, Chennai – 600 009.

✓ The Health and Family Welfare (Data Cell) Department, Chennai – 600 009.

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