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**Notification**

1. As per the provisions and in accordance with Amendment to Rule 11 of the Karnataka Compulsory Selection of Candidates for Admission to Government Seats in Professional Educational Institutions Rules, 2006, vide Government Notification-1, No. HFW 79 RGU 2011, Dated: 17.07.2012, all Candidates who have been allotted seats to pursue MBBS course in Government Medical Colleges and in Private Medical Colleges under government quota shall mandatorily serve One Year Compulsory Medical Service in Government Hospital/Institutions, selected and posted on basis of merit through process of counselling in Karnataka State.
2. Online counselling will be conducted for posting candidates on merit basis in respect to the Rules.
3. The following points pertaining to counselling are to be noted:
  - i) The candidates who got admitted to MBBS course in Government medical colleges and under government quota in Private Medical colleges during 2016-17 and completed their internship in April to May 2022 shall serve the Government.
  - ii) Every candidate (Government Quota irrespective of Universities) who have joined MBBS during 2016-17 batch, who have completed their internship will have to choose the Government Hospital/Institutions where they would wish to undergo compulsory service, based on vacancies shown through online counselling.
  - iii) Based on their options and according to their merit, candidates will be posted to various Government Hospitals/Institutions where vacancies are available as notified.
  - iv) Non-entry of the options by the candidate will amount to non-compliance of the order and extension of time will not be considered. The candidate will be posted suo-moto as per vacancy available as on date by the competent authority.
  - v) The candidates will be paid stipend as per department and post chosen by the candidate and according to Government orders issued by respective departments (Department of Medical Education, Department of Health and Family Welfare Services & guidelines of NHM).

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4. Following are the steps which will be followed for purpose of posting for one-year compulsory service in Government hospitals /Institution on the basis of merit.
- i) The link for option / priority entry for selecting available vacancy will be shared on the Health and Family Welfare website <https://karunadu.karnataka.gov.in/hfw>.
  - ii) The online counselling shall be merit based.
  - iii) The merit list of candidates prepared and sent by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS) will be published and considered for allotment based on the priority entry submitted by the candidate. Only those candidates published in the merit list who got admitted to MBBS course in Government medical colleges and under government quota in Private Medical colleges during 2006-2016 and completed their internship in April to May 2022 are eligible for counselling.
  - iv) Candidates have to register for counselling mandatorily.
5. Process of online options entry and allotment:
- (i) The candidate may select the department (Medical Education or Health and Family Welfare), District, taluk and then Hospitals (PHC, CHC, Taluk Hospital or /Institute of their choice among the displayed options at the time of option entry).
  - (ii) The candidate will have the choice to add or remove priority for all the districts to which he is interested in, irrespective of the vacancy in the order of priority.
  - (iii) The order of priority can also be rearranged or deleted until the last date and time. After the last date there is no scope to enter, re-order, modify or delete options.
  - (iv) Therefore, all the candidates are hereby informed to enter their priority of options irrespective of the number of vacancies shown against a particular District/Institute.
  - (v) Candidates are advised to enter any number of options to avoid any disappointment of being posted Suo-moto (from the existing vacancies).
  - (vi) After the compilation of all the priorities and based on the merit list, the candidates order will be confirmed and there-after notified.
  - (vii) Once the allotment process is complete and notified there is no scope for any change of allotment.
  - (viii) The allotment logic/module/system follows the merit of the candidate along with the entered options and priorities given by the candidate. An illustration of the same is attached as annexure-I to this notification.
6. While counselling is based on the merit, priority shall be given in following cases and will be considered only if all the valid certificates are attached by the competent authority, namely.-

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