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Notice for NEET UG Ayush Counseling in West Bengal for Under Graduate AYUSH State Quota, AYUSH Private College Management Quota and AYUSH Private College Central Quota seats 2026

The candidates who have qualified through NEET UG 2026 conducted by National Testing Agency (NTA) and want to participate in the counseling in West Bengal Under Graduate AYUSH State Quota, AYUSH Private College Management Quota and AYUSH Private College Central Quota seats 2026, have to follow certain steps as listed below:-

1. State Quota : The qualified candidate through NEET UG 2026 who want to participate for WB State Quota UG seats must note that either the candidate or his/her parent/s must be domicile in the State of West Bengal. They have to download the domicile certificate proforma from counseling website <https://wbmcc.nic.in> and have to fill appropriate form and get it signed and stamped by the appropriate authority.

During document verification such certificate in original has to be produced by the candidate before the verifying authority of the college.

Only after successful verification of such certificate, the candidate shall be considered for Online Choice filling and Allotment for State Quota seat provided the other required documents (as discussed later in this Notice) are properly in place.

The types of domicile certificate proforma that are uploaded in the website <https://wbmcc.nic.in> are described herewith:-

Proforma a1: Residential/Domicile Certificate for candidates residing in the State of West Bengal continuously for at least last 10 years as on **31st December of 2025**. Candidate must have passed class 10 or equivalent and class 12 or equivalent from the State of West Bengal.

Proforma a2: Residential/Domicile Certificate for candidates residing in the State of West Bengal continuously for at least last 10 years as on **31st December of 2025** where the candidate has passed 10+2 Examination **in the year 2026** from West Bengal.

Proforma b: Residential/Domicile Certificate for candidates **NOT** residing in the State of WB continuously for at least last **10 years as on 31.12.2025** [that is candidate have passed either class 10 or class 12 or both from outside West Bengal] but whose parent/s are permanent resident/s of West Bengal having their permanent home address within West Bengal and living continuously for at least last 10 years in West Bengal as on **31st December of 2025**.

A valid Domicile Certificate as applicable which is obtained from the West Bengal e-district portal (<https://edistrict.wb.gov.in/PACE>) will also be accepted as the proof of domicile provided the clause shall remain as stated above for the proforma a1 or proforma b, as applicable.

In case proforma b or e-district domicile of the parent is furnished, it is required to produce any two of the following original ID proof (Voter ID card, Aadhar Card, and Passport) of the concerned parent during the stage of document verification where the said ID cards show that the residential address is in West Bengal.

Who are authorized to sign the domicile certificate:-

Proforma a1 or b must be signed and certified by any of the following competent authorities of State Govt. or Central Govt. having local jurisdiction of the place of permanent residence of the candidate or the parent as the case may be e.g.:-

1. District Magistrate, Additional District Magistrate, Deputy Magistrate, Deputy Collector, Sub Divisional Officer, Block Development Officer.
2. Superintendent of Police, Additional Superintendent of Police, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Divisional Police Officer.
3. Commissioner, Additional Commissioner, Joint Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of Police Commissionerate.
4. Judicial Magistrate of any rank or position in the concerned district or Metropolitan locality or Hon'ble High Court at Calcutta or Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
5. Corporation area: Commissioner, Additional Commissioner, Joint Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner.
6. Assistant Secretary or above in the Secretariat of Govt. of West Bengal (including GTA) or Central Govt.
7. Deputy Director or above in the Directorate of Govt. of West Bengal or Central Govt.

Every official certifying the domicile status of candidate or parent must provide his/her FULL NAME, DESIGNATION, PLACE OF POSTING WITH ADDRESS, LANDLINE or MOBILE Number. He/she should also provide his/her identity card number if available.

Certification from any other authority other than those enumerated above will not be accepted.

Domicile certificate issued by the people's representatives like Councilor of Municipal Corporation/Municipality, Member of three tier Panchayet system or GTA, Member of Legislative Assembly or Member of Parliament are not accepted.

Proforma a2 must be signed and certified by the Headmaster/Principal/Director/ Head of the Institution in the State of West Bengal from which the candidates have passed 10+2 Examination in the year 2026.

The candidates who are domicile to the West Bengal are eligible to participate in State Quota, AYUSH Private College Management Quota seats and AYUSH Private college Central quota seats in WB provided they are otherwise eligible for such seats as discussed later in this notice.

2. **Management Quota** in the Private AYUSH colleges in West Bengal in 2026 are also going to be filled up by online counseling which is to be conducted by WBMCC. The candidates qualified for NEET UG 2026 (UR/EWS cut off 50 percentile; UR PwD/EWS PwD cut off 45 percentile; SC/ST/OBC/SC PwD/ST PwD/OBC PwD cut off 40 percentile) are eligible for management quota seats.

The candidates who are not domicile in the State of West Bengal are eligible for **Management Quota seats** in Private AYUSH colleges in West Bengal. They are also eligible for **AYUSH Private College Central Quota Seats (till Round 3)** in West Bengal.

For admission in Management Quota seats the domicile certificate is not required for the allotted candidate. However, they are required to produce other essential original documents as discussed in the later part of the notice for verification before securing admission in the allotted seat. **It must be kept in mind by the candidates that allotment in the Private College Management Quota and Central Quota Seats is based purely on combined merit rank of NEET UG 2026 as there is no caste or PwD reservation in such seats, caste or PWD is only applicable for cut off eligibility as stated above.**

4. **Caste status of candidate:** - As the Center and State list may vary, only the candidates who had declared their status as UR/EWS while filling up online form of NEET UG 2026 but has valid OBC caste certificate issued in the State of WB and valid NCL certificate issued on or after 01.04.2026 issued by appropriate authorities in favor of that caste status, can declare themselves as OBC during the

registration process of WB NEET UG Medical Dental Counseling 2026.

If a candidate has SC/ST/OBC/EWS certificate which is of other state, then he/she would be treated as Unreserved for state quota counseling and can participate for UR seats in state quota if achieved UR cut off 50 percentile in NEET UG 2026 and holds a valid domicile certificate of West Bengal. They can however participate for management quota seats as per combined rank.

The candidate, who is domicile in the State of West Bengal, selects OBC during filling up of category in the dropdown button in Online application form, then the candidate shall have to produce a valid certificate **ISSUED BY AUTHORITY IN WEST BENGAL ONLY at the Physical Document Verification venue (both in pre and post allotment verification process), otherwise the candidate is treated as Unreserved** for allotment of seats in State Quota Counseling provided the candidate has obtained 50 percentile marks (that is the cut off marks for UR (Unreserved) candidate in NEET UG 2026 exam) as mentioned above. The OBC candidates if belong to creamy layer, will not be considered as reserved category candidates. **If the OBC CATEGORY certificate is issued before 01.04.2026**, then the candidate has to provide the Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) certificate issued by same authority who issued earlier caste certificate. WB Domicile OBC candidate, who belong to creamy layer or who do not provide proper NCL in support of being non creamy layer, shall be considered as Unreserved for allotment of seats in State Quota counseling provided the candidate has obtained 50th percentile marks [that is the cut off marks for UR (Unreserved) candidate in NEET UG 2026 exam]. **Hence the Non-Creamy Layer certificate must be issued by the competent authority on or after 01.04.2026.**

If the candidate is not domicile to the State of West Bengal then he/she shall not be considered for State Quota seats irrespective of the caste status or PwD status. Such candidates are however eligible to fill up choice for Private college management quota seats.

Candidates who belong to Economically Weaker Section (EWS) of West Bengal (with or without PwD status) and are domicile to the State of West Bengal, shall be considered as reserved category candidate for West Bengal State Quota seats provided their EWS certificate is successfully verified at the time of document verification process before online choice filling and allotment, otherwise the candidate is treated as Unreserved for allotment of seats in State Quota Counseling provided the candidate has obtained 50 percentile marks [that is the cut off marks for UR (Unreserved) candidate in NEET UG 2026 exam]. **Such certificate must be issued on or after 01.04.2026 by the appropriate authority in appropriate format (as published in the WBMCC Counseling Website) to be considered as valid document.**

It is very much pertinent to mention here that Caste Certificates of the candidates will be verified by officers nominated by BCWD, Government of West Bengal who will be present during both for pre-choice fill-up verification and during post allotment admission process.

5. PWD status: The candidates who are eligible as per cut off limits of the 21 benchmark disabilities as envisaged under the Regulations of "The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act

2016" will only be considered in PwD (Person with Disability). The detailed information and relevant notices are already uploaded in the website <https://wbmcc.nic.in> Candidates shall have to be verified their PwD status from the Primary Medical Assessment Board of **NRS Medical College, Kolkata** (Address-138, AJC Bose Road, Kolkata 700014) during the stipulated days. Verification is only through the online link provided by the Medical Counseling Committee, DGHS, Govt. of India to the designated centers for issuance of PwD certificate. Candidates are advised to check the MCC, New Delhi website frequently for date and time schedule as made available by them for online verification of the PwD status. **Certificate from any Institute other than the centers as designated by MCC, New Delhi published in their official Notice dated 07.08.2026 bearing Ref. U-11011/07/2026-MEC, shall not be considered for eligibility as PwD candidate for WB NEET UG Ayush 2026 counseling.**

6. Mark sheet of 10+2 examination:- In Physics, Chemistry and biology taken together in 10+2 Examination, UR/EWS candidates, UR-PwD/EWS-PwD category candidates, and SC/ST/OBC (with or without PwD status) candidates must obtained 50%, 40% and 40% marks respectively in order to be eligible for taking part in counseling. They must also pass Physics, Chemistry, Biology & English individually in 10 + 2 examination. This is an essential criterion to become eligible for counseling.

7. Age: - Age should be at least **17 years by 31.12.2026**. Date of birth must be on or before 01.01.2010 to become eligible. This is an essential criterion to become eligible in counseling.

8. Medical fitness certificate: - The format is provided on the counseling website and candidate has to obtain fitness in the same format from **Registered Medical Practitioner** to become eligible for admission in the seat allotted through counseling. The medical fitness is an essential criterion.

After the above information is furnished by the candidate, if the candidate is eligible for fee payment then he/she will be directed to the online payment gateway where he/she can pay the NON REFUNDABLE counseling fee ONLINE only through credit card/debit card/net banking/UPI payment facilities. **Online Counseling fees is Rs 2000/- for Unreserved candidates and Rs 1500/- for SC/ST/OBC/PwD/EWS candidates. Bank transaction cost if any is to be borne by the candidate concerned in addition. Payment receipt may be downloaded and printed from the candidate login.**

If the payment is successful the candidate profile letter is generated which can be downloaded from candidate log in, where all the transaction details are there. It is hereby further mentioned that **generation of candidate profile letter is mandatory for Physical Document verification of candidates**, as the venue/date/time everything will be mentioned in that candidate profile letter only.

Candidates have to bring the hard copy of that candidate profile letter and payment receipt during Physical document verification otherwise no verification will be done.

Thus, the following documents are required to be produced by the candidates in original with self-attested photocopy for Physical Document Verification at the allotted college [who qualified through NEET UG 2026 and successfully Registered, Paid online fee and successfully generated candidate profile letter receipt].

For State Quota:

- a. Candidate Profile Letter and payment receipt generated online after successful payment.
- b. Domicile certificate (a1, a2, b) or having a valid domicile certificate from e-district website.
- c. Valid Voter card/Aadhar card/Passport of parent in case of domicile certificate of parent is given showing address as West Bengal (any 2 of the three ID cards as mentioned above).
- d. Caste Certificate as applicable (issued in the State of West Bengal).
- e. NEET UG 2026 admit card.
- f. NEET UG 2026 Rank card.
- g. PwD certificate issued/verified through online link provided by MCC, DGHS, Govt. of India by their designated centers only as mentioned earlier.
- h. Age Proof (age should be 17 years by 31.12.2026)
- i. Class 10+2 mark sheet for verification of marks
- j. Medical Certificate (from Registered Medical Practitioner).

For Management Quota:

- a. Candidate Profile Letter and payment receipt generated online after successful payment.
- b. NEET UG 2026 admit card.
- c. NEET UG 2026 Rank card.
- d. Age Proof (age should be 17 years by 31.12.2026).
- e. Class 10+2 mark sheet for verification of marks.
- f. Medical Certificate (from Registered Medical Practitioner).
- g. Caste certificate as applicable (required only for cut-off eligibility).
- h. PwD certificate issued/verified through online link provided by MCC, DGHS, Govt. of India by their designated centers only as mentioned earlier (required only for cut-off eligibility).

For Private AYUSH College Central Quota Seats (available till Round3):

- a. Candidate Profile Letter and payment receipt generated online after successful fee payment
- b. Caste certificate as applicable (caste certificate of other states are also allowed but these caste certificates are only required for cut-off eligibility like Management Quota seats).

- c. NEET UG 2026 Admit card.
- d. NEET UG 2026 Rank card.
- e. PwD certificate issued/verified through online link provided by MCC, DGHS, Govt. of India by their designated centers only as mentioned earlier
- f. Age Proof (age should be 17 years by 31.12.2026)
- g. Class 10+2 mark sheet for verification of marks
- h. Medical Certificate (from Registered Medical Practitioner).

- For any kind of suppression of facts/ miss-information related to admission in UG Ayush courses in West Bengal through counseling 2026 for State Quota, Private College Management Quota, or fabricated information furnished by candidate at any stage; will lead to cancellation of the candidature with immediate effect. Candidates are requested to visit the website <https://wbmcc.nic.in/> frequently for updates and information.

- The eligible and qualified candidates through NEETUG 2026 examination, only after successful Pre-choice fill-up Physical Round of document verification can go for **online Choice filling→Choice locking→Seat allotment by the Software as per Inter-se merit→Another Round of Physical Document Verification at the Allotted College Level→Admission at the Allotted College Level**, as per schedule being provided in the website <https://wbmcc.nic.in>

- **The Online Registration stage issues and various outcomes of verification:-**

- During the Online Registration and Online Application stage, the candidate shall be asked about his/her domicile status in WB. If not domicile then candidate can participate for Management Quota seats only. If the candidate is domicile then the type of form filled shall be enquired that is a1 or a2 or b form as per notification. This is subject to verification before online choice filling and allotment by the NIC software.

If the candidate fails to provide valid or appropriate domicile certificate during verification, then his/her candidature will be cancelled for that round. If still the candidate wants to participate for Management Quota seats of Private Colleges in the subsequent round, such candidate has to request for initialization of his/her candidature in pen and paper before the nodal officer of concerned verification center. Upon initialization the candidate would be made eligible for fresh online registration process in the subsequent round and he/she has to pay Online Registration fee afresh as applicable.

- Candidates who declared their status as SC/ST/OBC/EWS/PwD during the online registration process in WBMCC portal, fails to provide valid documents in favor of

his/her caste/PwD status, the candidate shall be considered as un-reserved/Non PwD category from that round for entire counseling process, provided he/she is having the appropriate cut off as per the changed category status to remain eligible in counseling process.

- If a candidate cannot provide Caste/PwD appropriate certificate during verification and not want to participate as changed Caste status/changed PwD status as applicable, then he/she shall be rejected by the verifying authority. If the candidate after rejection wants to re-appear in next round of pre-choice fill-up verification afresh, then he/she has to request for the same in pen and paper before the nodal officer of the concerned verification center for initialization of candidature data so that he/she shall be able to participate in subsequent round only, by fresh online application and payment of counseling fees afresh.
- If a candidate is domicile in WB but the SC/ST/OBC/EWS certificate is of other state, then he/she would be treated as Unreserved for state quota counseling and can participate for UR seats in state quota if achieved UR cut off 50 percentile in NEET UG 2026. They can however participate also for management quota seats as per combined rank in NEET UG 2026 exam.
- PwD candidates shall be asked if they have certificate from NRS Medical College, Kolkata or any other centers as designated by MCC, New Delhi for PwD status as per 21 benchmark disabilities as per Disability Act of 2016 and if the answer is affirmative then he/she can participate for PwD seats counseling provided he/she is successfully verified by the college authority and also the domicile in WB. If he/she cannot provide appropriate PwD certificate issued by the NRS Medical College, Kolkata Primary Medical Assessment board or any other centers as designated by MCC, New Delhi, then shall be considered as non PwD candidate, provided the candidate still remains eligible after the changed status.
- Even after first round of Physical Document Verification before online choice fill up, during admission stage also there shall be another round of final document verification and if it is found that the candidate is not having appropriate Caste or PwD certificate as was stated during online Registration stage then the seat of that round shall be cancelled and the candidate can be considered as Unreserved or Non PwD case for subsequent round only provided the candidate still remains eligible with the changed status.

Needless to say, this facility is available only till 3rd round of the counseling and not in the stray vacancy round i.e. the last round of counseling.

Candidates are hereby instructed to check the server generated successful verification slip or any online rejection slip (to be received by the candidates opting for initialization as mentioned above) very carefully, as if any disparity is found, that can be rectified on spot by the verification officer accordingly. No request of rectification is accepted after the verification dates of that particular round is over.

:: Fee payment shall be one time for a particular candidate except for the following conditions:-

- 1. Candidate wants initialization as discussed earlier.**
- 2. If candidate fails to appear in the physical document verification process and wants to appear for the physical document verification in subsequent round**
- 3. If the candidate remains non-reported in the Round 2 after allotment and wants to participate in Round 3 for fresh choice filling**

:: Further points to remember:

→ The candidate who does not register and fill choice in round 1 and save and lock such choice (or system auto locks the choice after the choice locking period is just over)—shall not be considered for allotment in Round 1.

→ The non-allotted candidate in Round 1; or the candidate who was allotted and admitted in round 1 and submitted willingness for participation in round 2; or the allotted but not reported candidate in Round 1; newly registered candidate in round 2 can fill choice afresh for round 2 allotment.

→ The candidates who are not registered, the candidates who did not appear/failed during the document verification and became not eligible for subsequent round, the candidate who did not opt for subsequent round, the candidate who do not fill fresh choice in subsequent round or the candidate who surrendered seat after getting admission in earlier round are not considered for allotment in Round 2.

→ Candidates cancelled due to want of essential documents or candidates who surrendered after admission or the candidates found to submit mis-information/falsification/fabrication of documents—shall be out of further counseling process.

→ Candidates are advised to contact the authorities of the concerned Private Ayush College for details of fee and mode of payment before filling of choice/s for the Private Ayush College as after allotment in a Private Ayush College in a particular round **The WBMCC shall not be held responsible for fee related issues of Private Ayush Colleges.**

→ If the candidate fails to get admitted in the allotted seat after completing all necessary formalities within that round, the candidate shall be called as non-reported candidate and such seat gets vacant for such round.

→ The non-reported candidate in Round 1 allotted seat, is allowed to appear in Round 2 without fresh registration and without payment of counseling fees for choice filling.

The non-reported candidate in Round 2 allotted seat, is allowed to appear in Round 3 without fresh registration but after payment of the counseling fees once again for choice filling.

The non-reported candidate of Round 3 allotted seat is not allowed any further in the counseling process.

→ The seat surrender of the admitted candidate during the process of Round 1 admission is allowed without any penalty money. The seat surrender of the admitted candidate during the process of Round 2 admission is allowed but with forfeiture of admission fees. Such candidate must apply in person before the admitted college for seat surrender and must receive the server generated Seat surrender letter. Otherwise the name of such candidate shall continue to appear in the admitted candidate list of the said college. Such candidate is however not allowed any further in the counseling process. The seat surrender is not allowed from Round 3 counseling any further till the counseling process is over. The seat surrender with payment of bond penalty (as applicable) is possible only after the counseling of all rounds is over for the session 2026-27.

The counseling steps in nutshell:-

A.) Round 1 counseling: -

- It may be mentioned here that individual eligible and NEET UG 2026 qualified candidate can do **Online Registration → Online Fee Payment → Candidate Profile letter generation → Physical document verification (pre choice fill-up stage) at College level as per the date and time slot designated by NIC software in the candidate profile letter → Choice filling → Choice locking → Seat allotment by the Software as per Inter se merit → Another Round of Physical Document Verification at the Allotted College Level → Admission at the Allotted College Level, during Round 1 of the Counseling.**
- It is hereby further mentioned that after the choices are placed and saved, the choices shall have to be locked by the candidates as **only the locked choices for that particular round shall be processed for seat allotment as per inter-se-merit of the candidates.**

- After generation of **Candidate Profile letter** candidates can view the name of their Colleges along with the date and time slot for **Physical document verification**. They need to attend the physical document verification physically and mandatorily at designated date and time slot at the designated College with original credentials and one set self-attested photocopy of documents for document verification.
- Any candidate if fails to attend the pre choice fill-up physical document verification which is mandatory for all registered candidates, will not be allowed to participate in the counseling process for the current round as well as subsequent round(s) unless they make the fee payment again and generate the candidate profile for the next round of counseling.
- After successful **Physical Document verification**, the candidate shall be handed over server generated **successfully verified and accepted certificate**: Candidate must be vigilant to obtain the server generated verified certificate from the designated verification venue else no claim shall be entertained later on. The verification certificate shall also be available in the candidate login once verified. **Provisional list** of successfully verified candidates will be published. **Only the candidates included in such list shall be able to fill up choice/s for such round.**
- Now, even after the inclusion in the Verified list, if the candidate gets allotment in a particular College/Hospital, there shall be another round of **Final Physical Document Verification** of the allotted candidate in that allotted College/Hospital for all category of candidates. During such, if the admitting authority does not find adequate document in favor of Caste and Or PwD Status, **the following situation/s might arise:**
 - a. Candidate gets un-reserved seat if otherwise eligible as per cut off, then he or she will get admitted in that round as well and shall also be eligible for participation in Round 2 and subsequent round as un-reserved candidate.
 - b. Candidate gets reserved/PwD seat but could not produce required document in favor of that during such second phase of verification at the allotted college level, so the verifying authority will convert the category to un-reserved/Non-PwD as the case may be, and the allotted seat will be cancelled for that round and candidate shall be made eligible as per the changed category status in the subsequent round/s as un-reserved/ Non-PwD candidate provided He or She still remains eligible for counseling with changed candidature status.

- Once successfully verified such candidate has to get admitted in the college and college authority shall hand over the system generated admission letter to the admitted candidate. During admission the candidate has to submit the original documents in the college and obtain the receipt for the submitted original documents.
- During the admission process of round 1, the allotted candidate shall be asked to provide **willingness for participation in subsequent round at the allotted college**. If the willingness is affirmative, then only the candidate remains eligible to participate in round 2. The candidate, who provides willingness for subsequent round, shall be allowed to deposit the admission fee only to the college authority at the time of admission.
- The Registered candidate who has not been allotted in Round 1/ not provided choice in Round 1/ not reported in Round 1 allotted college/ cancelled during document verification at the allotted college but still remained eligible with the changed status/ allotted and admitted in Round 1 and provided willingness for subsequent round are allowed to participate in Round 2 along with provision of fresh registration for NEET UG 2026 qualified and eligible candidates who have not registered in earlier round.
- There shall be provision for fresh Registration → Fee Payment → Candidate Profile letter generation → Physical document verification at College level as designated by NIC software → Choice filling (after successful verification) → Choice locking during Round 2 for the NEET UG 2026 qualified eligible candidates, who have not done so due to any cause during the round 1 counseling.
- The candidates who have not qualified in NEET UG 2026 as per the cut off marks are **not allowed** in counseling process. If cut off is subsequently reduced then only such candidates shall be allowed for counseling as per revised cut off provided by NTA/Govt. of India.

B.) Round 2 counseling:-

- Already verified candidate in Round 1 who have filled up choice in round 1 and were allotted and admitted in Round 1 and **provided willingness for participation** in Round 2 **are allowed** to participate in round 2.
- Already verified candidate in Round 1 who filled up choice in Round 1 but were **not allotted** in Round 1 due to inter se merit position **are allowed** to participate in Round 2.

- Candidate who was NEET UG 2026 qualified and successfully verified and accepted in Round 1 but **failed to provide choice** during Round 1 **are allowed** to participate in Round 2.
- The candidates, who were allotted in Round 1 but were **not reported in the allotted institute** for admission, are allowed to participate in round 2 without fee payment.
- The opportunity for Fresh Registration, Fee payment, Candidate Profile letter generation, Physical document verification for eligible and qualified NEET UG 2026 candidates who have not done it during Round 1 counseling due to any cause, shall be again **allowed** during round 2 counseling.
- The candidates, whose **allotted seats were cancelled in Round 1 due to inadequate documentation but still remained eligible for subsequent round** with changed candidature, are directly allowed to fill choice in subsequent round.
- The candidates who **did not appear in the physical document verification process** in earlier round(s) may **make the fee payment again and download the Candidate profile letter** to appear for the physical document verification. Such candidates, if verified successfully and accepted during the verification, will be allowed to participate in the current round of counseling.
- **Non verified candidate** till Round 2 or, candidate who **has not filled up choice in Round 2** is **not allowed** in Round 2 counseling.
- Candidate who have got admission in Round 1 and **not provided willingness** to participate in Round 2 during the admission process at the allotted institute, are **not allowed** in Round 2 counseling.
- The candidates who have **surrendered seats after admission in Round 1 or Round 2** are **not allowed** to participate in any further round of counseling. They are **out of the counseling process**.
- The **willingness for participation in subsequent round** shall also be available during round 2 admissions.

C.) Round 3 Counseling:-

- The opportunity for Fresh Registration → Fee Payment → Candidate Profile letter generation → Physical document verification at College level as designated by NIC

software→Choice filling(after successful verification)→Choice locking, who have not done it during round 1 and round 2 counseling due to any cause, shall be again allowed during Round 3 counseling.

- The successfully verified candidates, who remain **not allotted** till round 2, are **allowed** to participate in Round 3 straight away by fresh choice filing; they **do not need to pay the counseling fee again**.
- Already successfully verified candidate in Round 1 or Round 2 who **failed to provide choice** during the round/s are **allowed** to participate in Round 3, they **do not need to pay the counseling fee again**.
- The candidates who **did not appear in the physical document verification process** in earlier round(s) may **make the fee payment again and download the candidate profile letter** to appear for the physical document verification. Such candidates, if verified successfully and accepted during the verification, will be allowed to participate in the current round of counseling.
- The candidates, whose allotted seats were cancelled in Round 2 due to inadequate documentation but still remained eligible for subsequent round with changed candidature, are **allowed** in Round 3 counseling for fresh choice filling.
- Already verified candidate in Round 2 who have filled up choice in Round 2 and were allotted and admitted in Round 2 and **provided willingness for participation** in Round 3 of counseling are **allowed** to participate in Round 3 of counseling.
- The candidates who remain **not reported** in the allotted college during Round 2 counseling are **allowed** to participate in Round 3 counseling **after payment of counseling fee once again**.
- During the Physical document verification process if a candidate fails in document verification and wants to initialize their application, then such can be allowed in Round 1 or Round 2 or Round 3.
- Registered candidate who have not filled up choice in Round 3 are **not allowed** in Round 3 counseling.
- The candidates, who remain **admitted in Round 3** counseling, are **not allowed** any further for participation in further round of counseling. They are **not allowed to surrender their seats** during the counseling process as stated earlier.

- The candidate who remains **not reported in Round 3 after allotment** are not allowed any further in counseling process and they are out of the counseling process.
- No option for choice up gradation is allowed in this round.

D.) Online Stray Vacancy Round counseling:-

- The opportunity for **Fresh Registration (both for new coming candidates and initialized candidates in the previous round who still otherwise remain eligible)** is allowed during this Round of counseling or due to lowering of cutoff by NTA/Govt. of India new sets of candidates become freshly eligible (if any).
- Registered but **non-allotted** candidates till Round 3 are directly allowed to participate in this round; they do not need to pay the counseling fee again.
- The candidates who remain **not reported** during Online Stray Vacancy Round counseling are out of the Counseling process.
- Candidates who have **admitted/joined the allotted seat in Online Stray Vacancy Round** are **not allowed to surrender their seats** during the counseling process as stated earlier. They are not allowed to appear in the counseling process any further.
- No option for choice up gradation is allowed in this round.

Online Counseling (steps details):-

Step1 (Online Registration & Application & Fee Payment):-

- There will be provision of Online Registration for participation in NEET UG AYUSH Counseling 2026 in West Bengal through online link in the website <https://wbmcc.nic.in> strictly within the scheduled time as mentioned in the Schedule published in the said website.
- The qualified and eligible candidate through NEET UG 2026 will put his/her Roll No, Application No, Name, Mothers Name, Date of birth in the New Registration click button in the on-line counseling system. **If the record matches with the result handed over to the State by NTA through Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi, then the Candidate can proceed for registration.** Once successful registration is

completed the candidate can now complete the application process followed by payment of fee online. During the process, if by mistake candidate fills up any wrong information there is also provision for editing the registration details using the "Registration Unlocking" button till the payment is done. **Once the payment is done, no unlocking of registration details is allowed.**

- It is hereby further mentioned that there is provision of only stating either a. General category or b. OBC category status afresh during the registration process of WB NEET UG Ayush 2026 for the candidates who declared his/her status as General or EWS during NEET UG 2026 examination registration process. The SC/ST/EWS/PwD status declaration afresh is not allowed in WB NEET UG Ayush Counseling 2026. Candidates with West Bengal domicile who belong to SC, ST, OBC, EWS categories will be required to answer the question whether their caste certificates are issued/ validated by authority in West Bengal. If not, they will be considered as Unreserved for State Quota seats during seat allotment process of online counseling except for the central institutes, if any, in West Bengal. For claiming seats under OBC, the candidate has to submit non-creamy layer Certificate issued on/after **01.04.2026** by the same authority who has issued OBC certificate, unless the OBC certificate has been issued on/after **01.04.2026**; otherwise, he/she will not be considered as under OBC category for seat allotment.
- It may so happen that due to internet server error during the payment process, the candidate fails to pay successfully and thus fails to generate transaction ID and or candidate profile letter slip. The candidate is advised to be cautious and must check with his/her bank account before attempting to pay again since the **payment once made for counseling process of NEET UG Ayush 2026 is non-refundable.**
- The candidates who have not paid for counseling process successfully are not able to participate in counseling process. However if a candidate fails to pay successfully in Round 1 counseling gets further chance before Round 2 or Round 3 or Online Stray vacancy round of counseling. **Such candidate must however keep in mind that he/she is eligible for allotment of only such seats that are available during that particular round.**

Step 2 (Pre Choice fill-up stage of Physical Document Verification of the successfully paid candidates):-

- After generation of candidate profile letter, candidates can view the name of document verification venue along with the date and time slot for Physical document verification. They need to attend physically at designated date and time slot and designated College with original credentials and one set self-attested photocopy of documents for document verification.

- After successful verification, the candidate shall be handed over server generated verified certificate.

Step 3 (Choice filling and Choice locking of the successfully verified candidates):-

- The already Registered and Successfully Verified candidates from the published list have to click the **Candidate Registration and Login** button in the website, put the Roll no and Password to log in.
- After such step the candidate shall be able to see the available choices and fill the choices one by one in the choice basket. The candidates, who are non-domicile to West Bengal can see only Private Management Quota seats and Private College Central Quota seats (available till Round 3) they cannot see the State Quota seats for obvious reasons.
- The following options are provided in the choice filling link, like choice up and down, single deletion, choice interchange, choice move, multiple deletions etc. The candidate can fill all the viewed choices as per eligibility however the choices shall be processed only as per seat matrix for that round and seat conversion policy of the particular round. **The candidates are requested to arrange choice as per willingness as choice processing shall be done by the computer system from the first choice downwards at his/her inter se merit rank.**
- The candidates must save the choices as choices not saved shall not be available for consideration of allotment. After the choice arrangement is done the final step is to lock the choices after providing the password. Once the choices are locked they cannot be changed and no application shall be entertained in this regard. **Only the locked choices shall be processed for allotment.** If the candidate fails to lock the choices but is able to save them then the choices provided and saved shall be auto locked after the choice locking period is over by the system.

Step 4 (publication of processed Result of allotment based on eligibility of candidates):-

- The allotment shall be based on inter se merit of the candidates as per provided caste, PwD status, category (open/private management only/private college AIQ quota seats) and shall be purely provisional.
- The allotted candidate has to pass another final round of physical document verification process at the allotted college within stipulated time by providing the original documents and requisite college fee for securing the admission.

- The candidate who fail in the document verification process due to lack of essential documents at the allotted college and thereby become non eligible for further rounds shall be out of the counseling process.
- The candidate who does not appear for document verification (physical reporting) at the allotted college with requisite original documents and college fee within stipulated time shall be termed as **non-reported candidate**.

Conversion Rule available for vacant seats in Round 3:-

- UR PwD→UR
- EWS PwD→EWS
- SC PwD→SC
- ST PwD→ST
- OBC PwD→OBC
- SC↔ST and vice versa
- EWS →UR

No conversion of SC/ST seat to UR and no conversion of OBC seats to UR are possible without the permission of the Backward Class Welfare Department (BCWD), Govt. of WB and as per conversion request provided by Official channel of WBMCC.

This is only applicable for that round of the counseling in which no fresh registration is available for the candidates.

AYUSH UG Private Colleges with Central quota seats:-

Some AYUSH UG Private Colleges have Central Quota seats and counseling of such seats is to be done by the WBMCC. In such seats the rules apply of the All India Ayush Counseling latest guidelines for 2026 -27 that is all such seats are **Open in nature**. There is no domicile or caste reservation for such type of seats but a candidate having a valid caste certificate of West Bengal or any other State may enjoy only the cut-off eligibility for counseling as per the caste status.

If the candidate is qualified in NEET UG 2026, then he/she can participate in such seats as per combined merit rank. **The Private Ayush College AIQ seats if any left vacant after 3 rounds of counseling shall be deemed to be converted to State Quota seats.**

Once converted into State Quota Seats, all the rules applicable for State Quota as mentioned earlier in this Notice, shall be applicable.

All candidates have to sign the following undertaking beforehand and have to provide during admission process that:-

I, NEET UG 2026 Roll No....., NEET UG 2026 rank, solemnly undertake that the information provided during enrollment process are true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if it is found that I have deliberately tried to provide mis-information or falsification or fabrication of documents or obtained unfair means then my candidature shall be cancelled at once and I shall not be allowed to participate further in the process of WB UG Ayush counseling 2026. I also hereby state that I am at present not admitted in any other course/college anywhere."

Details of admission procedure and further rounds of the counseling schedule shall be informed in the counseling website <https://wbmcc.nic.in> in due course. The candidates are requested to frequently visit the said website for further information because no individual communication in this regard can be provided.

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