Dr. NTR UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES: A.P: VIJAYAWADA – 08

PG (DENTAL) PHASE-III/MoP UP COUNSELLING (WEB OPTIONS) FOR MANAGEMENT QUOTA SEATS – 2026-27

(After Lowering of Cut-off Percentile)

NOTIFICATION FOR EXERCISING WEB OPTIONS FOR PHASE-III/MoP UP COUNSELLING OF MANAGEMENT QUOTA SEATS (S1, S2 & S3) FOR ADMISSIONS INTO THE POST GRADUATE DENTAL DEGREE/DIPLOMA COURSES AVAILABLE IN THE PRIVATE NON-MINORITY DENTAL COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO Dr. NTR UHS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-27.

In continuation to this Office Notification, dt.16-10-2026, Dr. NTR UHS, Vijayawada hereby notifies the schedule for exercising Web Options for Phase-III/MoP UP counselling for admissions into Management Quota seats of PG Dental Degree/Diploma courses in Private Un-aided Non-minority Colleges for the academic year 2026-27.

SCHEDULE

1.	Date of issue of Notification for exercising web options	**03.11.2026**
2.	Exercising of web options	**From 09.00 AM on 04.11.2026** **Upto 09.00 PM on 06.11.2026**
3.	University website	**https://drntr.uhsap.in**
4.	**Please watch the recorded video on procedure for Exercising Web options available in the University website:**	
5.	**Candidates are advised to go through the User Manual displayed in the University website before exercising web options**	

(**Candidates have to login to exercise web options**)

All the eligible candidates whose names are in the Consolidated final Merit Position notified in the University Website on 03-11-2026 are only eligible to exercise web options as per the above dates and according to the Seat Matrix displayed on 21-09-2026 in the website http://drntr.uhsap.in

1. **Security Deposit:**

To prevent seat blocking and ensure that valuable seats are effectively utilized from the Phase-III (Mop Up) Round, the Competent Authority has decided to collect a *refundable security deposit* of ₹3,00,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs only) through online payment. This applies to candidates who are in the Merit List under the Management Quota and intend to participate in the Phase-III (Mop Up)/Stray round of counselling, subject to the following conditions:

i. Candidates who are allotted a seat in Phase-III (Mop-Up) Round or any subsequent Stray Vacancy Round, but fail to join the allotted seat within the stipulated time, shall **forfeit the Refundable Security Deposit** and shall be ineligible to participate in any further rounds of A.P. State Counselling for admission to PG (Dental) Courses under both Competent Authority Quota and Management Quota for the academic year 2026–27. Further, candidates who fail to join the seat allotted in the Stray Vacancy Round shall, in addition to forfeiture of the Security Deposit, be **debarred from participating in A.P. State Counselling for the subsequent one year**, subject to the applicable counselling regulations.

ii. If the candidate joins the allotted seat, the Security Deposit amount will be refunded to the candidate **after closure of admissions**.

iii. If the candidate is not allotted seat, the Security Deposit amount will be refunded to the candidate **after closure of admissions**.

iv. Also, the Security Deposit will be forfeited if the admission gets cancelled due to any reason. e.g. in case the candidate gives wrong information at the time of registration on the basis of which a seat may be allotted and later cancelled by the Admission Authorities at the time of reporting or fails to produce the required documents at the time of admission (within stipulated time)

Note: 1. Candidates who have paid the security deposit during the Phase-III (Mop Up) round and were not allotted any seat will be eligible to exercise web options in the Stray Vacancy Round without having to pay the security deposit again.
2. The security deposit shall be returned through online transfer to the source bank account/credit card account from which the payment was originally received, upon completion of the admission process.
3. Change of Account details for refund of Security Deposit will not be entertained under any circumstances.

2. **UNIVERSITY FEE:**

a) Selected Candidates have to login and to pay the University fee of ₹.54,600/- for downloading the Allotment Order by using Online payment method (Debit Card/Credit Card/Internet Banking).

b) Candidates who have already paid the University fee of ₹.54,600/- in Phase-I/ Phase-II counselling are not required to pay the same.

3. **TUITION FEE: The Following is the Tuition fee structure for the academic year 2026-27 to be payable for the Management quota seats in Private Un-aided Dental Colleges as per G.O.Rt.No.786, HM & FW (C1) Dept., dt.29-08-2026 of Government of Andhra Pradesh, and subject to the outcome of W.P.Nos.32975, 33162 & 35090 of 2022.**

Name of the course	Fee for Category- B Management Quota seats	Fee for Category- C NRI / Institutional Quota seats
Clinical Degree/Diploma	₹. 7,85,565/-	₹. 15,87,000/-
Para Clinical Degree/Diploma	₹. 5,74,759/-	₹. 9,25,750/-

Distribution of seats is as detailed below:

1) As per G.O.Ms.No.57, HM&FW (C1) Dept., dated 28-04-2023 (Non-Minority Colleges):

a) Management Quota-Subcategory- 1(S1): 25% of the sanctioned intake of seats, course wise, in each institution shall be filled by the candidates in General Merit based on the NEET MDS-2026 ranking.

b) Management Quota-Subcategory-2(S2): 15% seats out of total intake capacity, course wise, in each institution shall be filled by foreign students/ NRI/NRI sponsored candidates on the basis of inter-se-merit among the applicants qualified in NEET MDS-2026.

c) Management Quota-Subcategory-3(S3): 10% seats out of total intake capacity, course wise, in each Institution shall be Institutional preference/In- service management quota seats filled on the basis of inter-se-merit among the applicants qualified in NEET MDS-2026.

2) As per G.O.Ms.No.102, HM&FW (C1) Dept., dated 15-07-2023:

a) 15% of Subcategory-1 seats only are open to the candidates from all over the Country – S1A

b) For the Remaining 85% of Subcategory-1 seats only Local Candidates of Andhra Pradesh i.e., AU/SVU are only eligible – S1B

Eligibility for Management Quota seats in Non-Minority Dental Colleges:

Sub Category-1 - S1 (S1A & S1B):-

- **15% of Subcategory-1 seats (S1A)** are open to candidates from across the country. However, Non-Local candidates are advised to note that **S1A seats are not available in MDS courses** due to the limited number of seats in each broad specialty.

- The **remaining 85% of Subcategory-1 seats (S1B)** are exclusively reserved for **local candidates of Andhra Pradesh**, specifically those under **Andhra University (AU)** and **Sri Venkateswara University (SVU) areas**.

- Candidates who have completed their **BDS outside the State or Country** are **eligible only for Subcategory-2 (S2) and Subcategory-3 (S3) seats**. Any **unfilled S1B seats** may be made available to candidates from all over the country **only during Phase-III (Mop Up) counselling**, and **only after all eligible S1B candidates have been considered**.

❖ **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR NRI LAPSED CATEGORY (**As per the orders issued by the Govt. of Andhra Pradesh vide G.O.Ms.132 & 133, HM & FW Dept., dt.11.09.2026):-

In the event of non-availability of eligible candidates in Phase-III (Mop-Up) or any subsequent phase(s) of counselling, the vacant seats shall be filled as follows:

1. The vacant **Sub-Category-2 (NRI)** seats shall first be treated as **NRI Lapsed Seats** and shall be filled, in the order of merit, from among the other eligible candidates under the **Management Quota**. The candidates so admitted shall pay the tuition fee applicable to **Sub-Category-2 (NRI)** seats.

2. If any **Sub-Category-2 (NRI)** seats remain vacant even after the above exercise, such seats, along with the vacant **Sub-Category-3 (Institutional)** seats, shall be converted as **Sub-Category-1 (Management Quota)** seats and filled, in the order of merit, from among the eligible candidates under **Sub-Category-1 (Management Quota) in Stray Round(s)**. The candidates so admitted shall pay the tuition fee applicable to **Sub-Category-1 (Management Quota)** seats.

3. **Important Note to Candidates:** There are no separate seats designated as NRI Lapsed seats. All such seats are originally *S2 (NRI) seats. Only after the NRI Merit List is exhausted, the unfilled S2 (NRI) seats will be converted into NRI Lapsed seats and allotted to the eligible candidates who have opted for NRI Lapsed seats. Therefore, candidates aspiring for allotment under the NRI Lapsed category **must exercise web options for S2 (NRI) seats*. Failure to exercise options for S2 (NRI) seats will result in non-consideration for allotment of NRI Lapsed seats.

Instructions to Candidates:

1	Seat Matrix was displayed on 21-09-2026 in the University Website https://drntr.uhsap.in for information of the students. All the eligible candidates present in the Consolidated Final Merit list displayed on 03-11-2026 and any Addendum to the Consolidated Final Merit List issued thereafter are eligible to opt for Phase-III. Candidates who have updated their S2/S3 options for Phase-III can exercise options as per their updated status.
2	The unfilled/vacant seats after Phase-2 and the not reported seats of Phase-2 and resigned seats after Phase-2 including virtual vacancies will be filled in the Phase-3 Counselling.
3	As per G.O.Ms.No.67. dt.21-04-2017, the candidates who have discontinued the course from the academic year 2023-24 irrespective of their admission batch will be debarred for this academic year i.e., 2026-27(List of debarred candidates displayed on the University website).

4	a) Candidates opting for Dental Degree/Diploma courses are informed that there is no limit on the number of choices for web options. They can select any number of specialties and colleges available, provided they meet the eligibility criteria and are interested in joining. **b) <u>The candidates are advised to exercise options for all the seats in all the colleges as per their priority irrespective of vacancy position of the seats.</u>** **c) <u>Candidates while giving options should note that the seats vacated by the candidates selected in Phase-I counselling and slid to other college/course during this Phase-II of counseling process (virtual vacancies) will be added & allotted simultaneously during this Phase of counselling itself.</u>** **d) <u>Candidates are encouraged to select courses they are genuinely interested in joining, allowing the next meritorious candidates a fair opportunity.</u>** e) Candidates getting upgraded in MQ Phase 2 **<u>Shall NOT</u>** have any claim on MQ Phase 1 seat. **f) If upgraded in Phase 2, the candidate must join Phase 2 seat by reporting at the allotted college.**
5	Candidates allotted a seat under the Management Quota (S1, S2 – NRI, or S3 – Institutional Quota) shall mandatorily report to the allotted college within the stipulated time. Candidates who fail to report shall not be eligible for allotment of the same specialty under the respective quota in the same college in subsequent phases of counselling.
6	Candidates are advised to exercise caution when selecting options online and to print out the saved options for their records. Candidates are encouraged to exercise options in Courses and colleges in which they are genuinely interested. **If candidates are not interested in joining a particular specialty or college, they are advised not to select options for those.**
7	a) The candidate can login at any point of time after submission of web options for rearranging the priority list before the cutoff date. b) Any modifications made to the web options during the candidate's last login, even if not saved manually, will be automatically saved and considered for seat allotment.
8	It is the responsibility of the candidates that their individual login details, email ID, OTPs should not share with any other person. The candidate is totally responsible for the misuse of the same and also for web options exercised from his/her login.
9	Candidates reported/allotted a particular specialty in a college during CQ Phase-I/Phase-II will not be considered for the same specialty in the same college under MQ, irrespective of their web options. This rule is implemented to maintain fairness in the admission process and to avoid seat blocking.
10	In respect of S1B seats, preference will be given to local candidates of Andhra Pradesh and if eligible candidates from Andhra Pradesh are not available, the same will be allotted to S1A candidates based on Merit list, options and subject to availability of seats.
11	The selected candidates have to login and to pay the University fee of ₹.54,600/- for downloading the Allotment Order by using Online payment method (Debit Card/Credit Card/Internet Banking) and report to the Principal of the Allotted College on or before the date specified in the allotment letter. University fee once paid is not refundable under any circumstances. Candidates who have already paid the University fee of ₹.54,600/- do not need to pay again for downloading the Allotment Order.
12	The selected candidates shall produce all the Original certificates, pay the Tuition fee, furnish necessary bonds etc., and complete the process of admission. If the candidate does not fulfil the criteria as per regulations to complete the admission process in the specified dates of admission, their admission will be cancelled automatically.
13	The verification of original certificates will be conducted at the time of admission in the respective College and in case of any discrepancy, the Provisional allotment will be cancelled and action will be initiated. If the candidate slides to other college (i.e., affiliated colleges of Dr. NTR UHS) during subsequent Phases of counselling the tuition fee will be sent to the slided college by the concerned college where the amount is held.
14	Candidates who have reported the allotted seat of Phase-I and/or Phase-II can opt for free exit as per the schedule which will be notified as per applicable rules.

15 Eligibility for Exercising web options in Phase-III (MoP Up) Counselling

The following candidates are eligible:

a) It is decided to collect a Refundable Security Deposit Amount of ₹.3,00,000/- (Rupees Three lakh only) through online mode from the candidates who wishes to participate in Phase-III (Mop Up) and subsequent Phases of Counselling to avoid seat blocking. Other details will be notified in the Web Option notification of that Phase.

b) All the candidates who have been allotted and reported to the Phase-I/Phase-II seat.

c) All the candidates who have not been allotted any seat in Phase-I/Phase-II counselling.

d) All candidates who have been allotted a seat in Phase-I/Phase-II

- but not reported/not joined at the allotted colleges.
- Joined but resigned from the allotted seat as per University Notifications for free exit.

However, if a candidate has not joined/reported in the allotted seat of Phase-I/Phase-II or resigned from the joined seat of Phase-I/Phase-II, then that particular seat shall not be available for that candidate to exercise web options in Phase-III/Mop Up counselling.

e) Phase-I /II joined/reported seat shall be the default last option.

f) Candidates getting upgraded in Phase-III Shall NOT have any claim on Phase-I/Phase-II seat of CQ & MQ

g) The Joined candidates who are holding a seat in Phase-I or Phase-II or Phase-III(Mop Up) Counselling are **not eligible** for Stray or any further rounds.

h) **Candidates allotted a seat in Phase III (Mop-Up) cannot participate in subsequent rounds of State Counselling including Management Quota Counselling, regardless of whether they report to the allotted college.**

i) All the joined candidates of AIQ Round 3 counselling will be blocked for State Phase-III/Mop UP and Stray counselling of both CQ & MQ even if they have exercised web options.

j) Candidates allotted/upgraded in CQ Phase-III irrespective of their reporting status will be blocked from participating in MQ Phase-III counselling, even though if they have exercised web options.

k) If a candidate is allotted a seat under CQ in Phase-III, they must compulsorily report. The previously held MQ seat (if any) from Phase-I/Phase-II will automatically be vacated, regardless of whether the candidate reports to the new CQ seat in Phase-III. The vacated MQ seat will be made available for allocation during MQ Phase-III Counselling.

l) If a candidate is allotted a seat in Phase-III, he/she has to compulsorily report & join the allotted seat/college else the Security Deposit amount of ₹.3,00,000/- will be forfeited and he/she cannot participate in further rounds of counselling.

m) Candidates allotted/upgraded under CQ in Phase-III shall not have any claim on the seat held in Phase-I/Phase-II either in CQ or MQ.

n) In respect of S1B seats, preference will be given to local candidates of Andhra Pradesh and if eligible candidates from Andhra Pradesh are not available, the same will be allotted to S1A candidates based on Merit list, options and subject to availability of seats.

o) MCC of DGHS will share the data of joined candidates in Round 1, Round 2, Round 3 counselling with all the participating States. Similarly, the participating States will also share the data of joined candidates. Candidates who have joined up to Round 3 of MCC counselling and also the allotted candidates of Stray Vacancy round of MCC counselling will be filtered and weeded out before processing for Stray Vacancy round of counselling of AP State.

p) Candidates who have joined their allotted seats after Round 3 of MCC counselling shall not be eligible for upgradation or resignation thereafter, as per the MCC Counselling Scheme, 2026. Therefore, the candidates identified in the list shared by MCC shall be rendered ineligible for consideration of allotment under both CQ and MQ in Phase-III State counselling. Any web options already exercised by such candidates shall not be considered for seat allotment.

16	Eligibility exercising web options for Stray counselling: a) The candidates who have not been allotted in Phase 1, Phase 2, Phase 3 of counselling. b) The candidates who have been allotted, but not joined in Phase 1, Phase 2 of State Quota and All India Quota are eligible to participate in this counselling. c) A Candidate who has not registered and not choice locked in the Phase 1 or Phase 2 or Phase 3(Mop up) ONLINE COUNSELLING will be permitted to attend Stray Round of ONLINE COUNSELLING. **Not Eligible Candidates:** a) The candidates who are holding MDS seat in Round 1, Round 2 and Round 3 (Mop Up) of State Counselling are not eligible to participate in Stray round of counselling. b) The candidate who is holding a seat allotted in Round 1 & Round 2 and Round 3 in All India Quota/Deemed universities (conducted by MCC/DGHS). c) The candidates who have been allotted in stray round of All India Quota/Deemed universities (conducted by MCC/DGHS) are not eligible to participate in State Stray Round of counselling. d) The candidates who have been allotted in stray round of Competent Authority Quota of the AP State are not eligible to participate in State MQ Stray Round of counselling. e) A candidate allotted a seat in Phase 3 (Mop up) of State counselling and not joined the seat cannot participate in further rounds of State Counselling.
17	**A candidate holding a MQ seat is allotted a seat under CQ in Phase-III, they must compulsorily report. The previously held MQ seat (if any) from Phase-I/Phase-II will automatically be vacated, regardless of whether the candidate reports to the new CQ seat in Phase-III. The vacated MQ seat will be made available for allocation during MQ Phase-III Counselling.** In such case, the tuition fee already paid for the MQ will be returned to the candidate by the concerned college.
18	As per G.O.Ms.No.67, dt.21-04-2017 in the final phase of final counselling, A candidate who exercised web options and joined in an allotted seat shall not be permitted to withdraw from the seat. In case any candidate withdraws from the allotted seat, the candidate shall be debarred for a period of three years for admission into Post Graduate Dental Degree/Diploma courses at the colleges in the State of Andhra Pradesh besides payment of Rs. 3,00,000/-. Discontinuation from the course shall be permitted only after completion/closure of the counselling process as per the schedule notified by the Medical Counselling Committee (MCC).
19	University fee for MQ Counselling has to paid only once initially for downloading the allotment order. The University fee and other fee once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances.
20	Help Desk Numbers: For information relating to exercising Web Options: 1.Technical difficulties : 9000780707, 8008250842 E-mail ID : ap.uhs.support@aptonline.in 2.Information regarding Regulations : 8978780501, 7997710168 & 9391805238 **(from 10.00 AM to 06.00 PM)** E-mail ID ; mdsquery23@gmail.com 3.For clarifications on payment gateway: 9000780707, 8008250842 4.Visit University Website: https://drntr.uhsap.in (for notifications, notices etc.,)

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