

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
MEDICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT
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ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATION

No. 823273/20: In pursuance of the decision of the Hon'ble Cabinet dated 30.08.2026, the Governor of Assam is pleased to notify the revision of the Government Fee in respect of the **MBBS and BDS courses** in the **Government Medical and Dental Colleges**/Institutions under the Directorate of Medical Education, Assam, as follows:

Sl	Course	Revised Government Fee per annum	Indicative Monthly Display
1.	MBBS	Rs.100,000/-	Rs.8,333 / month
2.	BDS	Rs.75,000/-	Rs.6,250 / month

2. Applicability

- The revised Government Fee prescribed under this Notification shall be applicable **only in respect of MBBS and BDS courses** conducted in Government Medical and Dental Colleges/Institutions under the Directorate of Medical Education, Assam.
- The present revision shall **not extend to Nursing or other Allied Health Courses, Postgraduate (MD/MS), Super-Specialty (DM/M.Ch.) or any other courses**, which shall remain outside the purview of the present fee enhancement.

3. Waiver of Government Fee in extraordinary circumstances

- The Principals of the concerned Government Medical and Dental Colleges are hereby **empowered to grant waiver of up to 50% of the applicable Government Fee** to a student facing **clearly established extraordinary circumstances** that may otherwise compel the student to discontinue his/her MBBS/BDS studies.

The power to grant such waiver shall be subject to the following conditions:

- a. The waiver shall be considered only in **genuine and exceptional cases involving clearly established extraordinary circumstances**.
- b. The student shall submit an application before the Principal along with documentary evidence in support of the circumstances necessitating such waiver.
- c. The Principal shall examine each case on its individual merits and satisfy himself/herself regarding the genuineness of the circumstances.
- d. Every waiver granted shall be supported by a **reasoned and speaking order**, clearly recording the extraordinary circumstances and the grounds justifying the grant of waiver.
- e. The waiver shall be limited to a **maximum of 50% of the applicable Government Fee**.
- f. The power shall be exercised **sparingly and not as a matter of routine**.
- g. A proper record of all such waivers shall be maintained by the concerned institution and periodic reports thereof shall be furnished to the Directorate of Medical Education, Assam, in such manner as may be prescribed.

4. Non-Government Colleges

- There shall be **no increase in the fees of non-government** medical and dental colleges pursuant to this Notification. The existing fee structure applicable to such institutions shall remain unchanged.

5. Remittance of Government Fee

- All amounts realised towards **Government Fee** under this Notification shall be duly remitted to the **State Exchequer** in accordance with the prescribed Government procedure.
- The Government Fee collected by the concerned institutions shall not be retained locally or diverted for any other purpose.

6. Fee Display & Collection Mechanism

- **Monthly Display for Perception:** Admission notices, fee demand notes, and university websites will display fees broken down into monthly equivalent figures to clearly communicate intuitive affordability to parents and students.
- **Annual Collection Mode:** Remittance by students shall continue strictly in annual mode at the start of each academic year to avoid administrative overheads.

6. Standardisation and Annual Revision of Non-Tuition Fees

- The non-tuition fees/charges, including hostel fees, mess charges, admission fees, magazine fees and other similar institutional charges, collected by the concerned Government Medical and Dental Colleges shall be standardised under uniform heads and rates across the institutions under the Directorate of Medical Education, Assam.
- Such non-tuition fees/charges may be **revised annually by up to 6%**, as may be approved by the competent authority, keeping in view the prevailing operational, maintenance and service-delivery costs. The collection and utilisation of such fees/charges shall be governed by the applicable Government rules and procedures.

This Notification shall come into force with effect from the date of issue.

Esigend/-

(Pranab Kr. Sharma, IAS)

Secretary to the Govt. of Assam

Medical Education & Research Department

Memo No.MER.823273 /20 -A

Copy to :-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam.
2. The Accountant General (A&E), Assam, Maidamgaon, Beltola, Guwahati-29.
3. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam, Health & FW Deptt.
4. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam, ME&R Deptt.
5. The Staff Officer to Chief Secretary, Assam.
6. The Joint Secretary, Political (Cabinet Cell) Department, Assam. This has a reference to the approval of the cabinet dated 30.08.2026.
7. The Director of Medical Education, Assam, Six mile, Ghy-22 for necessary action.
8. The Director of Health Services, Assam, Hengrabari, Guwhati-36
9. The Director of Health Services (FW), Assam, Hengrabari, Guwhati-36
10. The Director, Assam Govt. Press, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati – 21. **He is requested to publish this Notification in Extraordinary Assam Gazette and forward 500 copies of Notification to this department for distribution.**
11. The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister, Medical Education & Research, Assam.
12. The PS to the Commissioner & Secretary, Finance (EC-III) Department, Assam.
13. The Principal-cum-Chief Superintendent/ Superintendent, (All) Medical College & Hospitals of Assam.
14. The Principal (All) Govt. Dental Colleges of Assam.
15. Any other concerned.

By order etc.,

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