



No. ED/KEA/ADMN/CR-11 /2026

Date: 16-07-2026

NOTIFICATION

**New Registration for admission to MBBS and BDS and Ayurveda / Homoeopathy / Unani Courses
in the state of Karnataka – 2026**

(Only to the candidates who have not registered for CET-2026.)

- As per the directions of the Government, KEA has invited the online applications from the eligible candidates for admissions to Medical and Dental and AYUSH courses for the year 2026-27. Candidates who have not registered for UGCET-2026 have to register through online and submit application and pay the fees to become eligible for admission to Medical, Dental and AYUSH courses by selecting "UGNEET-2026 new registration" link in the KEA portal from 2.00 pm on 17-07-2026 to 24-07-2026 11.00 am.
- Candidates who have registered for CET-2026 will be given a link on the KEA Website shortly to add their NEET roll number to the CET 2026 application; no fresh registration is required.
- Opportunities to register online and to apply for UGNEET courses for the year 2026-27:**

SL. NO.	OPPORTUNITIES FOR NEW REGISTRATION		OPPORTUNITY
A	Registration is open from	17-07-2026 to 24-07-2026	✓
B	After the last date	No new registrations allowed	X
C	For the second round seat allotment	No new registrations allowed	X
D	For the third round seat allotment	No new registrations allowed	X
E	Stray Vacancy Round seat allotment	New registrations allowed, schedule will be published later.	✓

- The minimum qualifying marks prescribed by the competent authority after the publication of results of UGNEET 2026 re-examination for admission to Medical, Dental, AYUSH courses will be applicable. Please note that SC/ST/OBC eligibility criteria are applicable to Karnataka SC/ST/OBC candidates only.
- The category of candidates who will have to appear for document verification will be notified later. The educational qualifications and such other criteria will be published on the KEA Website for the information of the candidates. Before registering through online for admission to Medical and Dental courses in the state of Karnataka, applicants are hereby informed to read the Information Bulletin UGNEET-2026 and understand the eligibility conditions, classification of seats (different types of category of seats) and eligibility to claim such seats.

INSTRUCTIONS TO NON-KARNATAKA CANDIDATES

Non-Karnataka candidates have to first register through online in KEA Web-portal (if not registered earlier in KEA), enter all the details, and pay the registration fee. Further they have to enter the 12th standard marks details and upload in PDF format in the Marks Entry web portal. They need not appear for verification of documents.

However, OCI / PIO / NRI / Foreign Nationals and if any non-Karnataka candidates eligible to claim NRI Ward, Religious Minority or eligible to claim under Category-RC-2 to Category-RC-8 in St. John Medical College, Bangalore, then they have to appear for verification of documents at KEA, Bangalore by booking the slots to appear for verification.

For more details candidates are advised to visit KEA Website <https://cetonline.karnataka.gov.in/kea/>


Executive Director.

NOTE: As per NMC, New Delhi letter dated 24-07-2023 and AYUSH Department Instructions; all the rounds of counselling including Stray Vacancy Round will be conducted only by KEA in online mode, all the eligible UGNEET 2026 candidates are hereby advised to register online and complete the document verification process in KEA to become eligible for admission to UG Medical and Dental and Ayurveda, Unani and Homeopathy Courses in the State of Karnataka.

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