



- Subject:** Conduct of Second Round (upgradation/ allotment) of (Physical) counselling for admission to NEET MD/MS/PGD and MDS Courses in various Government/Private medical/dental colleges/institutions of the Ut of J&K including seats under the HMQ and NRI quota in the ASCOMS,2023.
- Reference:** i) Notification No. 052-BOPEE of 2023 dated 07.08.2023.  
ii) Notification No. 065-BOPEE of 2023 dated 20.08.2023  
iii) Interim order dated 25.08.2023 of the Hon'ble High Court of J&K and Ladakh at Srinagar in WP(C) No 2233/2023, CM No 5216 / 2023 titled Nadeem-ur-Rehman & Ors. vs. Ut of J&K & Ors.

**Notice No.: 028-BOPEE of 2023**

**Dated: 22-09- 2023**

**Whereas**, the National Board of Examination (NBE) declared the result of the NEET PG 2023 and thereupon subsequent Notifications/Notices were issued by the Board with regard to Registration/Verification of documents, filling up of online preferences and other actions including notifying sports merit of candidates for MD/MS/PG Diploma and MDS courses– 2023, vide Annexure-A & B of Notification No.052-BOPEE of 2023 dated 07.08.2023; and

**2. Whereas**, pursuant to the above, the J&K Board of Professional Entrance Examinations vide Notification No. 065-BOPEE of 2023 dated 20.08.2023 issued the Provisional Selection Lists of the candidates for undergoing MD/MS/PGD and MDS Courses- 2023 in various Government/Private medical/dental colleges/institutions of the UT of J&K; and

**3. Whereas**, after the issuance of the aforesaid Provisional Selection Lists, 12 candidates belonging to the Reserved Categories of RBA and Sports approached the Hon'ble High Court of J&K and Ladakh at Srinagar by means of the above referred writ petition, inter-alia, praying for quashment of the Provisional Selection List dated 20.08.2023 and for a direction upon the official respondents to adhere to the mandate of Rule 17 of the J&K Reservation Rules, 2005; and

**4. Whereas**, the Hon'ble High Court upon consideration of the matter, while issuing notice to the respondents was pleased to pass an interim order dated 25-08-2023, the operative part of which reads as under:

**“5) In the meanwhile, till next date of hearing, it is provided that in case respondents fill up the seats in the aforesaid disciplines in the Colleges impleaded as respondents No. 3 to 6, the same shall be on provisional basis and will be subject to outcome of Writ Petition. It is further made clear that any such selection made by the respondents shall not confer any right upon the selected candidates.”**

**5. Whereas,** while the Board is in the process of filing its objections in the writ petition *ibid*, in the meanwhile the process relating to second round of counselling for filling up the MD/MS/PGD and MDS seats is required to be initiated, keeping in view the time schedule issued by the Medical Counselling Committee, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India; and

**6. Whereas,** the Board intends to fill up the MD/MS/PGD and MDS seats in the Second Round of Counselling that remained unfilled after the conclusion of the first Round of Online Counseling including the seats received as short- fall / resignations from the concerned Colleges / Institutions; and

**7. Whereas,** during the Second Round of Counselling, the Board also intends to fill up the seats under Hindu Minority Quota (HMQ) and the Non-Resident Indian (NRI) in ASCOMS, Jammu, as stipulated in the Notification No. 065-BOPEE of 2023 Dated 20-08-2023, issued by the Board; and

**8. Now,** therefore, the following schedule is hereby notified for conducting the Second Round (upgradation/ allotment) of (Physical) counselling for admission to NEET MD/MS/PGD and MDS Courses in various Government/Private medical/dental colleges/institutions of the UT of J&K including seats under the HMQ and NRI quota in the ASCOMS:

<b>S No.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time for Registration/ Attendance at the J&amp;K BOPEE Offices Jammu/ Srinagar</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
01	23-09-2023 Saturday	8:30 am to 10:00 am All Open Merit and Reserved Category including HM & NRI Candidates of <b>MD/MS/PGD Courses</b>	From UT Rank 01 To 400
02	24-09-2023 Sunday	8:30 am to 10:00 am All Open Merit and Reserved Category including HM & NRI Candidates of <b>MD/MS/PGD Courses</b>	From UT Rank 401 To 904

03	24-09-2023 Sunday	01:00 pm to 02:00 pm All Open Merit and Reserved Category Candidates of <b>MDS Course</b>	From UT Rank 01 To 65
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**9. It is further notified for information of all the concerned candidates that the allotment of seats during the Second Round of Counseling in the disciplines of Obstetrics and Gynae, Pediatrics, Surgery, Ortho and Psychiatry in the Government Medical College, Srinagar, Government Medical College, Jammu, SKIMS, Soura, Srinagar and SKIMS Medical College and Hospital Bemina, Srinagar shall be on provisional basis and subject to outcome of the writ petition WP(C) No 2233/2023, CM No 5216 / 2023 titled Nadeem-ur-Rehman & Ors. vs. Ut of J&K & Ors and any allotment made in this regard shall not confer any right upon such candidates, as directed by the Hon'ble High Court in its interim order dated 25.08.2023, referred to herein above.**

**10. It is further notified for information of all the concerned candidates that the upgradation/allotment of seats during the Second Round of Counseling shall be purely on provisional basis and shall not confer any preferential right upon the selected candidates and shall be subject to the outcome of any other writ petition, subjudice in the Hon'ble High Court of J&K and Ladakh, on the subject.**

**Note -I:**

The following procedure shall be followed during the Second Upgradation/Allotment Round of Physical Counseling.

1. The eligible and willing candidates have to report at the BOPEE offices Jammu / Srinagar for Registration/Attendance & fulfillment of other formalities, from **8.30 am to 10.00 am** on the day/date of counseling for MD/MS/PGD Courses and from **01:00 pm to 02:00 pm** for MDS Courses.
2. It is enjoined upon all the eligible candidates that they shall visit/ attend counseling only after checking the Seat Matrix available on the official website of the Board and if the seats of their choice(s) are available in their respective categories they shall participate in the counseling.
3. Those candidate(s) who have been allotted seat(s) during the First Round of Online Counseling and have joined against the said seat/College, if, interested for upgradation are eligible to participate in the 2nd Round of Physical Counseling with the condition that he/she shall have to produce his/her fee deposition receipt of the concerned allotted College at the time of Registration/Attendance on his/her day/date of counseling.

4. The Candidate(s) who have not been allotted any seat during the First Round Online Counseling are also eligible to attend the Second Round of physical counseling for up-gradation / allotment of seats in MD/MS/PGD and MDS Courses-2023 on their respective day / date of counseling.
5. The candidates whose names are figuring in the Provisional UT Merit List annexed to the Notification No. 044 -BOPEE of 2023 dated 25-07-2023, but have failed to participate in the First Round of online counselling due to one or the other reason shall also be eligible to participate in the counselling subject to the condition that they shall have to deposit counseling fee of Rs.2000/ physically, through POS Machines kept available at the BOPEE offices Jammu/Srinagar on their day/date of counseling.
6. The candidate(s) who have been allotted Seat(s) during the First Round of counseling, but have failed to join or have resigned against the said allotted seat/College, he/she shall not be eligible to participate in the Up-gradation/Second Physical Round of counseling.
7. The Board reserves the right to notify such changes as may become necessary in view of any technical difficulty or the reasons beyond its control.

**Note -II:**

The Tentative Seat Matrix shall be uploaded on the website of the Board separately in due course of time which shall facilitate the candidates to decide about their participation in the Upgradation/Allotment Round of Counseling.

The other Terms and Conditions shall, however, remain the same as notified by the Board in the e-Information Brochure and Notifications/Notices issued from time to time in this regard.

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**Sd/-  
Controller of Examinations  
J&K BOPEE**

No. BOPEE/Exam-10/2023

Dated: 22-09-2023

Copy to the:-

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2. Principal Secretary to the Lieutenant Governor, UT of Ladakh.
3. Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, General Administration Department, J&K.
4. Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, ARI and Trainings Department, J&K.

5. Secretary to the Government, Health & Medical Education Department, J&K.
6. Director, SKIMS, Srinagar.
7. Director Information, J&K for information with the request to kindly get this Notification published in the two leading daily English Newspapers from Jammu/Srinagar/Leh/Kargil having larger circulation.
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10. Secretary, J&K BOPEE for information.
11. Principal, GMC Jammu / GMC Srinagar
12. Principal, IGGDC Jammu/GDC Srinagar
13. Financial Advisor/ CAO, J&K BOPEE for information.
14. Deputy Secretary (legal), J&K BOPEE for information.
15. Principal ASCOMS Jammu.
16. PS to the Chairman, J&K, BOPEE for kind information of the Chairman.
17. In charge I.T. Section BOPEE, for information & necessary action.
- 18. Office file.**