



**GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU**  
**PROSPECTUS FOR ADMISSION TO M.Sc. (NURSING) COURSE IN**  
**GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGES AND GOVERNMENT SEATS IN**  
**SELF-FINANCING PARAMEDICAL INSTITUTIONS AFFILIATED TO THE**  
**TAMILNADU Dr. M.G.R. MEDICAL UNIVERSITY**

**2025-2026 SESSION**

**(As per G.O. (D) No.917, Health and Family Welfare (PME-2) Department,**  
**Dated 06.08.2025 and as amended from time to time).**



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**Rs.1,200/-**

### **AT A GLANCE**

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:-**

01	Date of Notification	23-08-2025
02	Date of Commencement of online application	24-08-2025 Noon
03	Last Date for online submission of application	31-08-2025 upto 05.00 P.M.
04	Tentative Date of Declaration of Rank	Will be notified later
05	Tentative date of counselling	Will be notified later
06	Commencement of courses	Will be notified later
07	Closure of Admission	Will be notified later

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION:-**

The online prospectus for admission to M.Sc. (Nursing) course 2025-2026 session in Tamil Nadu Government Medical Colleges, and Government seats in Self-financing Paramedical institutions affiliated to the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R Medical University will be available in the following website:

[www.tnmedicalselection.net](http://www.tnmedicalselection.net)

Any change or modification and relevant information pertaining to this admission process will be made available on the website:

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- The candidates are advised to be in touch with the official website for schedule / latest updates / results / notices / news & events pertaining to counselling as Selection Committee will not be individually contacting the candidates for the same.
- Candidates are advised to read the prospectus carefully before filling the application and ensure that no mandatory column is left blank. In the event of rejection of the application form, no correspondence /request for reconsideration will be entertained.
- The candidates are instructed to check the websites frequently for updates during the entire admission process.
- The Selection Committee will not be responsible for the consequences resulting due to non-diligent, non-follow-up of notices, notification and publication appearing on the official website regarding the admissions.
- Candidates are advised to regularly follow up all the notices in the official website regarding the selection process.

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### **I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:-**

1. (a) Candidates seeking application for admission to M.Sc. (Nursing) course 2025-2026 session in Tamil Nadu Government Medical Colleges and Government Quota seats in Self-financing Medical Colleges affiliated to The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University can access from the following website:

[www.tnmedicalselection.net](http://www.tnmedicalselection.net)

### **Non-refundable application fee of Rs.1200/-**

- Method of all fee payments through online payment portal only.
  - Candidates have to pay application fee through online via Debit card / Credit card/ Net Banking or RTGS /UPI.
  - All Candidates should make sure to apply on time and avoid last minute rush.
  - Candidates must note that mere deduction of fee from the Bank account is not a proof of fee payment.
- (b) Candidates can submit the online application form upto 31.08.2025, thereafter there is no provision for the candidates to submit their online application form.
- (c) Service candidates should upload their Service particulars along with the filled-in online application forms (duly certified by the Forwarding Authority with date and seal).

## **II. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: -**

2. a) Candidates seeking admission to the M.Sc. (Nursing) Course should be a citizen of India.
- b) Candidates who are claiming the nativity of Tamil Nadu should upload their Nativity Certificate issued by competent authority from Revenue Department of Tamil Nadu with official seal. Candidates who are claiming community reservation of Tamil Nadu should upload the following certificates:-
  - i) Candidate's Community Certificate issued by competent authority from Revenue Department of Tamil Nadu with Official seal.
  - ii) Community Certificate of either of parents issued by the competent authority from Revenue Department of Tamil Nadu with official seal.
- c) The candidates who have studied from 11th standard onwards and Post Basic B.Sc. (Nursing) including Diploma Nursing / B.Sc. (Nursing) in Tamil Nadu need not furnish Nativity certificate but have to give proof for their study period in Tamil Nadu and also furnish a declaration that they are not claiming the nativity in any other State except in Tamil Nadu which is to be signed either by the parent or Guardian and the Candidate.
- d) Nativity Certificate submitted later will not be accepted
- e) The Candidates are instructed to upload the following documents in addition to above:-
  - Copy of Aadhaar Card &
  - Any one of the supporting documents
    - ❖ Driving License
    - ❖ Voter's ID
    - ❖ Passport
    - ❖ Copy of Parent's Documents (Aadhaar Card and School certificate).

If the copy of the supporting document is not produced, the application form will not be accepted.
3. Candidates should possess a B.Sc. Nursing Degree awarded by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University or any other University recognized as Equivalent thereto by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University / Indian Nursing Council. Candidates who have qualified from other universities should obtain and produce an Eligibility Certificate from the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University at the time of admission.
4. Candidates seeking admission to the M.Sc. (Nursing) course should have obtained not less than 55% (50% for SC/SCA/ST candidates) of the total marks obtained in all semesters taken together in the B.Sc. (Nursing) Degree Course. In case of failure(s), the pass marks in the subsequent attempt(s) shall be taken for calculation purpose. Number of attempts is not considered for calculation of marks.

5. A candidate who has already completed or acquired a M.Sc. (Nursing) in any speciality or who is undergoing M.Sc. (Nursing) in any speciality is not eligible to apply for any other speciality in M.Sc. (Nursing) course. A candidates who have discontinued the course after the cut-off date fixed by the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. University (xx.xx.2025) are not eligible to apply for two subsequent academic years from the date of discontinuation of the course.
6. B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates should have one year of experience after Basic B.Sc. (Nursing) or one year of experience prior to or after Post Basic B.Sc. (Nursing) in any teaching Hospital / Nursing College / School of Nursing / Community Health Centres from the date of Registration (from the date of receipt of the acknowledgement of registration of the Nurses and Midwives Council) in any of the State Councils in the country. Fractional values will not be accounted.
7. The following categories of B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates will be treated as Service candidates for selection under the seats reserved exclusively for service candidates:
  - i) B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates who are serving in Tamil Nadu Government under the control of the Directorate of Medical Education & Research / Directorate of Public Health and Preventive Medicine/ Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services and Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI) on a regular basis and who have completed two years of service as on 31.03.2025.
  - ii) B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates who are serving in local bodies on regular basis and who have completed 2 years of service as on 31.03.2025.
8. The following categories of B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates will be considered for selection as non – service candidates only:
  - a) B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates who are serving in Government of India institutions in Tamil Nadu / Public Sector undertaking and organization under control of Government of India in Tamil Nadu.
  - b) B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates who are serving purely on temporary basis in Tamil Nadu Medical Service / Local bodies.
  - c) B.Sc. (Nursing) Graduates serving in Private sector.

### **III. PROCEDURE FOR FILLING AND SUBMISSION OF ONLINE APPLICATION:-**

9. a) Candidates should upload the necessary enclosures while submitting the online application.
  - b) SC / SCA / ST Candidates of Tamil Nadu are exempted from Application fee.
  - c) Recent Passport size photograph to be uploaded in the application form.
10. The candidates shall fill in the Application form carefully.
11. Candidate should submit only ONE application form.
12. A candidate submitting an online application with incomplete or insufficient particulars or without enclosures will not be accepted. (Without any intimation to the candidate).

13. The Government Orders issued and to be issued from time to time pertaining to any of the matters contained in the prospectus should be read as part and parcel of this prospectus and such terms and conditions in the Government Order are deemed to have been incorporated in this prospectus.
14. Service candidates should upload their applications along with the forwarding authority's remarks and the service particulars carefully filled up by the forwarding authority as prescribed in the application form. Applications of the Service candidates who have completed two years of continuous, regular service as on 31.03.2025 alone will be considered. The Heads of Directorate have to issue a Certificate of completion of the required service.
  - Service candidates should have 5 years left over service after finishing the course.
15. Candidates must upload the following documents along with the application, failing which the application is liable for rejection:
  - a) B.Sc. (Nursing) Degree Certificate or provisional pass certificate from the University concerned to which the college is affiliated.
  - b) First year / Semester to final year / semester B.Sc. (Nursing) Mark sheets issued by the University concerned.
  - c) Tamil Nadu State Nursing Council and Midwifery Council Permanent / Provisional Registration Certificates of Diploma / B.Sc. (Nursing) Degree / Post Basic Nursing (or) copy of the acknowledgement of registration of the Tamil Nadu Nurses and Midwives Council.
  - d) Valid Community Certificate issued by the competent authority of Revenue Department of Tamil Nadu with official seal and date.
  - e) Birth Certificate or copy of Higher Secondary Certificate / School Leaving Certificate / College Leaving Certificate / Extract from Service Register as evidence for Date of Birth.
  - f) Eligibility certificate from the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University for candidates who have qualified the under graduate course from Universities other than the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University.
  - g) Attempt Certificate in Final Year B.Sc. (Nursing) course from the College / University concerned.
  - h) Experience certificate for one year after Provisional registration from Hospital / Nursing College / School of Nursing / Community Health Centre.
  - i) Nativity certificate (if applicable) with supportive Documents.
  - j) Copy of Posting order (For service candidates).Candidates are instructed to produce the above-mentioned original Certificates Documents at the time of admission for certificate verification
16. It shall be the responsibility of the candidate to give the correct mailing address on the main application form. If there is any change of address it should be intimated immediately to the Selection Committee in writing.

#### **IV. MERIT LIST:-**

17. A common Merit List for the M.Sc. (Nursing) Degree courses will be prepared for a total mark of 100 by computing of academic marks for 90 and experience marks for 10.

18. a) **CALCULATION OF ACADEMIC MARKS:-**

The total marks obtained in all the semester examination of B.Sc. (Nursing) / Post Basic put together which is reduced to a total of 90 marks and the total marks obtained should be calculated accurate to two decimals. The academic marks is arrived at as shown below:-

**Example** – 1 B.Sc. Nursing (Post Basic)

SEMESTER	MAXIMUM TOTAL MARKS PRESCRIBED	TOTAL MARKS OBTAINED
FIRST	400	290
SECOND	500	375
THIRD	450	360
FOURTH	450	380
FIFTH	400	310
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>1,715</b>

$$\frac{1715}{2200} \times 90 = 70.16$$

b) **Experience Mark :-**

One mark for each completed year of experience as on 31.03.2025 which is calculated from the last date of the month of passing B.Sc. (Nursing) Degree Examination, subject to a maximum of 10 marks shall be awarded as experience mark for both Service and Non-Service candidates. Two marks will be awarded to each year of Government Service in hilly areas & it will be awarded to a maximum of 10 marks. Altogether the total marks awarded for experience will be restricted to 10 marks to all candidate including candidates from hilly areas. Fractional values of a year will not be counted for awarding marks for experience and service in hilly areas.

c) Candidates who have furnished the mark sheets only in grades, should furnish the actual marks obtained from the university. If not, only the minimum marks of the grade will be considered.

19. The Secretary, Selection Committee will publish the merit list on the following website:

[www.tnmedicalselection.net](http://www.tnmedicalselection.net)

20. The candidates are advised to visit the website every day from the date of issue of application for information.

## **V. COUNSELLING PROCEDURE (SINGLE WINDOW SYSTEM):-**

21. a) Admission to M.Sc. (Nursing) Course, shall be made by the ONLINE COUNSELLING based on rank following the rule of reservation / roster system by Government of Tamil Nadu and as per all other terms and conditions contained in the Government Order issued and to be issued from time to time with regard to rule of reservation. The detailed online counselling procedure are available in Annexure.
- b) Candidates have to register and choice lock their choices of preferences in online counselling. Candidates who have not registered and choice locked in the 1st round of ONLINE Counselling will be permitted to the subsequent rounds of ONLINE COUNSELLING.
- c) Once options are submitted during the Online counselling it cannot be changed later. Request for change of speciality / college from one to another is not permitted after an option has been exercised at the time of online counselling.
- d) Re-allotment for the Speciality / College will be permitted only during 2nd phase of counselling.
- e) Request for transfer from one college / speciality will not be allowed strictly.
- f) Individual request for transfer of college will not be entertained during or after counseling.
- g) Mutual transfers will not be permitted under any circumstances.
22. Candidates who are selected for admission should give a declaration in the form given at the time of admission that he / she is liable for forfeiture of selection / admission if suppression of facts are found at any time during or after admission to the course. The selection / admission shall be liable for cancellation based on the declaration at any time during or after the admission to the course. Further he / she will not be allowed to apply for the M.Sc. (Nursing) Degree Course for Two Years (2026-2027 and 2027-2028 session).
23. i) Candidates who have not registered and not choice locked at the scheduled date and time of online counselling will not be considered for admission. However the selection committee reserves the right to permit the candidate to attend the subsequent online counselling, if a valid reason is communicated to the selection committee before the commencement of subsequent online counselling.
- ii) Candidates who are allotted the seats in the online counselling, should download the certified provisional allotment order and join the course on or before the date mentioned in the provisional allotment order.
24. The candidates should produce their Original Certificates in person at the time of joining in their selected Medical Colleges/ Institutions along with the xerox copy of original certificates.



25. Any change or modification and relevant information pertaining to this admission process will be made available immediately on the following website:

[www.tnmedicalselection.net](http://www.tnmedicalselection.net)

The candidates are instructed to visit the website from the date of application till the end of counselling without fail.

All information including the date of counselling will be put up in the website. Allotment orders can only be downloaded from the website.

26. All candidates attending the online counselling will have to remit a non-refundable amount of ₹500/- (Non-refundable) through ONLINE via Debit Card / Credit Card / Net Banking / UPI as Registration fee.

The candidates who are selected for the course should pay an amount of 5000/- through ONLINE Payment Portal via Debit Card / Credit Card / Net Banking towards Tuition Fee for downloading the allotment order. This will be adjusted towards the tuition fee that has to be paid to the colleges and the balance amount, towards tuition fee has to be paid in the respective colleges at the time of joining the course. The Tuition Fee is Non-refundable, if the candidate discontinues or does not join the course.

#### **VI. METHOD OF SELECTION AND ADMISSION:-**

- 27.(1) a) The Selection will be made by, online counselling based on merit and by applying the Rule of Reservation / Roster method followed by the Government of Tamil Nadu wherever applicable. Roster method of rule of reservation will be followed if the seats are more than 1 and less than 8 in each branch as per G.O. (Ms.) No.241, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (K) Department, dated 29.10.2007 of Government of Tamil Nadu. This is subject to the final verdict of the Supreme Court of India in the SLP 14014-15 / 09 filed by this Government against the orders passed by the Bench of the High Court of Madras dated 12.05.2009 in W.A Nos.763 & 764 / 2007 and W.P No 7067 / 2009.

If the seats are 8 and more, the rule of reservation shall be as follows:-

Open Competition	- 31%
Backward Class	- 30%
Most Backward / Denotified	- 20%
Scheduled Caste	- 18%
Scheduled Tribe	- 1%

Within the 30% reservation for Backward Classes 3.5% reservation will be provided for Muslims.

16% of seats out of 18% Quota earmarked for Scheduled Caste shall be allocated to the Arunthathiyar Community as per the Tamil Nadu Act 4 of 2009.

- b) In each college, 50% of seats in each speciality are reserved for service candidates, in addition to those service candidates selected in the open category.

In case an odd number seat remains in any speciality in the total seats sanctioned for that speciality, that seat shall be filled by merit and communal reservation.

The odd seat stated above is preferable to each speciality and not to each college.

**Example:-**

There are 13 seats in each speciality of Nursing- 8 seats in Madras Medical College and 5 seats in Madurai Medical College .In this, 7 seats (4 Seats in Madras Medical College + 3 Seats in Madurai Medical College) for the open category and 6 seats (4 Seats in Madras Medical College + 2 Seats in Madurai Medical College) for the Service Category

- c) For the newly sanctioned seats in Government Colleges after the I Phase of online counselling, re-allotment of courses/colleges will be permitted as per merit and communal reservation from rank one.
  - (2) a) Any remaining unfilled seats for want of adequate number of eligible candidates belonging to SCA community shall be filled by candidates belonging to SC community other than Arunthathiyar as per merit and vice versa. (G.O. (Ms.) No.55, Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, dated 08.04.2010.)
  - b) Any remaining reserved seats in ST Quota for want of adequate number of eligible candidates belonging to ST community shall be allotted to candidates belonging to SC Community as per merit. (G.O. (Ms.) No.77, Health and Family Welfare (MCA -1) Department, dated 24.02.2011).
  - c) Any remaining unfilled seats in BCM Community for want of adequate number of eligible candidates after exhausting the merit list shall be filled up on merit basis by candidates belonging to BC community without exceeding the quota for BC community as a whole. (G.O. (Ms.) No.30, Health and Family Welfare (MCA 1) Department, dated 18.01.2012.)
  - d) Even after filling up of the required seats reserved for Arunthathiyars on preferential basis, if more number of qualified Arunthathiyars are available, such excess number of candidates of Arunthathiyars shall be entitled to compete with the Scheduled Castes other than Arunthathiyars in the inter-se merit among them (G.O. (Ms.) No.65, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (K) Department, dated 27.05.2009).
28. Seat sharing between Government quota and management quota seats in self- financing paramedical institutions will be as per existing State Government policy and applicable court orders.

**VII. SPECIAL CATEGORY: -**

**SEATS RESERVED FOR DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS:**

- 29. a) 5% of the total number of seats available in Government Medical Institutions are reserved for Person with disabilities.
- b) i) Candidates with disabilities of 40-80% may be considered eligible.

ii) Candidates with more than 80% disabilities - NOT ELIGIBLE for admission.

iii) Candidates with less than 40% disabilities - NOT ELIGIBLE for reservation.

Provided, the candidate belonging to 29(b)(ii) are not eligible to apply for the M.Sc. (Nursing) course.

The candidate belonging to 29(b)(iii) are eligible to apply for the M.Sc. (Nursing) Course under General Category. The other conditions for admission into the course will be applicable as in the case of the general category. The candidates are required to produce a certificate from the Medical Board in the Medical Colleges concerned constituted for this purpose for assessing the nature and the extent of physical disability in the format prescribed in the Annexure-I (A & B). The Certificate must have been obtained within three months prior to submitting the application for seeking admission under this category. If the certificate has been obtained earlier, the application will be rejected. The Medical Certificate issued by the District Medical Board of the area concerned for this purpose is subject to the confirmed by the Expert Committee constituted by the Director of Medical Education & Research before online counselling. The candidates seeking admission under this category should produce the full size photograph exhibiting the deformity. Seats earmarked for the special categories will be allotted following the Horizontal Reservation. If no eligible candidates are available for the seats earmarked under special category, those seats will be added to general pool and allotted on merit basis.

**Note:-**

1. The candidates who have applied under this category will be required to undergo a second Medical Examination by a Medical Board constituted for the purpose by the Director of Medical Education & Research to ascertain and confirm the nature and extent of Physical disability.
2. a) Candidates with any other disability other than the locomotory disability of the lower limb will not be considered for admission to the course under this Special Category.  
b) Upper Limbs, Vision and Hearing should be normal. The decision of the Director of Medical Education and Research in this regard will be final.

**VIII. DURATION OF COURSE AND TUITION FEES:-**

30. i) The duration of the M.Sc., (Nursing) course shall be 2 years.

Course	Tuition Fees	
	Government Colleges Rs. Per annum	Self-Financing Colleges Rs. Per annum
M.Sc. Nursing	5,000/-	75,000/- For 2025-2026

\* Subject to change in the Tuition Fee for 2025-2026.

The selected candidates have to pay any balance of the Tuition Fee (if any) and other special fees etc., at the time of admission in their respective Medical Colleges/Institutions.

**ii) Selected candidates should pay an amount of 5000/- through ONLINE payment Portal via Debit Card / Credit Card / Net Banking / UPI towards Tuition Fee for taking the allotment order. This will be adjusted towards the tuition fee that has to be paid to the colleges and the balance amount, towards tuition fee has to be paid in the respective colleges at the time of joining the course. The Tuition Fee is Non-refundable, if the candidate discontinues or does not join the course.**

iii) Students of SC/SCA/ST community and for SC Converted Christian students whose parents'/guardians annual income is less than Rs.2,50,000/- (Rupees Two lakhs fifty thousand only) are exempted from payment of all compulsory, Non-refundable fees (Enrolment/ Registration, Tuition, Games, Union, Library, Magazine, Medical Examination and such other fee compulsorily payable by the scholar to the Institution or University/ Board) and also exempted from all compulsory. Non-refundable fees fixed by the "Fee Committee". The fees, so exempted shall be claimed by the respective Institutions under the Scholarship Programme of the Government of India in G.O. (Ms.) No.6, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, dated: 09.01.2012 and as per G.O. (Ms.) No.92, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, dated 11.09.2012.

iv) **Discontinuation fee:-**

The students who are allotted and joined in any of the seats in Government Medical Colleges and discontinue the course after the cut-off date should pay the Discontinuation fee of Rs.1,50,000/- (Rupees One Lakh and fifty thousand only) by means of Demand Draft in favour of "The Secretary, Selection Committee, Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Kilpauk, Chennai-10" payable at Chennai.

#### **IX. STIPEND & SECURITY AMOUNT: -**

31. a) All service candidates serving in Tamil Nadu Government under the control of the Directorate of Medical Education & Research / Directorate of Public Health and Preventive Medicine/ Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services and Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI) selected and allotted for M.Sc. (Nursing) Course in Government Institutions shall undergo the course and be paid salary as per the Government Orders in force. Non-service candidates selected and allotted M.Sc. (Nursing) course in Government Institutions shall receive stipend as per Government orders in force.

b) Service candidates who are taking allotment in Self-financing colleges will not be paid salary and they have to avail leave to which they are eligible for the period of study on their own after obtaining prior permission from their Head of Directorate concerned. Stipend / Fee structure/ Bond amount/ any other conditions will be as per the Institution admitted into.

32. a) All Service candidates of Tamil Nadu shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five lakhs only) as security amount with the undertaking that they will serve the Government of Tamil Nadu till superannuation. Two permanent Government servants in the same or higher rank than the candidate shall execute sureties. The prescribed form will be available in the colleges at the time of admission. The service candidates shall serve for the Government of Tamil Nadu after the completion of the course until superannuation.
- b) Non Service candidates of Tamil Nadu shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five lakhs only) as security amount with the undertaking that they will serve the Government of Tamil Nadu for a period of not less than two years if required. During the above period they will be paid a salary on par with the fresh recruits of the Government of Tamil Nadu Medical Service and the Government of Tamil Nadu will reckon their services if required within a period of two years from the date of completion of their post graduate degree courses. Two permanent Government servants shall be sureties. The prescribed form will be available in the colleges at the time of admission. The bond will become in-fructuous if he / she serves the Government of Tamil Nadu if required for a minimum period of two years.
- The Security Bonds are governed by clause (c) under exemption under article 57 of schedule of the Indian Stamp Act 1879 (Central Act II of 1879). Hence the Security Bonds executed need not be stamped
- c) If for any reason, the candidate is unable to serve the Government for the above said period, the bond amount has to be credited to the relevant Head of account.

#### **XI. HEPATITIS – B VACCINATION:-**

33. All the Selected candidates for admission to M.Sc. (Nursing) course for 2025-2026 session should take Hepatitis–B vaccine and submit a medical certificate from an authorized Medical Officer as proof thereof, to the Head of the Institution at the time of joining. Admission to any Post Graduate course will not be allowed by the Heads of Institutions without the medical certificate. The candidate should take further doses at the prescribed intervals as required.

#### **XI. COMMUNICATION:-**

34. a) Any information regarding the admission process will be available in the Website [www.tnmedicalselection.net](http://www.tnmedicalselection.net) Selection Committee will not be held responsible for non-viewing of website.
- b) Candidates should inform the change of mail address / address, change of postings etc., immediately to the Selection Committee.

#### **RAGGING:-**

35. The candidates who join M.Sc. (Nursing) Course should not indulge in any kind of agitation / strike / ragging activity inside / outside the college campus during the course of study. Candidates found to be taking part in any such activities

mentioned above will be expelled from the course / college, at any point during the course of study and criminal action will be taken against them.

36. Candidates who have applied for M.Sc. (Nursing) Course are deemed to have read the contents in the Prospectus and agrees with all the conditions and clauses and will not have the right to challenge any of the clauses contained in this Prospectus.

**DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL EDUCATION & RESEARCH**

## ANNEXURE I

### A. MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FOR ORTHOPEDICALLY PHYSICALLY DISABLED

( to be issued by the **Medical Board of Medical Colleges**)

**(Locomotory disability of the lower limbs should be between 40% and 70%)**

Certified that the Medical Board of ----- Medical College , -----  
(City / Town ) certify that we have this ----- --Day of----- 2024 examined the  
candidate whose particulars are given below:

1. Name of the candidate
2. Father's name
3. Sex
4. Age
5. Identification marks : 1.  
2.
6. a. Orthopaedically physically disabled YES / NO  
b. Nature of Orthopedic disability
7. Extent of permanent disability  
(mention the % of disability)  
(Upper **limbs** must **be functional and** normal)  
a) 50% to 70%  
b) 40% to 50%
8. Whether the candidate fulfills the following  
Standard and may be considered for admission  
to undergo studies in Paramedical institutions:
  - (a) Normal Blood Pressure Yes/No
  - (b) Mentally normal Yes/No
  - (c) Visual and auditory disabilities Yes/No
  - (d) Gross speech disorders Yes /No
  - (e) Independent in ambulation with or  
Without calipers but without any support Yes/ No
  - (f) Good standing balance with or without  
Calipers but without any support Yes/No

- |  |               |
|--|---------------|
| (g) Hand function within normal limits without any aid         | Yes/no        |
| (h) Good control over bowel and bladder                        | Good/Not good |
| (i) a. Is the disability progressive ?                         | Yes/No        |
| b.If progressive is the candidate eligible for further studies | Yes/ No       |
| (j) Height (Normal)  | Yes/No        |

1. Certified that the above candidate does not have any upper limb disability.

2. Certified that the above candidate has only locomotory lower limb disability.

Signature of the Applicant

Members Signature  
with Name

Signature of Chairman of the Medical  
Board with Name

i.

Designation :

2.

Office Stamp

Place  
Date

Recent Full size  
photograph of the  
candidate exhibiting  
the deformity duly  
attested by the  
medical certificate  
issuing authority

Foot Note: 1. Both upper limbs, vision and hearing should be normal.

2. The above certificate should be issued only by the Medical Board of Medical Colleges of the area concerned constituted for the purpose after due physical examination by the board.

3. The candidate seeking admission under this category should produce a full size photograph exhibiting the deformity.

**Note:** 1) **The candidates who have applied** under this category have to undergo a second Medical Examination by a Medical Board constituted for the purpose by the Director of Medical Education to ascertain and confirm the nature and extent of physical **ability.**

2) **Candidates** with any other disability other than the locomotory disability of the lower limb will **not be considered for admission** under **this category.**

3) The decision of the Director of Medical **Education in this** regard will be final.



**B. CERTIFICATE OF LOCOMOTORY DISABILITY**

( For Admission to POST GRADUATE PARAMEDICAL Courses)

Certificate No.....

Date.....

This is to certify that .....

aged ..... Years, Son/Daughter of Mr.....

residing at .....

is suffering from

and has permanent Physical Impairment of Left /Right /Both Lower Limbs.

He/She is Loco motor disabled and has the percentage of..... in figure)

..... (in words ) disability of Lower Limbs.

Upper Limbs — Both are without any deformity and Functionally Normal

He/She is eligible /NOT eligible for admission in Post Graduate Paramedical Courses.

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Chairman of Board)

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Member of Board)

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Member of Board)

ANNEXURE II

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FOR ADMINISTRATION OF HEPATITIS-B VACCINATION

I, Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ Registration No. \_\_\_\_\_ certify that I have this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025  
administered the Hepatitis-B Vaccine to the candidate whose particulars are given below :

1. Name of the Candidate
2. Father's Name
3. Sex
4. Age
5. Identification marks
6. Dose FIFIII

Signature of the Applicant

Signature of Medical Officer

Name and Designation :

PLACE :

DATE

Officer Seal

### ANNEXURE III

#### LIST OF RELIGIONS

RELIGION	CODE NO
HINDUISM	1
CHRISTIANITY	2
ISLAM	3
OTHERS	4

#### LIST OF MOTHER TONGUES

MOTHER TONGUE	CODE NO
TAMIL	1
HINDI	2
MALAYALAM	3
KANNADA	4
TELUGU	5
URDU	6
OTHERS	7

### ANNEXURE — IV

#### DISCIPLINE DECLARATION BY THE CANDIDATE

I \_\_\_\_\_ the undersigned, a candidate selected for admission to the M.Sc ( Nursing ) Course 2024-2023 session in \_\_\_\_\_ College do hereby agree to conform from this date if I am admitted thereto the rules and regulations including those relating to the hostel laid down or to be laid down hereafter by the Dean for the time being of the College for the due maintenance of discipline at the said College and I assure that I will not join in any ragging activity inside College or outside College campus/ agitation / Strike of any kind during the course of study. I further agree to make good when called upon to do so to the Government of Tamil Nadu any damage to furniture, apparatus or other articles which may be caused by any carelessness, negligence or wantonly on my part. I hereby declare that I am aware of that I can be expelled from the College if I indulge in ragging during any part of my course of study.

In the presence of:

Signature of Candidate

STATION:

Signature of Parent/Guardian

DATE

Occupation and Address

**ANNEXURE V**  
**A: LIST OF HILL AREA PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES UNDER DPH**

<b>Name of the District</b>	<b>Name of the HUD</b>	<b>Name of the Hill Area PHC</b>	<b>Name of the Block</b>
Coimbatore	Coimbatore	Valparai	Anamalai
		Mudis Nagar	Anamalai
		Sholaiyar Nagar	Anamalai
		Topslip	Anamalai
	Tiruppur	Nil	Nil
Cuddalore	Cuddalore	Nil	Nil
Dharmapuri	Dharmapuri	Sitheri	Pappireddipatty
		Kottapatti	Harur
		Sitling	Harur
Dindigul	Dindigul	Perumparai	Athoor
	Palani	Mannavanur	Kodaikanal
		Perumalmalai	Kodaikanal
		Poolathur	Kodaikanal
		Kodaikanal Urban PHC	Kodaikanal
Erode	Erode	Nil	Nil
	Dharapuram	Nil	Nil
Kanchipuram	Kanchipuram	Nil	Nil
	Saidapet	Nil	Nil
Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil	Nil	Nil
Karur	Karur	Nil	Nil
Krishnagiri	Krishnagiri	Kelamangalam	Kelamangalam
		Unichetty	Kelamangalam
		Royakottai	Kelamangalam
		Nagamangalam	Kelamangalam
		Kakkadasam	Thali
		Anchetty	Thali
		Balathottanapalli	Thali
		Thali	Thali
		Shoolagiri	Shoolagiri
		Berigai	Shoolagiri
		Kamandhoddi	Shoolagiri
		Uthanapalli	Shoolagiri
		Bagalur	Hosur
		S.Muthuganapalli	Hosur
		Begaepalli	Hosur
		Mathigiri Urban PHC	Hosur
Madurai	Madurai	Nil	Nil
Nagapattinam	Nagapattinam	Nil	Nil

Namakkal	Namakkal	Valavanthinadu	Kolli Hills
		Powerkadu	Kolli Hills
Perambalur	Perambalur	Nil	Nil
Pudukottai	Pudukottai	Nil	Nil
	Aranthangi	Nil	Nil
Ramanathapuram	Ramanathapuram	Nil	Nil
	Paramakudi	Nil	Nil
Salem	Salem	Valavanthi	Yercaud
		Nagalur	Yercaud
		Karumandurai	Peddanaikenpalayam
		Arunuthumalai	Ayothiapattinam
		Pachamalai	Gangavalli
Sivaganga	Sivaganga	Nil	Nil
Thanjavur	Thanjavur	Nil	Nil
Theni	Theni	Nil	Nil
Thiruchirapalli	Thiruchirapalli	Top-Sengattupatty	Uppiliyapuram
Thiruvallur	Thiruvallur	Nil	Nil
	Poonamalle	Nil	Nil
Thiruvannamalai	Thiruvannamalai	Jamunamaruthur	Jamunamaruthur
		Nammiampattu	Jamunamaruthur
	Cheyyar	Nil	Nil
Thiruvarur	Thiruvarur	Nil	Nil
Thirunelveli	Thirunelveli	Nil	Nil
	Sankarakoil	Nil	Nil
Thoothukudi	Thoothukudi	Nil	Nil
	Koilpatti	Nil	Nil
The Nilgiris	Uthagamandalam	T.Oranally	Udhagamandalam
		Thuneri	
		Ithalar	
		Sholur	
		M.Palada	
		Thummnatty	
		Bikatty	
		Kalhatty	
		Kookalthorai	
		Naduvattam	
		Ooty Urban PHC	
		Nellakottai	Gudalur
		Ambalamoola	
		O.Valley	
		Kolapalli	
		Kappala	
		Masinagudi	
		Srimadurai	
		Ayyankolli	

		Uppatti	
		Gudalur Urban PHC	
		Nelliyalam Urban PHC	
		Ketty	Coonoor
		Adigarratty	
		Yedapalli	
		Kolacombai	
		Melur Hosatty	
		Aruvankadu	
		Conoor Urban PHC	
		Nedugula	Kotagiri
		Kattabettu	
		Sholurmattam	
		Thengumarahada	
		Kodanadu	
Vellore	Vellore	Nil	Nil
	Tirupattur	Kavalur Chathiram	Alangayam
		Padurnadu	Alangayam
		Athanavoor	Jolarpettai
Villupuram	Villupuram	Nil	Nil
	Kallakurichi	Kariyalur	Kalrayan Hills
		Keelakadu	Kalrayan Hills
		Mottampatti	Kalrayan Hills
		Serapattu	Kalrayan Hills
Virudhunagar	Virudhunagar	Nil	Nil
	Sivakasi	Nil	Nil

#### ANNEXURE V

#### B: LIST OF HILL AREA PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES UNDER DM & RHS

SL.NO	NAME OF THE DISTRICT	NAME OF THE INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION
1	Salem	Yercaud	Taluk Hospital
		Kariyakoil	Non Taluk Hospital
2	The Nilgiris	Uthagamandalam	District Headquarters Hospital
		Coonoor	Taluk Hospital
		Gudalur	Taluk Hospital
		Kothagiri	Taluk Hospital
		Pandalur	Taluk Hospital
		Manjur	Taluk Hospital
		Gudalur Bazaar	Govt Dispensary
		Yedakkadu	Govt Dispensary
		Coonoor Municipality	School Medical Inspection
		Kothagiri	Mobile Medical Unit
		Uthagamandalam	Mobile Medical Unit I
		Uthagamandalam	Mobile Medical Unit II
		Gudalur	Mobile Medical Unit
3	Dindigul	Pannaikadu	Non Taluk Hospital

		Thandigudi	Non Taluk Hospital
		Kodaikanal	Taluk Hospital
		Kodaikanal	Mobile Medical Unit
4	Coimbatore	Valparai	Taluk Hospital
5	Villupuram	Thoradippattu	Govt Dispensary
		Melnilavur	Govt Dispensary
		Vellimalai	Govt Dispensary ( Mobile Medical Unit)
6	Trichy	Chempallichanpatti	Non Taluk Hospital
7	Krishnagiri	Denkanikottai	Taluk Hospital
		Hosur	Taluk Hospital

**ANNEXURE VI**  
**INSTRUCTIONS FOR**  
**PHOTOGRAPHS**

- i. Recent passport size photograph with light background is required.
2. Polaroid photograph are NOT acceptable.
3. Photograph must be snapped on or after 1st August 2024.
4. Photograph must be taken with a placard indicating name of candidate ( as in the application) and date of taking photograph.
5. In case the name and date are written on the photograph after taking it, the application will be rejected.
6. The name and date on the photograph must be clear and legible.
7. Photograph should NOT have cap and goggles. Spectacles are allowed.
8. One photograph each should be pasted ( NOT STAPLED ) on Application Form
9. Photograph should be attested by a Gazetted Officer / Dean / Principal with a clear stamp.
10. Applications not complying with these instructions or with unclear photographs Will be rejected.
11. Keep a few identical photographs in reserve for use at the time of Entrance Examination / Admission.

Note: If the photograph is not a recent one taken at the time of submitting the application, the Application will be rejected.



**ANNEXURE VIII****\*TENTATIVE SEAT MATRIX- M.Sc ( Nursing )**

COLLEGE OF NURSING	MED.SUR NURSING	PEDIATRIC NURSING	OBG NURSING	COMM HEALTH NURSING	PSYCH NURSING	<b>TOTAL</b>
MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE	8	8	8	8	8	<b>40</b>
MADURAI MEDICAL COLLEGE	5	5	5	5	5	<b>25</b>
GOVT. CUDDALORE MEDICAL COLLEGE, CUDDALORE	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>36</b>

**\* SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

# **LIST OF COMMUNITIES 2025-2026**

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**LIST SHOWING THE SCHEDULED CASTES,  
SCHEDULED TRIBES, BACKWARD  
CLASSES, BACKWARD CLASS - MUSLIMS,  
MOST BACKWARD CLASSES  
AND  
DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES  
IN THE  
STATE OF TAMILNADU**

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**LIST OF COMMUNITIES IN THE STATE OF TAMILNADU**

**LIST OF BACKWARD CLASSES, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES, DENOTIFIED  
COMMUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU UNLESS AND OTHERWISE  
SPECIFIED**

**LIST OF BACKWARD CLASSES**

1. G.O.Ms.No.85 Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare Department dated 29.7.2008
2. G.O.Ms.No.96, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare Department dated 8.9.2008
3. G.O.Ms.No.97 Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare Department dated 11.9.2008
4. G.O.Ms.No.37 Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare Department dated 21.5.2009
5. G.O.Ms.No.98 Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare Department dated 5.1.2009.

Sl. No	Name of the Caste
1.	Agamudayar including Thozhu or Thuluva Vellala
2.	Agaram Vellan Chettiar
3.	Alwar, Azhavar and Alavar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District.)
4.	Servai (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Pudukottai Districts.)
5.	Nulayar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
6.	Archakarai Vellala
7.	Aryavathi (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
8.	Ayira Vaisyar
9.	Badagar
10.	Billava
11.	Bondil
12.	Boyas (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur,Ariyalur , Pudukottai, The Nilgiris, Salem, Namakkal, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri Districts). Pedda Boyar (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur , Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts) Oddars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Madurai,Theni and Dindigul Districts) Kaloddars (except Kancheepuram, Chegalpattu, Tiruvallur, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukkottai, Tiruchirappalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Salem and Namakkal Districts) Nellorepet oddars (except Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts) Sooramari oddars( except Salem and Namakkal Districts)
13	Chakkala (except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam,Mayiladurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul and The Nilgiris Districts)
14.	Chavalakarar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
15.	Chettu or Chetty (including Kottar Chetty, Elur Chetty, Pathira Chetty, Valayal Chetty,Pudukadai Chetty ) ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Talukof Tenkasi District)

16.	Chowdry
16 (A)	Converts to Christianity from Scheduled Castes irrespective of the generation of conversion (except the Paravar conversion to Christianity of Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District) for the purpose of reservation of seats in Educational Institutions and for seats in Public Services.
16 (B).	C.S.I formerly S.I.U.C (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
17.	Donga Dasaris ( except Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Chennai, Salem and Namakkal Districts.
18.	Devangar, Sedar
19.	Dombs (except Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli ,Karur and Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts) Dommars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam,Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai,Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Thiruvannamalai Districts)
20.	Enadi
21.	Ezhavathy(in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
22.	Ezhuthachar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
23.	Ezhuva(in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
24.	Gangavar
25.	Gavara, Gavarai and Vadugar(Vaduvar)(other than Kamma, Kapu, Balija and Reddi)
26.	Gounder
27.	Gowda (including Gammala, Kalali and Anuppa Gounder)
28.	Hegde
29.	Idiga
30.	Illathu Pillaimar, Illuvar, Ezhuvar and Illathar
31.	Jhetty
32.	Jogis (Except Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
33.	Kabbera
34	Kaikolar, Sengunthar
35.	Kaladi (except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul,Thanjavur, Nagapattinam,Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts)
36.	Kalari Kurup including Kalari Panicker (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
37.	Kalingi
38.	Kallar , Easanattu Kallar , Gandharva Kottai Kallars(except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts). Kootappal Kallars (except Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts) Piramalai Kallars (except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai and Tiruvarur Districts) Periyasooriyur Kallars (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
39.	Kallar Kula Thondaman
40.	Kalveli Gounder

41.	Kambar
42.	Kammalar or Viswakarma , Viswakarmala (including Thattar, Porkollar, Kannar, Karumar, Kollar, Thacher, Kal Thacher, Kamsala and Viswa brahmin.)
43.	Kani, Kanisu, Kaniyar Panicker
44.	Kaniyala Vellalar
45.	Kannada Saineegar ,Kannadiyar (Throughout the State) and Dasapalanjika (Coimbatore, Erode, Tiruppur and the Nilgiris Districts)
46.	Kannadiya Naidu
47.	Karpoora Chettiar
48.	Karuneegar (Seer Karuneegar, Sri Karuneegar, Sarattu Karuneegar, Kaikatti Karuneegar, Mathuvazhi Kanakkar, Sozhi Kanakkar and Sunnambu Karuneegar)
49.	Kasukkara Chettiar
50.	Katesar, Pattamkatti
51.	Kavuthiyar
52.	Kerala Mudali
53.	Kharvi
54.	Khatri
55.	Kongu Vaishnava
56.	Kongu Vellalars( including Vellala Gounder, Nattu Gounder, Narambukkatti Gounder, Tirumudi Vellalar, Thondu Vellalar, Pala Gounder, Poosari Gounder, Anuppa Vellala Gounder, Padaithalai Gounder, Chendalai Gounder, Pavalankatti Vellala Gounder, Palavellala Gounder, Sanku Vellala Gounder and Rathinagiri Gounder).
57.	Koppala Velama
58.	Koteyar
59.	Krishnavaka (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
60.	Kudikara Vellalar
61.	Kudumbi ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
62.	Kuga Vellalar
63.	Kunchidigar
63 (A)	Latin Catholics except Latin Catholic Vannar in Kanniyakumari District.
63 (B)	Lathin Catholics in Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District
64.	Lambadi
65.	Lingayat (Jangama)
66.	Mahratta (Non-Brahmin) (including Namdev Mahratta)
67.	Malayar
68.	Male
69.	Maniagar
70.	Maravars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinum , Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Tirunelveli and Toothukudi Districts) Karumaravars,Appanad Kondayam kottai Maravar –(except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni and Dindigul Districts.) Sembanad Maravars- (except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, and Ramanathapuram Districts)
71.	Moondrumandai Enbathunalu (84) Ur. Sozhia Vellalar
72.	Mooppan

73.	Muthuraja, Muthiriyar, Muttiriyar, Mutharaiyar
74.	Nadar, Shanar and Gramani including Christian Nadar, Christian Shanar and Christian Gramani.
75.	Nagaram
76.	Naikkar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
77.	Nangudi Vellalar
78.	Nanjil Mudali (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District)
79.	Odar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
80.	Odiya
81.	Oottruvalanattu Vellalar
82.	O.P.S. Vellalar
83.	Ovachar
84.	Paiyur Kotta Vellalar
85.	Pamulu
86.	Panar ( except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District where the community is a Scheduled Caste )
86A	Pandiya Vellalar
87	- Omitted -
88.	Kathikarar in Kanniyakumari District
89.	Pannirandam Chettiar or Uthama Chettiar
90.	Parkavakulam ( including Surithimar, Nathamar, Malayamar, Moopanar and Nainar )
91.	Perike ( including Perike Baliya )
92.	Perumkollar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
93.	Podikara Vellalar
94.	Pooluva Gounder
95.	Poraya
96.	Pulavar ( in Coimbatore and Tiruppur Districts )
97.	Pulluvar or Pooluvar
98.	Pusala
99.	Reddy (Ganjam )
100.	Sadhu Chetty ( including Telugu Chetty, Twenty four Manai Telugu Chetty)
101.	Sakkaravar or Kavathi ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
102.	Salivagana
103.	Saliyar, Padmasaliyar, Pattusaliyar, Pattariyar and Adhaviyar
104.	Savalakkarar
105.	Senaithalaivar, Senaikudiyar and Illaivanianar
105A	Serakula Vellalar
106.	Sourashtra ( Patnulkarar )
107.	Sozhiavellalar (including Sozha Vellalar, Vetrilaikarar, Kodikalkarar and Keeraikarar )
108.	Srisayar
109.	Sundaram Chetty
109 A	Thiyya

110.	Thogatta Veerakshatriya
111.	Tholkollar ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
112.	Tholuva Naicker and Vetalakara Naicker
113	-Omitted-
114.	Thoriyar
115.	Ukkirakula Kshatriya Naicker
116.	Uppara, Uppillia and Sagara
117.	Urali Gounder ( except Tiruchirapalli, Karur , Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai District) and Orudaya Gounder or Oorudaya Gounder (in Madurai ,Theni, Dindigul, Coimbatore, Erode, Tiruppur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur , Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Salem and Namakkal Districts )
118.	Urikkara Nayakkar
118 A	Virakodi Vellala
119	Vallambar
119. A	Vallanattu Chettiar
120.	Valmiki
121.	Vaniyar, Vania Chettiar ( including Gandla, Ganika, Telikula and Chekkalar)
122.	Veduvar and Vedar ( except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District where the community is a Scheduled Caste)
123.	Veerasaiva ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
124.	Velar
125.	Vellan Chettiar
126.	Veluthodathu Nair ( in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District )
127.	Vokkaligar ( including Vakkaligar, Okkaligar, Kappiliyar, Kappiliya, Okkaliga Gowda, Okkaliya- Gowder, Okkaliya Gowda )
128.	Wynad Chetty ( The Nilgiris District )
129.	Yadhava ( including Idaiyar, Telugu Speaking Idaiyar known as Vaduga Ayar or Vaduga Idaiyar or Golla and Asthanthra Golla )
130.	Yavana
131.	Yerukula
131A	Converts to Christianity from any Hindu Backward Classes Community or Most Backward Classes Community or Denotified Communities (except the Converts to Christianity from Meenavar, Parvatharajakulam, Pattanavar, Sembadavar, Mukkuvar or Mukayar and Paravar)
132.	Orphans and destitute children who have lost their parents before reaching the age of ten and are destitutes; and who have nobody else to take care of them either by law or custom; and also who are admitted into any of the schools or orphanages run by the Government or recognized by the Government.

#### **LIST OF BACKWARD CLASS MUSLIMS**

1.	Ansar
2.	Dekkani Muslims

3.	Dudekula
4.	Labbaais including Rowthar and Marakayar (whether their spoken language is Tamil or Urdu)
5.	Mapilla
6.	Sheik
7.	Syed

#### **LIST OF MOST BACKWARDS CLASSES COMMUNITIES**

1	Ambalakarar
2	Andipandaram
2(A)	Arayar (in Kanniyakumari District)
3	Bestha, Siviari
4	Bhatraju ( other than Kshatriya Raju )
5	Boyar, Oddar
6	Dasari
7	Dommara
8	Eravallar (except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District where the community is a Scheduled Tribe )
9	Isaivellalar
10	Jambuvanodai
11	Jangam
12	Jogi
13	Kongu Chettiar ( in Coimbatore and Erode Districts only )
14	Koracha
15	Kulala (including Kuyavar and Kumbarar )
16	Kunnuvar Mannadi
17	Kurumba, Kurumba Gounder
18	Kuruhini Chetty
18(A)	Latin Catholic Christian Vannar (in Kanniyakumari District)
19	Maruthuvar, Navithar, Mangala, Velakattalavar, Velakatalanair and Pronopakari
20	Mond Golla
21	Moundadan Chetty
22	Mahendra, Medara
23	Mutlakampatti
24	Narikoravar (Kurivikars)
25	Nokkar
25(A)	Panisaivan / Panisivan
26	Vanniakula Kshatriya ( including Vanniyar, Vanniya, Vannia Gounder, Gounder or Kander, Padayachi, Palli and Agnikula Kshatriya )
27	Paravar ( except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District where the Community is a Scheduled Caste )



27A	Paravar converts to Christianity including the Paravar converts to Christianity of Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk in Tenkasi District.
28	Meenavar ( Parvatharajakulam, Pattanavar, Sembadavar ) (including converts to Christianity )
29	Mukkuvar or Mukayar ( including converts to Christianity )
30	Punnan Vettuva Gounder
31	Pannayar ( other than Kathikarar in Kanniyakumari District )
32	Sathatha Srivaishnava ( including Sathani, Chattadi and Chattada Srivaishnava )
33	Sozhia Chetty
34	Telugupatty Chetty
35	Thottia Naicker ( including Rajakambalam, Gollavar, Sillavar, Thockalavar , Thozhuva Naicker and Erragollar)
36	Thondaman
36(A)	Thoraiyar ( Nilgris)
36(B)	Thoraiyar (Plains )
36(C)	Transgender or Eunuch (Thirunangai or Aravani)
37	Valaiyar (including Chettinad Valayars)
38	Vannar ( Salavai Thozhilalar ) ( including Agasa, Madivala, Ekali, Rajakula, Veluthadar and Rajaka) (except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tenkasi District where the community is a Scheduled Caste )
39	Vettaikarar
40	Vettuva Gounder
41	Yogeeswarar

#### **LIST OF DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES**

1	Attur Kilnad Koravars ( Salem,Namakkal, Cuddalore, Villupuram, kallakurichi, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga and Virudhunagar Districts )
2	Attur Melnad Koravars ( Salem and Namakkal District )
3	Appanad Kondayam kottai Maravar ( Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai,Theni and Dindigul Districts )
4	Ambalakarar ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )

5	Ambalakkarar ( Suriyanur, Tiruchirapalli District)
6	Boyas ( Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, The Nilgiris, Salem, Namakkal, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri Districts )
7	Battu Turkas
8	C.K. Koravars ( Cuddalore, Villupuram and Kallakurichi Districts )
9	Chakkala (Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul and the Nilgiris Districts )
10	Changyampudi Koravars ( Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )
11	Chettinad Valayars (Sivaganga, Virudhunagar and Ramanathapuram Districts )
12	Dombs ( Pudukottai,Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts )
13	Dobba Koravars ( Salem and Namakkal Districts )
14	Dommars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )
15	Donga Boya
16	Donga Ur.Korachas
17	Devagudi Talayaris
18	Dobbai Korachas (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
19	Dabi Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )
20	Donga Dasaris ( Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Chennai, Salem and Namakkal Districts )
21	Gorrela Dodda Boya
22	Gudu Dasaris
23	Gandarvakottai Koravars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai,Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur,Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Cuddalore, Villupuram and Kallakurichi Districts )
24	Gandarvakottai Kallars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai,Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
25	Inji Koravars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
26	Jogis ( Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Chennai, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )

27	Jambavanodai
28	Kaladis ( Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai,Theni, Dindigul, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai,Tiruchirapalli, Karur Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts )
29	Kal Oddars ( Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul,Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur,Perambalur, Ariyalur, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Salem and Namakkal Districts)
30	Koravars (Kancheepuram , Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Thiravarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukadi, Chennai,Madurai, Theni, Dindigul and The Nilgiris Districts )
31	Kalinji Dabikoravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
32	Kootappal Kallars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
33	Kala Koravars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
34	Kalavathila Boyas
35	Kepmaris ( Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts )
36	Maravars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi and Toothukudi Districts )
37	Monda Koravars
38	Monda Golla ( Salem and Namakkal Districts )
39	Mutlakampatti ( Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalaur and Pudukottai Districts )
40	Nokkars ( Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
41	Nellorepet Oddars ( Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )
42	Oddars ( Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Madurai, Theni and Dindigul Districts )
43	Pedda Boyas (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
44	Ponnai Koravars ( Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts )
45	Piramalai Kallars ( Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai and Tiruvarur Districts
46	Peria Suriyur Kallars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)

47	Padayachi ( Vellayan Kuppam in Cuddalore District and Tennore in Tiruchirapalli District )
48	Punnan Vettuva Gounder ( Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
49	Servai ( Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts )
50	Salem Melnad Koravars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Coimbatore, Erode, Tiruppur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Salem, Namakkal, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
51	Salem Uppu Koravars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
52	Sakkaraithamadai Koravars (Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
53	Saranga Palli Koravars
54	Sooramari Oddars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
55	Sembanad Maravars (Sivaganga, Virudunagar and Ramanathapuram Districts)
56	Thalli Koravars(Salem and Namakkal Districts)
57	Telungapatti Chetis (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
58	Thottia Naickers (Sivaganga , Virudunagar, Ramanathapuram, Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Tiruvallur, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Salem, Namakkal, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet,Tiruvannamalai, Coimbatore, Erode and Tiruppur Districts)
59	Thogamalai Koravars or Kepmaris (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
60	Uppukoravars or Settipalli Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam , Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Vellore, Tirupathur, Ranipet and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
61	Urali Gounders (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
62	Wayalpad or Nawalpeta Korachas
63	Vaduvarpatti Koravars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudunagar, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
64	Valayars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur Pudukottai, Coimbatore, Erode and Tiruppur Districts)
65	Vettaikarar (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
66	Vetta Koravars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
67	Varaganeri Koravars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)

68	Vettuva Gounder (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
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**THE SCHEDULE (SCHEDULED CASTES)**

1	Adi Andhra
2	Adi Dravida
3	Adi Karnataka
4	Ajila
5	Aruthathiyar
6	Ayyanavar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
7	Baira
8	Bakuda
9	Bandi
10	Bellara
11	Bharata ( In Kanykumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District.
12	Chakkiliyan
13	Chalavadi
14	Chamar, Muchi
15	Chandala
16	Cheruman
17	Devendrakula Velalar (Devendrakulanathan, Kadaiyan (excluding in the coastal areas of Tirunalveli, thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam district), Kalladi, Kudumban, Pallan, Pannadi, Vathiriyar)
18	Dom, Dombara, Paidi, Pano
19	Domban
20	Godagali
21	Godda
22	Gosangi

23	Holeya
24	Jaggali
25	Jambuvulu
26	Kadaiyan (in the districts of Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam)
27	Kakkalan (in kanyakumari districts and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
28	- Omitted -
29	Kanakkan, Padanna (in the Nilgiris district)
30	Karimpalan
31	Kavara (in Kanyakumari district and shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
32	Koliyan
33	Koosa
34	Kootan, Koodan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
35	- Omitted -
36	Kuravan, Sidhanar
37	Madari
38	Madiga
39	Maila
40	Mala
41	Mannan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of tirunelveli district)
42	Mavilan
43	Mager
44	Mundala
45	Nalakeyava
46	Nayadi

47	Padannan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
48	Pagadi
49	- Omitted -
50	Palluvan
51	Pambada
52	Panan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
53	Panchama
54	- Omitted -
55	Panniandi
56	Paraiyan, Parayan, Sambavar
57	Paravan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
58	Pathiyan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
59	Pulayan, Cheramar
60	Puthirai Vannan
61	Raneyar
62	Samagara
63	Samban
64	Sapari
65	Semman
66	Thandan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
67	Thoti
68	Tiruvalluvar
69	Vallon
70	Valluvan

71	Vannan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
72	- Omitted -
73	Velan
74	Vetan (in Kanyakumari and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)
75	Vettiyan
76	Vettuvan (in Kanyakumari district and Shenkottah of Tirunelvelli district)

**THE SCHEDULE (SCHEDULED TRIBES)TAMILNADU**

1.	Adiyan
2.	Aranadan
3.	Eravallan
4.	Irular.
5.	Kadar
6.	Kammara (excluding Kanniyakumari District and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli District).
7.	Kanikaran, Kanikkar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shenkottah and Ambasamudram taluk of Tirunelveli District).
8.	Kaniyan, Kanyan.
9.	Kattunayakan.
10.	Kochu Velan.
11.	Konda Kapus.
12.	Kondareddis.
13.	Koraga.
14.	Kota (excluding Kanniyakumari District and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli District).
15.	Kudiya, Melakudi.
16.	Kurichchan.
17.	Kurumbas (in the Nilgiris District).
18.	Kurumans.



19.	Maha Malasar.		
20.	Malai Arayan.		
21.	Malai Pandaram.		
22.	Malai Vedan.		
23.	Malakkuravan.		
24.	Malasar.		
25.	Malayali (in Dharmapuri, Vellore, Pudukottai, Salem, Namakkal, Cuddalore, Tiruvannamalai, Villupuram, Tiruchirapalli, Karur and Perambalur Districts).		
26.	Malayakandi.	33.	Paniyan.
27.	Mannan.	34.	Sholaga.
28.	Mudugar, Muduvan.	35.	Toda (excluding Kanniyakumari District and Shenkottah taluk of Tirunelveli District).
29.	Muthuvan.	36.	Uraly.
30.	Pallayan.	37.	Narikoravan, kurivikkaran
31.	Palliyan.	----	----
32.	Palliyar.	----	----