

**ADMISSION FOR
POST-GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAM IN DENTISTRY (M.D.S.)**

The Goa Dental College & Hospital is a professional Institution established by the Government of Goa in June 1980. This Institution is affiliated to the Goa University and recognized by the Dental Council of India. It is the only tertiary dental care centre in the state and has been rendering specialized services through nine departments in various specialities, which provide the students with clinical exposure and experience in imparting dental care to the patients.

The Goa Dental College & Hospital offers the B.D.S. degree program, which comprises of a four year course and a one year compulsory paid rotating Internship with an intake capacity of 50 seats. Every year over 1,00,000 patients are being treated in this Institution; with an average OPD of 100 new patients per day.

In order to open avenues for Research and specialized dental care, the Dental College offers a Post graduation program in different specialties as indicated below:

Sr. No.	SPECIALTIES	Total No. of Seats	Seats Available for 2022-23		
			All India Quota	Goa State Quota	Reserved seats OBC/ST/SC/PH
1.	Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	3	1	2	Reservation will be applicable subject to permissions from Central/State Government.
2.	Orthodontics and Dento-Facial Orthopaedics	2	1	1	
3.	Oral Medicine, Diagnosis & Radiology	2	1	1	
4.	Periodontics	2	1	1	
5.	Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	2	1	1	
6.	Oral Pathology & Microbiology	2	1	1	
7.	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	2	1	1	
8.	Paedodontics & Preventive Dentistry	3	2	1	
	TOTAL NUMBER OF MDS SEATS (2022-2023)	18	9	9	

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:

A candidate for admission to the Masters in Dental Surgery course, must possess:

- 1) A Recognised degree of Bachelor in Dental Surgery awarded by Goa University or any other University recognised as equivalent thereto by the Goa University and the Dental Council of India.
- 2) Should possess Permanent/Provisional Registration with the State Dental Council.
- 3) Has undergone Compulsory Rotatory Internship for a period of one year in an approved/recognised Dental College.
- 4) Have resided in the State of Goa for a minimum period of 10 years preceding the last date of receipt of application.

Admissions to post graduate courses for All India candidates will be done by Directorate General of Health Services, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India and the selection of candidates in State Quota will be done on the basis of All India State wise Merit list drawn from the NEET for all categories as prescribed by the State Government at the time of admission.

MIGRATION :

No interchange of speciality in the same Institution shall be permitted after completion of all the counselling sessions and commencement of the course.

FEES PAYABLE :

As per Government Approval for Revision of fees vide Letter No.5/30/2018-IV/PHD/1815 dated 29/09/2021, the fees payable are as follows:

FEES PAYABLE FOR THE M.D.S. COURSE*					
Sr. No.	Year	Admission Fees (Onetime payment)	Tuition Fees		Library Deposit (Refundable deposit)
			Ist Term	IInd Term	
1	1 st M.D.S.	1,000/-	50,400/-	50,400/-	1,000/-
2	2 nd M.D.S.	N.A.	50,400/-	50,400/-	N.A.
3	3 rd M.D.S.		50,400/-	50,400/-	

*Further, Govt has decided that henceforth, every academic year the tuition fees for all courses at G.D.C&H shall stand revised automatically by 5% , till the Government considers further revision. The fees can be changed as per Govt. Directives without prior intimation.

BOND :

Candidates being admitted for MDS course shall be required to execute a bond that they shall serve the State Government for a period of one year on completion of the MDS course, if called upon to do so, within a period of six months from the date of being eligible for award of degree. Failure to complete the course and/or honour the Bond will attract penalty.

The post-graduate students shall abide by any decision of the State Government that may be framed from time to time.

STIPEND TO POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS AND DESIGNATION:

As per Govt. of Goa Order No.13/14/2001PHD/MISC/1623 dated 28/12/2017 the post-graduate students are presently paid a consolidated monthly stipend as follows:

Year	Designation	Stipend payable every month*
1 st M.D.S.	JR-I	50,000/-
2 nd M.D.S.	JR-II	52,500/-
3 rd M.D.S.	JR-III	55,000/-

*The stipend can be changed as per Govt. directives without prior intimation.

Stipend will be paid for a period of 36 months only. No stipend is payable if the student has to continue his/her studies beyond three years **OR** does not regularly attend classes/clinics, or unilaterally discontinues the course.

WORK QUOTA REQUIREMENT & ATTENDANCE:

Individual departments of the Institution prescribe a work quota, which has to be completed before the post-graduate students are permitted to appear for the University Examinations. They are also required to attend and present scientific papers/posters/seminars/ table demonstrations etc. at their respective speciality conferences at the State / National/ International level. Publishing of scientific papers in indexed dental journals is strongly encouraged.

The Post-graduate students will have to appear for University Examinations conducted by Goa University.

- i) Part I University Examination at the end of First Year of M.D.S.
- ii) Part II University Examination at the end of Final Year of M.D.S.

The first year MDS students have to submit their Thesis Synopsis to the Goa University within 6 months from the date of commencement of the course.

The post-graduate students will have to complete submission of the library dissertation within 18 months from the date of commencement of the M.D.S program and Thesis (main dissertation) maximum 6 months before appearing for Final M.D.S. University examination.

PURCHASE REQUIREMENTS:

During the course of study, the post-graduate students may have to purchase instruments, materials, books, research equipments as required in their respective specialities.

HOSTEL FACILITIES:

Hostel facilities are available within the Goa Dental College & Hospital campus. Candidates seeking hostel accommodation will have to give an undertaking to follow the rules and regulations prescribed from time to time. The present fees payable for the Hostel are as follows*:

FEES PAYABLE FOR AVAILING HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION				
Sr. No	ITEM	First Year M.D.S	Second Year M.D.S	Third Year M.D.S
1	Term Fees	3,000/-	3,000/-	3,000/-
2	Maintenance Charges	1,500/-	1,500/-	1,500/-
3	Hostel Deposit	2,000/-	N.A.	N.A.
4	Mess Deposit (As & when Mess facilities start & are used)			
Total Fees Payable		6,500/-	4,500/-	4,500/-

*The hostel fees can be changed as per Govt. directives without prior intimation.

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