

NEET-MDS SCHEDULE- 2026

All India Quota/ Deemed/ Central State Quota

S.No.	Schedule for Admission	All India Quota/ Deemed & Central Universities	Sharing of Joined candidates Data by MCC	State Counselling	Sharing of Joined candidates Data by state DMEs/ State Counselling Authorities*
1.	Ist Round of Counselling	18th Aug, 2026 to 26th Aug., 2026	2nd Sept., 2026	21st Aug., 2026 to 1st Sept., 2026	8th Sept., 2026
2.	Last date of Joining	1st Sept., 2026	—	7th Sept., 2026	—
3.	2 nd round of counselling	3rd Sept., 2026 to 11th Sept., 2026	19th Sept., 2026	9th Sept., 2026 to 18th Sept., 2026	25th Sept., 2026
4.	Last date of joining	18th Sept., 2026	—	24th Sept., 2026	—
5.	Round-3	22nd Sept., 2026 to 30th Sept., 2026	9th Oct., 2026	28th Sept., 2026 to 8th Oct., 2026	14th Oct., 2026
6.	Last date of joining	8th Oct., 2026	—	13th Oct., 2026	—
7.	Stray Vacancy	12th Oct., 2026 to 16th Oct., 2026	Data of allotted candidates will be shared by MCC on 16 th Oct., 2026	15th Oct., 2026 to 18th Oct, 2026	—
8.	Last date of joining	24th Oct., 2026		24th Oct., 2026	
9.	Commencement of Academic Session for MDS Courses	17th Sept., 2026			

Note: For ensuring faithful obedience of time schedule and also keeping in view the limited time available for conducting counselling, all participating institutes/colleges are directed to treat all Saturdays/ Sundays and Gazetted Holidays as working days.

*The data of joined candidates will be shared by DMEs/ State Counseling Authorities to MCC for weeding out during seat processing of Round-3.