



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (S) DEPARTMENT

No. S3/157/2023-Health

29-01-2024, Thiruvananthapuram

ESSENTIALITY CERTIFICATE

To

The Principal,
Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital,
Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504 .

SL.No.	Name of the Course
1	MD Microbiology
2	MD Emergency Medicine
3	MD Pathology
4	MD Community Medicine
5	MD Psychiatry
6	MS General Surgery
7	MS Ophthalmology

Sir,

The desired certificate is as follows:-

1) It is certified that the Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital, Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504, is recognized u/s 11(2) of the Indian Medical Council Act 1956 for 150 seats.

2) It is certified that the Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital, Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504, was given Letter of Permission (LOP) u/s 10A of IMC Act, 1956 in the year 2002 and the last continuing LOP was given by the Government of India in the year 2022.

3) No. of institutions already existing in the State : 33

4) No. of institutions offering the courses: see table below

5) No. of seats available in the course in the State: see table below

SL No	Name of the Course	No of Seats in the college	No. of additional seats requested	No.of institutions offering the course in the state	No of seats available in the state.
1	MD Microbiology	New Course	2	13	36
2	MD Emergency Medicine	New Course	2	8	17
3	MD Pathology	1	3	18	70
4	MD Community Medicine	1	3	17	44
5	MD Psychiatry	2	2	18	47
6	MS General Surgery	2	2	18	113
7	MS Ophthalmology	3	2	18	62

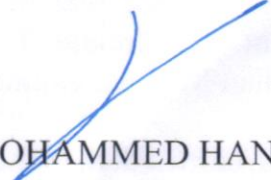
5) Full justification for instituting the above courses:

The Principal, Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital, Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504, has applied for the opening/seat enhancement of the Post Graduate courses as above. On careful consideration of the proposal, the Government of Kerala has decided to issue an Essentiality Certificate to the applicant for the opening/seat enhancement of above said courses with number of seats mentioned above.

It is certified that:-

a) It is desirable to open the courses/enhance the seats of the courses mentioned in the above table at Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504, in the public interest.

b) Opening/Enhancement of seats of the courses in the table above at Dr. Somervell Memorial C.S.I. Medical College & Hospital, Karakonam, Thiruvananthapuram, 695504, is feasible.


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