Agartala Govt. Medical College (AGMC) was established in 2005 to meet the medical need of the State and to impart a high standard of Medical Education and Service to our State and the other North Eastern parts of the country. With that perspective, along with students of our state, a good number of students from other states are admitted in Agartala Govt. Medical College every year. It helps interaction of our students with the students of other states having diverse cultures, standards, food habits, languages and grows a healthy sense of competitive attitude and National Integrity amongst them, as a member of the same family of AGMC.

The Under Graduate Course and Post Graduate Courses in 13 Nos. of disciplines are conducted in Agartala Govt. Medical College.

**Under Graduate**

Every year 100 students are admitted in this College. Out of 100 seats, 75 seats are filled up by the students of Tripura, 15 seats by the Central Govt. nominee and 10 seats by nominee of North Eastern States namely Mizoram (2 seats), Meghalaya (3 seats), Arunachal Pradesh (2 seats) and Nagaland (3 seats).

Undergraduate teaching, training, syllabus, courses, examinations etc. are carried out according to the rules and regulations of the Tripura University and as per Medical Council of India guidelines. Students are awarded MBBS degree on completion of 4 ½ years undergraduate education by Tripura University (A Central University).

1. Anatomy.
2. Physiology
4. Pathology.
5. Microbiology.
7. Forensic Medicine & Toxicology.
8. Community Medicine
12. Dermatology.  
15. Obstetrics & Gynecology.  
17. Ophthalmology  
18. Otorhinolaryngology.  
20. Dentistry.  

Eligibility for Admission for M.B.B.S. Course:

a) **Age** - A candidate who has completed the age of 17 years on or before 31st December of the corresponding year is eligible for admission. Date of birth as recorded in the Madhyamik / 10th Standard / School Leaving Certificate issued by the concerned Board of Education will be taken as authentic.

b) **Educational qualification** - Candidates must have passed the Higher Secondary Examination or the Indian School Certificate Examination which is equivalent to 10+2 Higher Secondary Examination after a period of 12 years of study, the last two years of study comprising of Physics, Chemistry and Biology or any other elective subjects with English at a level not less than core course of English as prescribed by the National Council of Educational Research and Training after the introduction of the 10+2+3 years educational structure as recommended by the National Committee on education. All or any such examination must be recognized by the Tripura University for the purpose of admission.

c) **Joint Entrance Examination** - All candidates (Tripura State quota - 75 seats) should appear in the Joint Entrance Examination, conducted by the Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination / All India Joint Entrance Examination (AIJEE) whichever is applicable, for admission to this Medical College. Admission will be as per the merit list of Joint
Entrance Counseling Committee constituted by the Govt. of Tripura / Govt. of India whichever is applicable.

A candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/ Biotechnology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks taken together in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/ Biotechnology at the qualifying examination. In respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, the marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/ Biotechnology taken together in qualifying examination be 40% instead of 50% as stated above.

The candidate coming through Tripura Joint Entrance should also be in the merit list of the Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination and should have passed individually in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/ Biotechnology. In case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe and Backward Classes admission would be based on merit list proposed by Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination.

The candidate should pass individually in English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology and obtained minimum 50% (fifty percent) marks taken together in Physics, Chemistry and Biology in qualifying examination. In respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or other backward Classes, the marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry and Biology taken together in qualifying examination may be 40% (forty percent) instead of 50% (fifty percent).

The candidate coming through Tripura Joint Entrance should also be in the merit list of the Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination with minimum 50% (fifty percent) marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Biotechnology taken together and should have passed individually in English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Biotechnology. In case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Backward Classes admission would be based on merit list proposed by Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination.

The candidate coming through North East quota or as Central Government nominee student should pass individually in English, Physics, Chemistry and
Biology/Biotechnology and obtained minimum 50% (fifty percent) marks taken together in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Biotechnology in qualifying examination. The candidate should also have obtained in Joint Entrance Examination if any, a minimum of 50% (fifty percent) marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Biotechnology taken together. In case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Backward Classes the minimum marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Biotechnology taken together in qualifying examination and Joint Entrance Examination if any may be 40% (forty percent) instead of 50% (fifty percent) as stated above.

d) Verification of documents - All admissions are subject to verification of the original certificates / documents produced by the candidates. Regarding the eligibility of any applicant, the decision of the appropriate authorities as per the MCI guideline shall be final.

e) Medical fitness - All admissions are subject to Medical Fitness of the candidate.

f) Seat Distribution
   Total intake for MBBS course is 100.

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<th>Tripura Joint Entrance/ AIJEE</th>
<th>All India Quota (From the 2007-08 academic year) 15 (fifteen) Central Government nominee students are being admitted.</th>
<th>As a gesture of good will Government of Tripura has offered 10 (ten) seats from its quota to 4 (four) North-Eastern States viz. Mizoram (02 seats), Nagaland (03 seats), Meghalaya (03 seats) and Arunachal Pradesh (02 seats).</th>
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g) Documents required during admission

(i) Certificate of selection from Tripura Board of Joint Entrance Examination / AIJEE.

(ii) Marks Sheet of Higher Secondary10+2 or any equivalent Examination recognized by Tripura University with Physics, Chemistry, Biology & English.
(iii) Admit Card of S.S.L.C. / Madhyamik Examination.

(iv) School Leaving Certificate.

(v) SC, ST or Category Certificate if applicable

(vi) Certificate of Bonafide Residency

(vii) BPL Card where applicable.

(viii) Migration Certificate has to be produced by those students who will be admitted in AGMC from the Board and University outside Tripura.

(ix) Disability certificate where applicable.

(x) Passport size photographs (Coloured) - four numbers

(xi) Character Certificate from the institutions where from he/she has passed his /her qualifying examination which would mention the status of his / her behavioral pattern especially in terms as to whether he/she has displayed persistent violent or aggressive behavior or any desire to harm others.

(xii) Undertaking by student and parent/guardian that he/she shall not indulge in ragging of any kind while being a student of the College as per the Zero Tolerance Policy of the College.

Fees & Subscription for M.B.B.S. Course

(i) All Students except the newly admitted students must pay fee by the date fixed by the college authorities.

(ii) All Students are instructed to deposit the required fees in the form of a Bank Draft of any Nationalized Bank having branch in Agartala in the name of Principal, Agartala Govt. Medical College.

(iii) A concession of 25% in the Tuition Fees only shall be made for students belonging to BPL families.
Within a week of commencement of classes, 90% of the tuition fees shall be refunded, while 10% shall be retained by the college as administrative and other charges. Other fees shall be refunded after proportionate deduction.

After one week but before one month of commencement of classes, 50% of the tuition fees shall be refunded, while 50% shall be retained by the authority as administrative and other charges. Other fees shall be refunded after proportionate deduction.

After one month, no fees shall be refunded.

After one month of commencement of classes (except outside candidates of the State), the concerned student will be liable to pay the tuition fees for the entire course and only after which he/she will be eligible to receive a transfer certificate and other documents deposited at the time of admission.

As per the Medical Council of India Regulations, the admissions will be closed by 30th September every year. If any MBBS student discontinues the studies after this period, he/she will be liable to pay the tuition fee for the entire course. In such cases, the transfer certificate will be issued and other documents returned only after payment of tuition fee for the entire course is made.

If any student discontinues the studies after one month of joining, he/she will be liable to pay the tuition fees for the entire course. In such cases the transfer certificate will be issued and other documents returned only after payment of tuition fees for the entire course.

Migration to and from this College will be as per the guidelines laid down by MCI and as amended from time to time.

No Student shall report any matter of the College and Hospital to the Press, Police and Public without taking prior permission from the Principal of the College.

Every student must carry the Identity Card duly signed by the Principal of the College.
**DRESS CODE**

College uniform and sports dress would be worn during college hours and while on college play ground respectively.

**DISCIPLINE**

1. Ragging, in any form is prohibited and shall not be tolerated at all.

2. It is expected that all students shall dress, behave and conduct themselves inside and outside the College in a manner befitting a medical student who shall one day become a respected member of society.

3. Students should always be polite and considerate of others especially to the fellow students, patients and their relatives, Teachers and other Staff members of the College.

4. During Class hours all students shall wear a white full sleeved apron over their Uniform throughout the course.

5. Students shall not use mobile phones during College hours & Examinations.

6. Consumption of alcoholic drinks, smoking and any form of intoxication is completely prohibited in the College and Hospital Campus.

7. Any breach of discipline or failure to carry out the orders of the Principal shall be dealt with strictly and might even result in expulsion of the student from the College and/or filing of an FIR at the police station.

8. The rules and regulations as prescribed and displayed in the hostel would be strictly followed.
9. This is an Institution meant for higher learning and the objective is not only to impart education but also to build the character of the students and transform them into a better human being. Students are expected to observe absolute discipline in their conduct during the entire period they spend in the institution. Failure to observe absolute discipline will invite appropriate disciplinary action.

**Offences & Punishment**

- For all offences committed in the College or Hospital premises the Principal may at his discretion refer the case to the College Disciplinary Committee, which shall have the power to investigate and recommend to the Principal, who may or may not seek the ratification of these recommendations.
- After considering the recommendations of the College Disciplinary Committee, if sought for, the Principal will take necessary disciplinary action including filing FIR with the local police against those who rag or abet ragging.

**Ragging :**

- Ragging is prohibited by law and order of the Hon’ble Supreme Court of India. The Medical Council of India has instituted clear-cut guidelines to curb the menace of ragging.

**Ragging includes any or all of the following :**

- Mental/ Physical / Sexual abuse
- Verbal abuse
- Violation of decency
- Criminal intimidation / Wrongful restraint
- Undermining human dignity
- Financial exploitation / Extortion
- Use of criminal force

( EACH OF THE ABOVE IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE )
A student indulging in ragging can be:

* Expelled from the institution
* Banned from the Mess / Hostel
* His / her scholarships can be withdrawn
* Debarred from examinations
* Debarred from admission to any institution
* Criminally Prosecuted

Agartala Government Medical College has a Zero Tolerance Policy towards ragging.

Measures for prohibition of ragging

The Medical College shall strictly observe the provisions of the Acts of the Central Government and the State Government, if any, or if enacted and/or for the act being in force, considering ragging as a cognizable offence under the law as par with rape and other atrocities against women and ill-treatment of persons belonging to the SC/ST and prohibiting ragging in all its forms.

Ragging in all its forms shall be totally banned in the entire Medical College including its departments, constituent units, all its premises (academic, residential, sports, canteen etc.) whether located within the campus or outside and in all means of transportation of students whether public or private.

The Medical College shall take strict action against those found guilty of ragging and/or of abetting ragging.

Measures for prevention of ragging at the institution level

Before admission:

The advertisement for admission shall clearly mention that ragging is totally banned/prohibited in the Medical College and anyone found guilty of ragging and/or abetting ragging is liable to be punished appropriately.

The brochure of admission/instruction booklet for candidates shall print in block letter these regulations in full.
The Prospectus and other admission related documents shall incorporate all directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court and/or the Central or State Government as applicable, so that the candidates and their parents/guardians are sensitized in respect of the prohibition and consequences of ragging.

The guidelines to curb the menace of ragging in medical colleges prepared in this regard are as under:

1. Every student for the purposes of his/her admission to Medical College shall furnish a character certificate from the institution wherefrom he/she has passed his qualifying examination, which would mention the status of his/her behavioural pattern specially in term as to whether he/she has displayed persistent violent or aggressive behavior or any desire to harm others.

2. The admitting medical institution shall keep intense watch upon students who has a negative entry in this regard.

3. An annual undertaking signed by each student. Whether fresher or senior and his/her parent(s) jointly stating that each of them read the relevant instructions/regulations against ragging. As well as punishments. And that if ward has been found guilty he/she shall be proceeded against. Shall be procured.

4. Such an undertaking shall be furnished in English as well as in vernacular (mother tongue of the parent ) at the beginning of each academic year by every student.

5. An undertaking to the similar effect should be obtained every year from each student admitted to the hostel.

6. The undertaking should be appended to the brochure containing the guidelines and other relevant instructions in regard to ragging and consequences of indulging in ragging.

7. The compliance to the above effect shall be ensured by each of the affiliating university to which the concerned medical institution is affiliated and would be verified by the council annually.
8. It should be ensured that there would be a clear gap of one to two weeks between the date of joining of ‘freshers’ and the seniors’ ensuring that classes for the seniors shall commence later, so as to enable the ‘freshers’ to familiarize themselves with the campus environment and adjust to the sudden changeover from schools to higher education.

9. It shall be mandatory for the institutions to inform the parents of senior students to send their wards only on the due date of commencement of the academic session and not earlier.

10. All the examining Universities with which the institutions are affiliated or the demmed to be Universities shall compulsorily amend their relevant ordinances or byelaws, as the case may be to incorporate the schedule gap of one two weeks between the date joining of ‘freshers’ and seniors.

11. Each institution shall arrange a joint ‘sensitization’ program and ‘counseling’ of both ‘freshers’ and ‘seniors’ to be addressed by the Principal/Head of the institution and the Convener of the Anti Ragging Committee. The inmates of the addressed on this count by the Hostel Warden.

12. Each institution shall have an Anti-Ragging Committee and Anti Ragging Squad, which shall comprise of other than senior teachers of the institution, representatives of Civil & Police administration and local media.

The College Session

The Academic year for the First Year M.B.B.S. Students (First Semester) will commence from 1st of September every year. There will be a vacation of all senior students from 1st September to 10th September every year so as to enable the ‘freshers’ to familiarise themselves with the campus environment and adjust to the sudden changeover from schools to higher education.

ACADEMICS

Agartala Government Medical College conducts a four and a half year course followed by a one year period of compulsory rotating internship which shall lead to the award of the M.B.B.S. degree by the Tripura University.
The M.B.B.S. course is divided into nine semesters, each of six months duration. Before the end of each semester, examinations are conducted by the College to aid the purpose of internal assessment. Internal assessment is also carried out on a day to day basis by the faculty in classrooms so that students study throughout the year. Twenty percent of the marks allotted for each subject are earmarked for internal assessment.

Students shall have to obtain 35% of the marks allotted for internal assessment in order to be eligible to appear in any University examination.

M.B.B.S. Students undergo training in four phases as follows:

First Phase:

I & II Semesters (12 Months)

Subjects taught: Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry, and Community Medicine.
Subjects examined during University Examination in Second Semester viz. First Professional M.B.B.S. Examination: Anatomy, Physiology, and Biochemistry.

Second Phase:

III, IV & V semesters (18 months)
Subjects taught: Pathology, Microbiology, Pharmacology, Forensic Medicine, Community Medicine, Ophthalmology, Otorhinolaryngology, General Medicine and allied subjects (including Tuberculosis & Respiratory disease, Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy and Psychiatry), General Surgery and allied subjects (including General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Radio-Diagnosis, Radio-Therapy, Anaesthesiology, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation and Dentistry), Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Paediatrics.
Subjects examined during University Examination in Fifth Semester viz. Second Professional M.B.B.S. Examination: Pathology, Microbiology, Pharmacology and Forensic Medicine.
Third Phase:

**Part I : VI & VII semesters (12 months)**

Subjects taught: Community Medicine, Ophthalmology, Otorhinolaryngology, General Medicine and allied subjects (including Tuberculosis & Respiratory disease, Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy and Psychiatry), General Surgery and allied subjects (including General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Radio-Diagnosis, Radio-Therapy, Anaesthesiology, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation and Dentistry), Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Paediatrics.

Subjects examined during University Examination in Seventh Semester viz. Third Professional M.B.B.S. Part I Examination: **Community Medicine, Ophthalmology, Otorhinolaryngology**

**Part II : VIII & IX semesters (12 months)**

Subjects taught: General Medicine and allied subjects (including Tuberculosis & Respiratory disease, Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy and Psychiatry), Surgery and allied subjects (including General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Radio-Diagnosis, Radio-Therapy, Anaesthesiology, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation and Dentistry), Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Paediatrics.

Subjects examined during University Examination in Ninth Semester viz. Third Professional Final M.B.B.S. Part II Examination: **General Medicine and allied subjects, Surgery and allied subjects, Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Paediatrics.**

**Fourth Phase**

Students will undergo compulsory rotating internship of one calendar year duration. No university examinations are held during this period. However, assessment of work done by the student and his/her behavior and performance shall be monitored by the Head of the Department concerned as well as the Faculty member(s) under whom they are posted. Independent assessment shall be made by the Medical Superintendent of G. B. Pant Hospital and the Principal of the College. If they are all satisfied with the
student’s attendance, conduct, behaviour, knowledge and work including minimum skills acquired, they shall issue a certificate of satisfactory completion of internship. This is mandatorily required of the student from the College to obtain a Permanent Registration Certificate from the Medical Council of India without which they cannot practice medicine in India. During this period the interns are paid stipend by the College.

**Academic Calendar for MBBS Course:**

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**The Tutorial system:**

- The students are divided into groups. Every group is made up of proportion of students from each class.
- The Tutors for the group will be from the Faculty members of the respective departments of the College.
- A student once placed in a group will remain in that group until he/she leaves the College. Ordinarily no shifting of a student from one group to another will be permitted.

**Grouping of subjects for examination**

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<td>General Medicine (including Tuberculosis &amp; Respiratory disease, Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy and Psychiatry) Surgery (including General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Radio-Diagnosis, Radio-Therapy, Anaesthesiology, Physical Medicine &amp; Rehabilitation and Dentistry), Obstetrics &amp; Gynaecology and Paediatrics</td>
<td>9th Semester</td>
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**Attendance in the Class**

a. The candidate should compulsorily attend a regular course of study for the prescribed period in the College affiliated to Tripura University. A minimum of 75% attendance in all the subjects separately is compulsory, provided he/she has 80% attendance in non-lecture teaching i.e. Seminars, Group Discussion, Tutorials, Demonstrations, Practical, Hospital Postings and Bedside Clinics etc. There is no provision of condition of shortage of attendance as non-collegiate candidate.

b. Students not being allowed to sit for the regular examination due to shortage of attendance may be permitted to attend special classes to make good the shortage in attendance to enable such candidates to appear in the supplementary examination, if they already possess an attendance of 60% or above. A student attending the supplementary examination for the first time will be deemed to have second attempt in the examination even if he has not attempted the main examination for whatever the reason may be.

**Rules of Hostel**

- The hostel accommodation will be given to students seeking admission in the Medical College.
- There are separate hostels for boys and girls.
- Seats shall be allotted by the Hostel Superintendent.
- No boarder is allowed to change his/her seat or accommodation without special permission of the Hostel Superintendent.
- Students are expected to observe absolute discipline in their conduct during the entire period they spend in the hostel. Failure to observe absolute discipline will invite appropriate action.
• Smoking, drinking of alcohol and use of narcotics are strictly prohibited in the hostel.
• **Ragging, in any form in AGMC Campus, is strictly prohibited.**
• All students must attend the Roll Call daily at 8 P.M. No hostel inmate will be allowed to enter the hostel after 8 P.M. In case of any emergency, concerned student should take permission from the Hostel Superintendent.
• Student should take prior written permission (Night Pass) for leaving the hostel for overnight stay. Ordinarily night pass may be permitted to visit local guardians only on weekends.

**Rules for Visitors in Hostels**

• Visiting hours of the hostel: 4 P.M. to 6 P.M. daily.
• Student, should meet the visitor(s) only in the Visiting Room in presence of a hostel staff. No visitor/guest will be allowed in the student’s room.

**Library facility**

• The Library is under the control of Principal.
• The Library remains open on all working days.
• Silence and order must be maintained in the library at all times.
• The Students and Staff of the College & hospital are entitled to use the library.
PRIZE

Prizes are awarded each year to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd position holders of the College in each University Professional Examination (but not supplementary examination).

FACILITIES FOR STUDENTS

- Undergraduate Hostel (Separate for Boys’ and Girls’) with Mess Facilities run by the students themselves.
- Modern Post Graduate Hostel for PG Residents
- Banking, ATM
- Canteen
- Post Office (in OPD complex in the ground floor of hospital building)
- Sports - Outdoor and Indoor.
- Cultural Activities
- Auditorium
- Gymnasium
Postgraduate Course

The Post Graduate Course are conducted for the under-mentioned disciplines in the Agartala Govt. Medical College.

Disciplines
1. MD Anaesthesiology
2. MD Community Medicine
3. MD Forensic Medicine & Toxicology
4. MD Microbiology
5. MS Obstetrics & Gynaecology
6. MS Otorhinolaryngology
7. MD Paediatrics
8. MD Radiodiagnosis
9. MS General Surgery
10. MD Psychiatry
11. MD Medicine
12. MS Orthopaedics
13. MS Ophthalmology

ADMISSION TO POSTGRADUATE SEATS

Jurisdiction of the University

Admission to the seats in the affiliated institution of the Tripura University in different post Graduate Medical Courses shall be made on the basis of inter se merit lists of different “Categories' (Open/ Govt. Sponsored) and “Status” [General/ SC/ST/Physically Handicapped /and OBC (where it is applicable)] of candidates appearing in the Tripura Post Graduate Medical Admission Test (NEET-PG) conducted by Directorate of Medical Education (DME), Govt. of Tripura on behalf of the Tripura University. The candidates sponsored only by the appropriate authorities of the Govt. of Tripura will be considered for the Government sponsored seats.
Eligibility criteria

Citizens of India who are domicile of the state of Tripura and who have obtained the MBBS degree from any recognized medical college affiliated to a recognized University shall be eligible to apply for admission to the “Open seats” of Post Graduate Medical Degree provided they are scheduled to complete their rotating internship for one year on or before 31st March and subsequently produce registration certificate issued by any state medical council/MCI. A candidate, who is presently pursuing 12 month compulsory rotating internship after passing MBBS, can take up (TPGMAT), but he/she shall not be eligible for admission unless he/she completes the 12 months compulsory rotating internship by 31st March.