

ARMED FORCES MEDICAL COLLEGE, PUNE

PROSPECTUS FOR

MBBS ENTRANCE EXAMINATION-2012





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IMPORTANT DATES

DATE OF ENTRANCE EXAMINATION	:	06 MAY 2012
TIME TO REPORT AT EXAMINATION CENTRE	:	9.00 A.M.
LAST DATE OF FILLING OF ONLINE APPLICATION	:	05 MARCH 2012
LAST DATE FOR PAYMENT OF FEE AT ANY SBI BRANCH:		06 MARCH 2012
LAST DATE FOR RECEIPT OF FORMS SENT BY POST	:	<u>12 MARCH 2012 (1700h)</u>

Note: In case of any controversy between the English and Hindi versions of the Prospectus, the English version will be accepted as correct and final.

PROSPECTUS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

INTRODUCTION

1. The Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC), Pune, was established in 1948 for post graduate courses. A graduate wing for MBBS course was started in AFMC on 04 Aug 1962 with the aim of inducting medical graduates to the Armed Forces Medical Services.
2. The AFMC is affiliated to Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik and is recognized by the Medical Council of India.

COURSE DURATION

3. The duration of MBBS course is 4 ½ years followed by compulsory rotating internship training of one year. All the medical cadets with service liability undergo internship training in selected service hospitals recognised by the Medical Council of India. Course commences on 01 Aug 2012.

SERVICE LIABILITY

4. Candidates admitted to AFMC for MBBS course have compulsory liability to serve as Commissioned Officers in the Armed Forces Medical Services. The offer of the type of commission will depend upon the vacancies available and shall be determined on merit-cum-option at the final MBBS examination. The liability of the SSC officers passing out of AFMC to serve the Armed Forces Medical Services would be seven (7) years.
5. Any candidate withdrawing from the college after *1600hrs (4 PM) on 31 Jul 2012* will have to pay Bond Money as per conditions given in Govt of India, Min of Defence letter No 17436/DGAFMS/DG-1D/2297/D (Med)/98 dated 3rd September 98 and 19907/Policy/ DGAFMS/DG-1D/401/09/D (Medical) dated 11 Feb 2009. The candidates' parents/guardians are required to sign the bond agreement at the time of admission which is ₹.15, 00,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Lacs only) at present. This amount is subject to revision from time to time by Govt of India.

REMOVAL FROM SERVICE LIABILITY

6. Medical cadets may be removed from service liability on account of becoming medically unfit for grant of commission or on poor academic record/disciplinary grounds. They may, however, be permitted, at the sole discretion of the DGAFMS on case to case basis, to complete MBBS Course and undergo internship training in civil hospitals recognised by the Medical Council of India.
7. Medical cadets removed from service liability may be allowed to continue the course, at the sole discretion of the DGAFMS after the Bond Money is paid in full. In case of medical cadets removed from service liability after passing final MBBS examination, the NOC for joining internship training in civil hospital will only be issued after the Bond Money is paid in full.

SHORT TITLE

8. These rules will be called as Armed Forces Medical College Entrance Examination Rules.

DEFINITIONS

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- (a) Government means - Government of India.
- (b) Ministry means – Ministry of Defence, Govt of India, New Delhi.
- (c) DGAFMS means- Director General Armed Forces Medical Services, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.
- (d) College means - Armed Forces Medical College, Pune.
- (e) Entrance Examination means – Written Examination and Interview for selection of candidates for admission to MBBS Course at AFMC, Pune.
- (f) Qualifying examination means – Examination on the result of which the candidates become eligible to apply for admission to the Armed Forces Medical College, Pune that is 10 + 2 or equivalent examination with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology.
- (g) Rules means- The rules specified by the Ministry of Defence, Govt of India and DGAFMS.
- (h) Medical Standards means – The standards prescribed for medical fitness for grant of commission in the Armed Forces in accordance with instructions issued from time to time for commission in Army Medical Corps & admission to IMA which will be applicable for admission to AFMC.
- (j) Medical fitness means – The medical fitness of candidate as per the rules & standards prescribed by the Govt of India for grant of commission in the Armed Forces Medical Services.
- (k) Initial Medical Board means – The board detailed by Commandant AFMC as per the instructions of the DGAFMS to decide the medical fitness of the candidate for admission to AFMC.
- (l) Appeal Medical Board means- The board constituted by Commandant AFMC as per the instructions of the DGAFMS, to decide the medical fitness of the candidate found unfit in the Initial Medical Board.
- (m) Scheduled Castes means- Schedule caste as specified and laid down by the Government of India.
- (n) Scheduled Tribes means – Scheduled Tribes as specified and laid down by the Government of India.
- (o) Eligible candidate means – A candidate who satisfies the requirements of eligibility as prescribed by the DGAFMS, The Medical Council of India, and Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nasik.

ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATIONS TO APPEAR IN THE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

GENERAL

10. A candidate seeking admission to the MBBS Course is eligible to appear in the entrance examination if he/she fulfills the following criteria:-

- (a) A candidate should be citizen of India. The candidate may be a subject of Nepal or Bhutan or a person of Indian origin migrated from Pakistan or any other foreign country with the intention of permanently settling in India. Foreign nationals of Indian origin may be admitted into AFMC only after they have acquired Indian citizenship or in respect of whom a certificate of eligibility is issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs.
- (b) Must be unmarried. Marrying during the course is not permitted.
- (c) Should be medically fit as per prescribed standards by the Govt of India, Ministry of Defence (see **Appendix 'A'**).
- (d) There will be two categories for age criteria depending on academic qualifications:-
 - (i) Academic qualification of the candidate-10+2 or equivalent :- Should attain the age of 17 years on **31 Dec 2012** but must not have attained the age of 22 years on that date i.e. must have been born not earlier than **01 January 1991** and not later than **31 December 1995**.
 - (ii) Academic qualifications of the candidate :- Passed B.Sc. examination or appearing in Final B.Sc. examination:- Must not have attained the age of 24 years i.e. must have been born not earlier than **01 January 1989**. The criteria for marks in the qualifying examination (10+2) or equivalent will be same for candidates of this category.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

11. Candidates must have passed one of the following qualifying examinations in the **first attempt** with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology taken simultaneously and securing not less than 60% of the aggregate marks in these three science subjects taken together and not less than 50% marks in English and 50% marks in each of the science subjects. They must have also passed an examination in Mathematics of the tenth standard. These are:-

- (a) The Higher Secondary (10+2) or equivalent examination in Science of a statutory Indian University/board or other recognised examination body with English, Physics, Chemistry & Biology which shall include practical test in all of these science subjects.
- (b) The Pre-professional/Pre-Medical examination with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology (after passing either Higher Secondary School examination or pre-University or equivalent examination) which shall include practical test in these science subjects.
- (c) 1st year of three years Degree course of a recognised University with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology including practical test in Science subjects provided the examination is a University Examination.
- (d) Senior Secondary of a statutory Examination Board of Indian School Certificate examination of 12 years of study, last two years of study comprising of Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics or any other elective subject with English at higher level.

(e) Higher Secondary School Certificate examination of Maharashtra State Board of Higher Secondary Education with English at Higher level, any one of the Modern Indian or Modern Foreign or Classical Languages, Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics or any other elective subject.

(f) Any other examination which in scope and standard is found to be equivalent to the Higher Secondary Science/Pre-Professional/Pre-medical Examination of Indian University/Board with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology including practical test in each of these Science subjects.

(g) B.Sc. Examination of a recognised Indian University provided that he/she has passed the B.Sc. Examination in not less than two of the subjects Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Botany, Zoology) and further that he/she has passed the qualifying examination with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English. The criteria for marks in Qualifying Examination (i.e. 10 + 2 or equivalent exam) remains the same for the B.Sc. candidates also.

(h) Candidates who have appeared or will be appearing in qualifying examination up to **01 May 2012** may also apply. Admission, if selected, however, will be subject to passing and meeting the eligibility criteria as per Para 10 and 11 above.

(j) Regarding the requirement of Mathematics, candidate who has passed Higher Secondary, Senior Cambridge or Indian School Certificate examination and had not offered Mathematics in the final year will be deemed eligible if he/she had studied Mathematics up to the pre-final year stage (X Class) and had passed an examination in the subject provided it was at least of Tenth standard. A certificate signed by the Head Master or Principal of the school in which candidate has studied should be produced at the time of interview in such cases. A candidate who had not taken Mathematics at the Tenth or an equivalent examination but had subsequently passed in Mathematics as an additional subject in I. Sc. /B.Sc. examination is also eligible.

12. The following categories of candidates are not eligible to apply:-

(a) Candidates who have passed in Domestic Science, Domestic Arithmetic, Lower Maths separately or in combination with other subjects like General Science/Social studies in High School/Higher Secondary (Multipurpose) or equivalent examination.

(b) Candidates who have passed only Pre-University/Pre-Degree (one year course) or Pre-Professional in Agriculture/Veterinary/Dental Examination.

(c) Candidates who have passed the Pre-professional or equivalent qualifying examination as a Private candidate.

(d) Candidates who have secured the requisite percentage but in subsequent attempts or compartment examination.

NOTE: IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CANDIDATES TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THEY POSSESS THE REQUISITE QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSION. HAVING BEEN CALLED FOR WRITTEN TEST OR INTERVIEW DOES NOT NECESSARILY MEAN ACCEPTANCE OF ELIGIBILITY. FINAL ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION WILL BE DECIDED BY MAHARASHTRA UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, NASHIK.

NUMBER OF SEATS

13. A total of 130 medical cadets (105 boys & 25 girls) will be admitted for the year 2012.

RESERVATION

14. (a) Ten seats out of 130 are reserved for candidates belonging to the scheduled castes/scheduled tribes subject to the provisions stated in paragraph 27 below.
- (b) In addition to the above 130 seats, Govt of India at its discretion through Ministry of External Affairs & Ministry of Defence may sponsor and select foreign students from friendly foreign countries for MBBS training in AFMC, under their aid/ collaboration programmes.

CONDUCT OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION

15. Date of written examination:- The written examination will be conducted on Sunday, 06 May 2012.

EXAMINATION CENTRES

16. (a) A list of cities along with their code numbers both numeric and alphabetic where the examination will be conducted is given in **Appendix 'B'**.
- (b) The candidates shall *correctly* fill up the name of the city from where he/she wishes to appear for the written examination in the online application form.
- (c) The candidate shall give three **different** choices of cities in order of preference from where he/she wishes to appear for the written examination. Change in centre choices is at a later date is **NOT** permitted after the submission of the application form and no correspondence in this regard will be entertained.
- (d) One of the three choices in order of priority as indicated by the candidate will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. Endeavour will be to allot one of the choices of candidate, provided seating capacity exists. However if seating capacity is not available, the admission cell depending upon the availability will allot a centre.
- (e) Written Examination Centre once allotted will be final and **no** request for change, under any circumstances, will be entertained.

SCHEME OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION

17. The competitive written examination will be of 2 hours duration and will have one paper comprising of 200 objective type of questions, as under :-

Subjects	Total Marks
Biology (Zoology and Botany)	50
Chemistry	50
Physics	50
Intelligence, Logic and Reasoning	25
English language & comprehension	25

18. Each correct answer will fetch one mark for the candidate. However wrong answer will have negative marks and for each wrong answer 0.25 marks will be deducted. Uses of calculator, Mobile phone, Bluetooth, PDA and log tables are not permitted in the examination.

SYLLABUS FOR THE EXAMINATION

19. The general standard of the entrance examination will be that of 11th and 12th class under the 10 + 2 scheme/Pre-medical/Intermediate science or an equivalent examination of the CBSE/State Education Board/Indian University.

METHOD OF SELECTION

20. Candidates who are found provisionally eligible will be permitted to appear in the competitive examination on *Sunday, 06 May 2012*. Issue of admit cards, however does not necessarily mean acceptance of eligibility which will be further scrutinised at subsequent stages of selection.

21. The written examination centre will be allotted to candidates depending upon the administrative arrangements for the examination and availability of adequate seating capacity.

22. The roll numbers of the candidates who qualify for interview based on the above written examination will be published in Employment News and Rozgar Samachar and will be displayed on web site – <http://www.afmc.nic.in>. Candidates who qualify for interview will also find the call letters for the interview once they log into their account. The college/ DGAFMS however takes no responsibility for any error or omission in the roll numbers published in the newspapers/ displayed on web site.

INTERVIEW OF SELECTED CANDIDATES

23. (a) On the basis of their performance in the written examination selected candidates in order of roll numbers will be called for an interview to be held in the month of June at AFMC, Pune. Selected candidates only will be informed by telegram/ telephone and registered letter by office of the DGAFMS, New Delhi. Correct address and telephone number in the application form is therefore essential.

(b) Results of candidates who have qualified for interview will be available online on the website <http://www.afmc.nic.in>. The results will also be displayed at the admission cell of AFMC, Pune and O/o DGAFMS. Every candidate who has qualified for the interview can view his status by logging in to his registered account and will also be notified by an e-mail. No inquiries on telephone/fax regarding results will be entertained by office of DGAFMS New Delhi or AFMC Pune.

24. The exact date and time of the interview at AFMC Pune will be intimated to selected candidates and will also be intimated by e-mail. Request for change of date of interview will **NOT** be entertained except under extreme circumstances. The candidates will be required to produce originals of all certificates/marks sheets and admit card (hall ticket) at the time of interview at AFMC. All candidates will produce result or proof of having appeared in the qualifying examination held before 30 Apr 2012 at the time of interview (if the result of such examination has not been declared). However, original mark sheet & pass certificate of qualifying examination will have to be produced in original prior to admission.

25. On the basis of the above test and interview two merit lists, one for boys and one for girls, will be drawn up and admissions will be offered only to candidates on these merit lists in accordance with their merit position. Individual call letters of admission will be sent by post only to selected candidates who would be required to join AFMC. The remaining candidates will be on the waiting list. The result will be published by the O/o DGAFMS and displayed on web site stated in Para 23(b), O/o DGAFMS and Admission cell of AFMC Pune. These candidates who have been selected will also be intimated about their status in their login id/ by email/ by call letters which will be sent to their registered postal address.

26. If a candidate does not receive a letter calling him/her up for examination/interview or having taken the examination/interview, for joining the College, he/she can check up his/her position in the merit list from the list displayed in the office of the DGAFMS and the Admission cell of AFMC Pune. No representation for non-selection will be entertained. No correspondence on the subject will be entertained.

SC/ST CANDIDATES

27. The following procedure will be followed for admission of SC/ST candidates against the reserved seats:-

(a) The SC/ST candidates must qualify in the written examination and come within the zone to be called up for interview.

(b) They must come **within the first 500 in the final combined merit list of boys and girls.**

(c) They must fulfill all other conditions/standards in so far as age, academic qualification, medical fitness, and so on is concerned as applicable to non SC/ST candidates.

(d) These reserved seats will be in addition to any vacancies secured by SC/ST candidates on the basis of their position in the merit lists.

(e) If any SC/ST girls/boys are admitted against reserved vacancies the number of girls/boys to be admitted against the general seats will be reduced correspondingly.

(f) All such candidates will have to sign a surety bond on the same lines and on the same conditions as other candidates.

ADMISSION PROCESS

28. **Document Scrutiny:** The candidates called for admission will have to produce the original mark sheets of their qualifying examination and other documents, details of which will be given in the joining instructions handed over to the candidates at the time of interview. If their results and mark sheets are not received by the date of reporting for admission to AFMC, their candidature will be cancelled and no representation in this respect will be entertained. No candidate will be admitted provisionally awaiting result of the qualifying examination. If at any point of time in the process of examination, selection, admission, or studies the documents of the candidate are found to be false/not authentic or any other discrepancy is observed, the candidature/selection/admission of the candidate will be cancelled forthwith.

29. Vacancies remaining, due to failure of selected candidates to report for admission by the due date will be filled by candidates from the waiting list in order of merit. The waiting list candidates will be called in blocks and allotted seats in order of merit from amongst the candidates called for admission. Candidates reporting in excess to the number of available vacancies, on the date of reporting, will be advised to report every day, thereafter, at 0900hr for any vacancy arising till the completion of admission process. Any vacancy arising, till the closure of Admission process, will be filled up the next day. Hence, candidates are advised to stay at AFMC, Pune till the completion of admission process i.e. till all 105 boys and 25 girls vacancies are filled up. Those in the waiting list should keep certificates, Bond and fees ready with themselves to move at short notice on receipt of *telephonic intimation*, letter or telegram. DGAFMS/College will not be responsible for delay in receipt or non receipt of communication sent by post.

30. No intimation about non selection or correspondence in this regard will be entertained. No seats will be kept vacant for candidates higher in merit in waiting list if they fail to report on the date on which they have been called for reporting.

31. Candidates MUST preserve the admit cards (*hall tickets*) till the admission to AFMC is over. The admit card will be required at the time of written examination, interview and final admission to college.

32. **Medical Examination:** All candidates will be subjected to medical examination as per the requirement of the Armed Forces and as per the laid down standards. There is no provision

for declaring a candidate temporarily unfit. The final authority for deciding medical fitness to the MBBS Course is the Commandant AFMC. Medical Examination report by civilian doctors will not be accepted.

RECHECKING/REVALUATION OF ANSWER SHEETS

33. There will be no rechecking/revaluation of answer sheets.

LEGAL JURISDICTION

34. All disputes pertaining to the application process, conduct of examination and admission to the college shall fall within the jurisdiction of Pune/ Maharashtra only.

FACILITIES PROVIDED TO THE MEDICAL CADETS

35. **Hostel Facility:** The College is fully residential and residence in the hostel is compulsory for all medical cadets with service liability. Separate boys and girls hostels are located in the college campus. The hostel accommodation is free of charge for service liability candidates.

36. If a medical cadet is removed from service liability on account of being found medically unfit for commission or on disciplinary/academic grounds he/she will have to make his/her own arrangements for stay.

37. **Messing Facility:** All medical cadets residing in the hostel are required to join the Mess attached to the hostel. Vegetarian and non-vegetarian food is served in the cadets' mess for boy and girl medical cadets.

SPECIAL CONCESSIONS

38. The government provides the following concessions to service liability candidate (male and female):-

- (a) Entitled rations as authorised and subsidised messing arrangements.
- (b) Free hostel accommodation and allied services.
- (c) AC-3 Tier railway warrant for journey during term vacation from college to home and back.
- (d) First Class/AC2 Tier rail journey on railway warrant after being commissioned.
- (e) A subsidy of ₹.12000/- per medical cadet for purchase of books and equipment during the entire training period. Amount will be issued proportionately during I, II and III MBBS.
- (f) Uniform allowance – ₹. 6000/- per medical cadet during first year and ₹.1250/- per year as maintenance allowance in subsequent years.
- (g) Hair Cutting/Hair Cleaning Allowance of ₹. 100/- per month per medical cadet.
- (h) Stationery allowance.
- (j) Washing allowance.

(k) All AFMC cadets are provided Insurance /Disability benefits by Army Group Insurance fund on payment of ₹ 5950/- as a one-time non-refundable premium. Additional premium for every relegated term of six months is ₹ 755/-. Insurance cover is ₹ 8,00,000/-for death and ₹ 4,00,000/- for 100% disability proportionately reduced to ₹ 80,000/- for 20% disability. Further details regarding terms and conditions are available with the Admission Cell AFMC. The scheme is compulsory for all cadets.

Note: - The above concessions / facilities are subject to amendment without notice as per Govt orders issued from time to time.

DISCIPLINE

39. The Armed Forces Medical College is a Defence Services institution. Every medical cadet is, therefore, required to conduct himself/herself in a disciplined and befitting manner. Medical cadets are required to be properly dressed at all times and be punctilious in paying compliments to the members of the staff.

40. The conduct of the medical cadets during the period of stay in the college will be governed by the Code of Conduct prescribed, a copy of which will be made available to all medical cadets on admission to the college.

41. Breach of discipline and failure to abide with the rules and regulations of the college, hostel, or mess will render a medical cadet to disciplinary action including being struck off the college rolls/expulsion from the college.

42. Medical cadets are required to be punctual and regular in attending classes and shall appear at all tests and examinations. If medical cadet's attendance falls below 75% or if his/her academic performance is not up to the required standard, he/she will be detained. Medical cadets are fined for being absent from classes.

43. **Ragging**. As per Hon'ble Supreme Court order dated 16 May 2007 and as per the policy of MUHS and this College **Ragging in any form is strictly prohibited**. Ragging adversely impacts standards of higher education and shows a lack of human values Any person who indulges in ragging shall be dealt with severely as per the laid down instructions on the subject. Anti ragging squads and identified persons will ensure that no ragging goes on in the premises of the College. If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given liberty to explain and if his explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him from the institution. Refer Medical Council of India letter No MCI-34(I)/2009-Med/54880 dated 27 March 2009. An annual undertaking signed by each student, and his/her parent(s) jointly stating that each of them have read the relevant instructions/regulations against ragging as well as punishments and that if the ward has been found guilty he/she shall be proceeded against, shall be procured. Such an undertaking shall be furnished in English as well as in vernacular (Mother tongue of the person) at the time of admission.

HEALTH & RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

44. Medical cadets are required to participate in games, sports and gymnastics. Facilities for sports such as cricket, tennis, squash, hockey, football, volleyball, basketball, handball, table tennis and gymnastics are provided free of cost. Facilities for aquatics also exist on nominal payment.

(a) There is an open air cinema, membership for which is compulsory. Hindi and English films are screened.

(b) Medical cadets with service liability are entitled to free outpatient/inpatient/dental treatment at all times in any service hospital/dental centre to the extent of medical

facilities available locally. Periodical medical examination/medical board considered necessary will also be carried out free of cost.

(c) All medical cadets are required to undergo an annual medical examination.

45. **Vacations:** Medical cadets will be given vacations as per university curriculum, generally as under:-

- (a) Summer Approx. 2 weeks in Apr/May
- (b) Autumn Approx. 2 weeks in Oct/Nov

46. Fees and other charges payable by medical cadets is given in the joining instructions to be provided at the time of interview.

CAREER PROSPECTS

47. On successful completion of MBBS Course from AFMC the medical cadets join the Armed Forces Medical Services as Commissioned Officers in one of the three services, viz. Army, Navy and Air Force. The first three promotions are time scale promotions as under (subject to satisfactory service and fitness for higher rank):-

- (a) Lieutenant (Lt) on joining (during internship).
- (b) To the rank of Captain on completion of internship.
- (c) To the rank of Major after 4 years of service as Captain.
- (d) To the rank of Lt Col after 11 years of service as Captain.
- (e) To the rank of Colonel and above by selection.

48. The officers after completion of 4 years of service as Captain are entitled to selection for Post-Graduation (PG)/ DNB qualification through a central PG examination. In the Armed Forces all specialties and sub-specialties are available. The officers on completion of a stipulated mandatory period of service are also entitled to proceed on 02/03 yrs study leave with full pay for advanced training in India or abroad as per service requirements.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION & SUBMISSION OF THE ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

49. Steps to fill up Online Application:

METHOD – I (Will be available till from 06 February 2012 till 05 March 2012)

(In this method DO NOT send any document to AFMC by post)

Step A – REGISTRATION AND LOGIN

(a) Create your Login and Password – On the website <http://www.afmc.nic.in> click the AFMC MBBS Entrance Examination -2012 link.

(b) If you are a new applicant, please register yourself by clicking on the “**NEW APPLICANT - CLICK HERE TO REGISTER**” link. You shall be redirected to a new page where you will have to enter your Name (First Name, Middle Name, Last Name (as mentioned in your Class X/SSLC/Higher Secondary/CBSE certificate), valid E-mail id, Landline No., Mobile no., Qualifying exam, Date of Birth (as mentioned in your Class X/SSLC/Higher Secondary/CBSE certificate). Enter the letters in the image correctly.

Note: You can use your e-mail id ONLY once to register. If you have wrongly submitted the form, you will not be able to register again with the same e-mail id.

(c) A password shall be generated when you click submit which will be sent to your registered e-mail id.

- (d) You will have to open your registered email and use this password to login. On login however you will have to create a new password for yourself. This password will be of minimum 8 characters with minimum of two characters in Capital, with two special characters and two numerals.
- (e) Applicants can login to their account by entering the login name i.e. e-mail id and new login password.

Step B – FILLING OF FORM ONLINE AND GENERATION OF CHALLAN

- (a) Once you have logged into your account, you will have fill up your relevant details. You may save your data regularly. Fill up your application form deliberately and with caution. All fields marked with a red star (*) are mandatory. Please keep the following ready before you attempt to fill up your application form.
- (i) Recent colour digital passport size photograph (in .jpeg format ONLY). The photograph must indicate clearly the name of the candidate along with the date of taking the photograph. It should be without cap or goggles. Spectacles are allowed. Polaroid and computer generated photographs are not acceptable. Photograph of the candidate should **NOT BE ATTESTED**. Candidates not complying with these instructions or with unclear photograph are liable to be rejected. **Candidates must keep 8-10 identical photographs ready in reserve for use on the Admit Card of entrance examination/ Interview / Admission.**
- (ii) Scanned copy of your signature (in .jpeg format ONLY). Candidates should ensure that they have uploaded the correct signature only. Any request for a change of the signature that has been submitted once will not be accepted.
- (b) Fill your father / mother name correctly.
- (c) Fill up your correct and complete postal address along with the Pin code as applicable. AFMC Pune will not be responsible for any communication that has been sent to a wrong address provided by the candidate.
- (d) You will have to fill three choices for the centre. The choices shall be on a dropdown list along with the centre codes. The centres will be allotted on a first come first serve basis only. If you do not fill up any of the drop down boxes you shall not be able to submit the form to AFMC.
- (e) You will be able to download the challan for payment of the application form only once you complete filling your postal address. You will have to print this challan form containing the “bank copy”, the “student copy”. The downloaded challan form will have your name and unique registration number mentioned on it along with your date of birth and mobile number. Sample challan form is placed at “Appendix C”
- (f) Check thoroughly whether you have filled all your relevant details correctly. Click on preview button. You will be able to see the completed form. Please double check whether you have filled up all details correctly. When sure, ONLY THEN you may hit the submit button. **Please ensure correctness of competed form before submission. Once you have submitted the form it cannot be edited any further.**
- (g) A pdf copy of the completed form shall be generated which shall always be available for downloading and printing in your login account.

Step C - PAYMENT

(a) Visit your nearest SBI Bank branch on the next day i.e. on the day after registration. For example: If you have registered on the website on 15 Feb 2012, you should visit your nearest SBI bank branch on 16 Feb 2012, to make the payment of ₹.280/- (Application + Bank charges).

Note: The last date for online application is 05 March and the last date for depositing the challan at any SBI bank branch will be 06 March 2012.

(b) AT THE BANK :- Carry the printout of the challan to your nearest branch of State Bank of India. The window clerk shall verify your details from the challan and then enter your payment. A journal number will be generated by the bank and this will be written/ stamped on both copies of the bank challan. The bank shall retain the bank copy while candidate shall be given the student copy.

(c) Ensure that the journal number is written on the student copy along with the seal of the bank. (Please keep a copy of this safely as this will be your proof for having paid the application charges and bank fees)

Step D- STATUS CHECK

(a) Your application may be accepted or rejected. You will be able to do your status check any time by logging in to your login account at any time. The status of your application will be available online once you have submitted your application.

(b) Your status will be communicated to you within 15 days of the last date for submission of the application forms.

METHOD – II (Will be available till from 28 February 2012 till 05 March 2012)

(This method is meant ONLY for candidates who find it difficult to upload photograph and signature. They will be able to send the downloaded application form by post to AFMC Pune)

(a) **In this method, the applicant will follow METHOD – I, however he/she will not have to upload photo and signature. A pdf copy of the completed form can be generated, downloaded and printed.**

(b) The applicant will have to paste his/her photograph (as per specifications in para 49 - STEP B (a) (i)) of size 4.5 x 3.5cms, sign at the relevant place and then send the completed form physically to AFMC Pune. Note: Any application received at AFMC by this method without the mandatory photograph and signature will be rejected.

(c) The last date of acceptance of such applications to be received by post only at AFMC Pune, Admission cell will be 12 Mar 2012 (1700 h). The candidate should send it at the address given below. Application form through couriers will not be accepted.

**AFMC MBBS Entrance Examination – 2012 (METHOD – II)
OIC Admission Cell
Armed Forces Medical College
Wanowarie – Post office
Sholapur Road, Pune - 411001**

50. The candidate before filling up the Application Form shall satisfy his/her eligibility to appear in the examination. The candidate is required to go through the prospectus carefully and

acquaint himself/herself with all requirements with regard to the filling in of the application form and other documents.

51. Candidates are advised to keep a printed copy of their completed application form for their record and future reference.

52. Refunds of application fees for any reason will NOT be entertained. Request for any addition or alteration in the application form or any other document once submitted will NOT be entertained.

53. **Last date for submission of form online by both methods will be 05 March 2012. Last date for receipt of application form submitted by Method II at AFMC will be 12 Mar 2012 (1700h).**

54. **The name must be entered in exactly the same fashion in the Application Form as mentioned in the mark sheet of qualifying examination. Any variation is liable for rejection of the application and candidature at any time of the admission process.**

55. Every online registration will generate a registration number. This number is vital as this number is to be quoted in case of all future correspondence. Candidates must remember their registration number. **After receipt of admit card the Roll Number can also be quoted as a reference.** The same may please be noted for future correspondence/reference.

56. **Choice of Written Examination Centres:** Please see the list of written exam centres in **Appendix 'B'**. The candidates will be allotted their centres and venues according to their choice on a first come first serve basis. When the available seats of a centre are full, the candidate shall be allotted his/her second choice and in case even that is full the third choice shall be allotted. In the eventuality of all the chosen centres being full, then the candidate will be given a centre based on availability and geographically nearest to his given address.

57. **Citizenship:** The candidate is required to indicate the citizenship correctly.

58. **Category:** The candidates who select the SC/ST category will be required to produce, at the time of interview, a certificate that they belong to SC/ST category as per Central Government List only.

59. **Qualifying examination:** The candidate is required to indicate the qualifying examination on the basis of which he or she is seeking admission to AFMC and whether he/she is appearing for 10+2 or its equivalent examination or has already passed this exam and is seeking admission on the basis of this qualification. The candidate seeking admission on the basis of having passed B.Sc. or appearing in B.Sc. final indicate the same.

60. The candidate is required to indicate in the online application whether his/her father/mother is/was in defence services. Documentary proof of the parent serving/having served in the Armed forces is required to be produced, if selected, at the time of interview.

61. **Date of Birth:** Indicating the correct date of birth is mandatory. Date of birth will be as per the record available in the Class X/ SSLC/Higher Secondary/CBSE certificate only. Mentioning incorrect date of birth will be a cause for rejection of candidature, if the same is found out at any stage of the examination/admission process.

62. **Admit Card:** Candidates will have to download the same in duplicate. One copy will be retained at the Examination centre. The admit card will be available ONLINE and can be downloaded from your registered account in the month of April 2012. The exact dates will be intimated on the AFMC website www.afmc.nic.in.

63. The Admit cards will contain the Roll Number allotted to the candidate and details of examination centre (including the address) and the photograph submitted by the candidate. The candidate will have to ensure the following before proceeding to the examination centre:-

- (a) Paste another of his/ her passport size photograph over the box provided for the purpose (similar to the one submitted in the application). The photograph will be pasted with gum/ fevicol and **WILL BE ATTESTED** by School/College Principal/ Tehsildar/ Gazetted Officer. The attestation on this photograph should not cover the face of the candidate.
- (b) The candidate will also get the admit cards signed by the parent/guardian.
- (c) The photo and candidature will be verified by School/College Principal/ Tehsildar/ Gazetted officer in duplicate. If the candidate has difficulty in downloading the admit card, he will contact the admission cell at AFMC Pune for further directions.

64. Application form received after last due date of submission i.e. **12 Mar 2012 (1700h) will be rejected without any intimation.** No request for refund of payment will be entertained.

REJECTION OF APPLICATION FORM AND INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES FOR THE WRITTEN EXAMINATION:-

65. (a) Admit card issued by AFMC Pune, (downloaded from the internet) duly signed at all places and attested must be shown to the officer supervising the examination at the centre. A candidate without, the valid admit card with attached photographs and mandatory verifications will be debarred from appearing in the examination. This card should be preserved carefully for presentation at the time of interview and admission also.
- (b) You should report to the officer-in-charge Examination Centre prior to commencement of exam at **09.00 AM on 06 May 2012. Examination commences at 10.00 AM.**
- (c) Only one blank answer sheet will be supplied
- (d) The duration of written examination will be 2 hours.
- (e) Violation of any instruction and adoption of any unfair means in the examination shall render a candidate liable for cancellation of his/her script and forfeiture of his/her claim for admission. Decision of the local officer-in-charge of the examination centre shall be final.
- (f) The candidate should bring along BLACK PEN with them.
- (g) Use of calculator, log table, PDA, Bluetooth and mobile phone is NOT permitted.
- (h) Before answering, please read the instructions on the answer sheet carefully.

CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION

66. Any candidate, during the whole process of admission or subsequently after admission, if found to be having less marks in the qualifying examination or produces false certificates or suppresses any disease to get admission, his/ her admission will be treated as cancelled and fees/ deposit will be forfeited.

INTIMATION OF RESULT/SENDING OF DOCUMENTS

67. Please do not send any testimonials or copies of mark sheet or result to AFMC Pune. The original certificates and documents would be required and checked at the time of interview and admission only.

MEDICAL FITNESS AND MEDICAL STANDARDS

68. All the medical cadets admitted to AFMC for MBBS Course have service liability to serve in the Armed Forces Medical Services after completing the course. The Armed Forces have prescribed medical standards and fitness criteria for deciding medical fitness of candidate for grant of commission. All candidates will be examined as per standards applicable for commission in the Armed Forces.

69. The Medical Boards will be held as per the instructions of the Office of DGAFMS.

70. The candidates called for admission will be first subjected to a pre-admission Medical Board constituted by the Commandant AFMC. The candidate found unfit by this Medical Board will have the option for Appeal Medical Board constituted by the Commandant AFMC. If he/she wishes to appeal, he/she should apply to the Commandant, AFMC, Pune **within 48 hr of the Initial Medical Board (excluding holidays/Sundays)**. The decision of the Appeal Medical Board will be final. There is no provision for medical examination/board of any other nature after a candidate has been declared unfit by the Appeal Medical Board.

71. There is no provision for declaring a candidate temporary unfit. Candidates finally declared unfit, will not be considered again and the seat will be offered to the next candidate in waiting list. No seat will be kept pending on account of the candidate wishing to undergo treatment (Medical/Surgical) for a disease/disability for which he/she is made unfit.

72. There is no provision of any medical board being held in civil/private hospital. Fitness of the candidates is decided as per the medical fitness standards and criteria prescribed for commission in the Army Medical Corps and decision of **Commandant AFMC** will be final in this regard.

CORRESPONDENCE

73. Please do not undertake unnecessary correspondence or make unnecessary enquiry.

74. All correspondence including telegrams will be addressed to the Officer- in- charge Admission Cell c/o- AFMC Pune 411040- with following particulars:-

- (a) Full name with father's name and address.
- (b) *Date of Birth of applicant*
- (c) *E-mail id*
- (d) *Registration number.*
- (e) Roll number - once allotted.
- (f) Tele No/Mobile No

75. Telephone enquiry, if any, can be made during working hours (8.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. except Sundays and Holidays) on following telephone numbers:-

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| (a) | Admission Cell, AFMC Pune | - | 020-26334209 |
| (b) | Brig Adm, AFMC Pune | - | 020- 26333572 |

MEDICAL STANDARDS

1. To be declared fit for admission, the candidate must be in good physical and mental health and free from any disability likely to interfere with the efficient performance of duty in the Armed Forces.

2. Medical Examination will be carried out by a Board of Officers at AFMC Pune, prior to admission to the College. Medical Board will categorize the candidates as Fit and Unfit, in accordance with the prescribed standards. Candidates declared Unfit are entitled to appeal on payment of a fee of Rs. 40/-. The procedure will be intimated to the concerned candidates by the President of the Medical Board.

3. Medical fitness for admission to MBBS Course at AFMC will be decided by the Medical Board as per Para 2 above. However, the following few important physical requirements are being indicated for guidance of the candidates. The candidates in their own interest may get themselves medically examined to avoid any disappointment later on:-

(a) They should be free from serious deformity and mal-developments. There should be no scoliosis, spina bifida and other skeletal deformities apparent or on clinical examination.

(b) There should be no impediment of speech.

(c) There should be no sign of functional/organic disease of the heart and blood vessels.

(d) There should be no evidence of pulmonary tuberculosis or previous history of this disease or any other chronic disease of the lungs.

NOTE – X-ray chest will be taken for this purpose.

(e) There should be no evidence of any disease of the digestive system, including any abnormality of the liver and spleen. Ultra-sound exam of the abdomen will be done.

(f) There should be no inguinal hernia or tendency thereto, hydrocoele or definite varicocoele or any other disease or defect of the genital organs. Candidates who have been operated for hernia may be declared medically fit provided:-

(i) One year has elapsed since operation. Documentary proof to this effect is to be provided by the candidates.

(ii) General tone of the abdominal musculature is good.

(iii) There has been no recurrence of the hernia or any complication concerned with the operation.

(g) There is no fistula or evidence of piles.

(h) There is no disease of the kidneys, including glycosuria or albuminuria.

(j) There is no disease of the skin.

(k) There is no active, latent or congenital STD or HIV

(l) There is no history of epilepsy and any mental and psychiatric disorder.

(m) There is no squint or any other morbid condition of the eye and eyelids.

(n) There is no active trachoma or its complications.

(o) There are no enlarged glands (Lymph nodes) in the neck and other parts of the body.

(p) The height and weight requirements will depend upon the age, body build and racial characteristics as per standards laid down for Armed Forces.

(i) **Girls standards:** In case of female candidates, minimum height of 144 cms and minimum weight of 36 Kgs is essential.

(ii) **Boys standards:** The male candidates with height below 157.5 cms (152.5 cms for Gorkhas, Nepalese, Assamese and Garhwali) and weight below 47 kgs will not be accepted irrespective of age and other factors.

(iii) Overweight and obese candidates as per Height/Age/Weight standards for the Armed Forces will be declared unfit.

- (q) There should be a minimum 5 cms range of chest expansion.
- (r) Minimum of 14 dental points are essential and candidates should be free from severe pyorrhea and advanced caries.
- (s) There should be no ear discharge and no perforation of the eardrum/nasal septum. There should also be no hard wax in the ear canal, obstructing the view of the ear drum.
- (t) Visual Standards:

Ser No:		Better eye	Worse Eye
(i)	Distant Vision/(Corrected)	6/6	6/18
(ii)	Near Vision (Corrected)	N5	N8
(iii)	Myopia of not more than	– 3.5 D in any one meridian	
(iv)	Hypermetropia of not more than	+ 3.5 D in any one meridian. Including astigmatism	

NOTES:-

- aa. Fundus and Media to be healthy and within normal limits.
- ab. No undue degenerative signs of vitreous or chorio – retinitis to be present, suggesting progressive myopia.
- ac. Minimum colour vision standard should be CP-3(Defective Safe).
- ad. Should have good binocular vision, fusion faculty and full field of vision in both eyes.
- ae. There should be no organic disease likely to exacerbations or deterioration.
- af. Candidates who have undergone lasik surgery will be governed as per provisions of DGAFMS /departmental instructions from time to time. Lasik/PRK for correction of vision is permitted only for candidates of age 20 years and above and even among them a period of 06 months should have elapsed after the procedure.

(u) Hearing Standard: Hearing will be tested by speech test, if required audiometric records will also be taken.

- (i) **Speech Test**: The candidate should be able to hear a forced whisper with each ear separately, standing with his/her back to the examiner at a distance of 20 feet in a reasonably quiet room. The examiner should whisper with the residual air, that is to say, at the end of an ordinary expiration.
- (ii) **Audiometric record**: The candidates should have no loss of hearing in either ear at frequencies of 128 to 4.096 cycles per second (Audiometry reading between plus 10 and minus 10).

4. The Medical Board will be guided by departmental instructions issued from time to time. The above guidelines are for the information of candidates only.

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LIST OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION CENTRES AND THEIR CODE NUMBERS

<u>CENTRE NAME</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>ALPHABETIC CODE</u>	<u>NUMERIC CODE</u>
AGRA	UTTAR PRADESH	AGU	1
AHMEDABAD	GUJARAT	AHG	2
AHMEDNAGAR	MAHARASHTRA	AHM	3
ALLAHABAD	UTTAR PRADESH	ALU	4
AMBALA	HARYANA	AMH	5
AURANGABAD	MAHARASHTRA	AUM	6
BAGDOGRA	WEST BENGAL	BAW	7
BANGALORE	KARNATAKA	BNK	8
BAREILLY	UTTAR PRADESH	BYU	9
BATHINDA	PUNJAB	BTP	10
BELGAUM	KARNATAKA	BMK	11
BHOPAL	MADHYA PRADESH	BPM	12
CHANDIGARH	UNION TERRITORY	CHU	13
CHENNAI	TAMIL NADU	CHT	14
CHILKA	ODISHA	CLO	15
COCHIN	KERALA	COK	16
COIMBATORE	TAMIL NADU	CBT	17
DANAPUR	BIHAR	DAB	18
DEHRADUN	UTTARANCHAL	DEU	19
DELHI	DELHI	DEL	20
DEVLALI	MAHARASHTRA	DVM	21
GAYA	BIHAR	GAB	22
GOLCONDA	ANDHRA PRADESH	GLA	23
GORAKHPUR	UTTAR PRADESH	GKU	24
GUWAHATI	ASSAM	GWA	25
GWALIOR	MADHYA PRADESH	GWM	26
JABALPUR	MADHYA PRADESH	JBM	27
JAIPUR	RAJASTHAN	JPR	28
JALANDHAR	PUNJAB	JLP	29
JAMMU	JAMMU & KASHMIR	JJK	30
JHANSI	UTTAR PRADESH	JHU	31
JODHPUR	RAJASTHAN	JOR	32
KAMPTEE	MAHARASHTRA	KTM	33
KANPUR	UTTAR PRADESH	KAU	34
KOLKATA	WEST BENGAL	KOW	35
LUCKNOW	UTTAR PRADESH	LKU	36
MEERUT	UTTAR PRADESH	MEU	37
MHOW	MADHYA PRADESH	MHM	38
MUMBAI	MAHARASHTRA	MBM	39
NASIRABAD	RAJASTHAN	NSR	40
PATHANKOT	PUNJAB	PTP	41
PORT BLAIR	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	PBA	42
PUNE	MAHARASHTRA	PUM	43
RAMGARH	JHARKHAND	RGJ	44
RANCHI	JHARKHAND	RNJ	45
SECUNDERABAD	ANDHRA PRADESH	SEA	46
SHILLONG	MEGHALAYA	SLM	47
TEZPUR	ASSAM	TZA	48
THIRUVANTHAPURAM	KERALA	THK	49
UDHAMPUR	JAMMU & KASHMIR	UJK	50
VADODARA	GUJARAT	VDG	51
VARANASI	UTTAR PRADESH	VSU	52
VASCO-DA-GAMA	GOA	VCG	53
VISAKHAPATANAM	ANDHRA PRADESH	VPA	54
YOL	HIMACHAL PRADESH	YOH	55

Note: Candidates are advised to fill in the centre choices carefully. No requests for change in centre once allotted will be entertained.

APPENDIX 'C'
(Refers to Para 49 Step B (e))
CANDIDATE COPY

BANK COPY

CASH
VOUCHER



**CASH CAN BE TENDERED AT ANY
SBI BRANCH**

AFMC 2012-Application Fee Payment
Challan

Use CBS Screen No.:	8888
FEE Type:	000023
Registration ID/Ref. No.:	64
Date of Birth:	01011991

**Challan can be deposited one day after
the generation of challan.**

Name of the Candidate:	Rajesh Anand Gupta
Address for Correspondence:	HOUSE NO: 44/6, NALCO COLONY, PERAMBUR Chennai TAMIL NADU- 662827
Mobile No.:	9898982327
Landline No.:	01123324232
Email ID:	ragupta@gmail.com
Category:	General
Amount:	Exam Fees Rs. 280
Total Amount in words:	Two Hundred Eighty Only

Signature of the Candidate

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Stamp & Signature
(Authorized Signatory)

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Landline No.:	01123324232
Email ID:	ragupta@gmail.com
Category:	General
Amount:	Exam Fees Rs. 280
Total Amount in words:	Two Hundred Eighty Only

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Address for Correspondence

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| (a) Postal Address: | | Officer-in-Charge, Admission Cell
Armed Forces Medical College,
Sholapur Road,
Pune – 411 040 |
| (b) Telegraphic Address: | | FORCMEDCOL, PUNE |
| (c) Telephone: | IVRS | 020-26334223
020-26334230 |
| | Admission Cell | 020 – 26334209 |
| | Brig Administration
(UG) Office | 020 - 26333572 |
| (d) Fax No: | | 020 –26334236 |
| (e) Web site | | http://www.afmc.nic.in |

Controlling Authority

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| (a) Postal Address: | Director General, Armed Forces Medical Services
(DG-1D)
'M' Block, Ministry of Defence,
New Delhi – 110 001 |
| (b) Telegraphic Address: | DGMEDFORCES
New Delhi |
| (c) Telephone: | 011 – 23092562/ 23092992/ 23092349 |
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