



अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी मेडिकल यूनिवर्सिटी, उत्तर प्रदेश Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical University, Uttar Pradesh

Online Counselling for Common Nursing Entrance Test (CNET)
for Admission in

Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing Course (2 Years)

Academic Session 2026-27

COUNSELLING GUIDELINES & INFORMATION BULLETIN

Schedule for Online Counselling and Admission Process

Round 1 of Counselling and Admission Process

S.No.	Procedure	Date (Day)	Time
1	Start of Registration for Online Counselling & Choice Filling	07.07.2026 (Tuesday)	
2	End of Registration for Online Counselling & Choice Filling	12.07.2026 (Sunday)	11:59 PM
3	Announcement of Seat Allocation	15.07.2026 (Wednesday)	
4	Acceptance of Seat Allocation & Reporting at College for Admission Process	16.07.2026 (Thursday) to 21.07.2026 (Tuesday)	
5	End of Reporting at College for Admission Process	21.07.2026 (Tuesday)	06:00 PM

Mop up Round of Counselling and Admission Process

S.No.	Procedure	Date (Day)	Time
1	Display of Seat Matrix for Mop up Round	25.07.2026 (Saturday)	
2	Start of online Resignation of allotted Seat in Round 1 from Candidate login	25.07.2026 (Saturday)	10:00 AM

S.No.	Procedure	Date (Day)	Time
3	End of online Resignation of allotted Seat in Round 1 from Candidate login	28.07.2026 (Tuesday)	06:00 PM
4	Display of Post Resignation Seat Matrix and Start of Registration for Online Counselling & Choice Filling	29.07.2026 (Wednesday)	
5	End of Registration for Online Counselling & Choice Filling	01.08.2026 (Saturday)	11:59 PM
6	Announcement of Seat Allocation	02.08.2026 (Sunday)	
7	Acceptance of Seat Allocation & Reporting at College for Admission Process	02.08.2026 (Sunday) to 06.08.2026 (Thursday)	
8	End of Reporting at College for Admission Process	06.08.2026 (Thursday)	06:00 PM

***During Counselling and Admission process all College offices shall remain open on all days including holidays.**

Start of Academic Session from 1st August 2026

Note: Stray round of Counselling will be scheduled in case of vacant seats after Mop up Round.

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Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical University, Uttar Pradesh has conducted Common Nursing Entrance Test (CNET) 2026 on **06-06-2026** for admission to Post Basic BSc. Nursing course (2 years) for academic session 2026-27. The result for the same was declared on **13-06-2026** for admission to All Government and Private Nursing colleges Affiliated to ABVMU, UP.

Eligibility Criteria for Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing 2 year Course

Age: - Minimum age for admission is 17 years on or before 31st December 2026.

Minimum qualifications for admission are as per INC Regulation: -

1. Candidates should have passed Higher Secondary or Senior Secondary or Intermediate (12th Standard examination) or (10+2) or an equivalent exam recognized by the University for this purpose. Those who have done 10+1 in or before 1986 will be eligible for admission.
2. Obtained a certificate in General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) and registered as R.N.R.M. with the State Nurses Registration Council of Uttar Pradesh (UP Nurses and Midwives Council).
3. A male nurse, trained before the implementation of the new integrated course besides being registered as a nurse with State Nurses Registration Council, shall produce evidence of training approved by Indian Nursing Council for a similar duration in lieu of midwifery in any one of the following areas:
 - a. O.T. Techniques
 - b. Ophthalmic Nursing
 - c. Leprosy Nursing
 - d. TB Nursing
 - e. Psychiatric Nursing
 - f. Neurological and Neurosurgical Nursing
 - g. Community Health Nursing
 - h. Cancer Nursing
 - i. Orthopaedic Nursing
4. Colour blind candidates are eligible provided that colour corrective contact lens and spectacles are worn by such candidates.
5. The selection of candidates will be subject to medical fitness. No selected candidate will be permitted to join the course unless declared medically fit by the Medical Board constituted by the Government Medical College or the District CMO.
6. Married candidates are also eligible for admission.

Very Important Note:

Candidates are advised to

- **Check the College credentials, fee details, hostel and transport facilities etc. from the Seat matrix as well as verify from the College.**
- **Verify the Indian Nursing Council (INC) recognition of the Institution.**

<https://online.indiannursingcouncil.org/Reports/YearlyReportByState.aspx>

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. The eligible candidates will have to register themselves on the online portal for Counselling and seat allocation.
2. Online Registration for Counselling is to be done by candidate through the official website www.abvmuup.edu.in.
3. Candidate should register for Counselling on the portal using their **CNET 2026 Registration ID and Password (Same as used for filling the Application form)**.
4. Candidate has to pay INR 500/- as Counselling Registration Fee (**NON-Refundable**) and INR 5000/- as Counselling Security Fee through online mode. The candidates who do not pay both fees will not be considered for Counselling process.
5. After the Completion of all rounds of Counselling, the **admitted candidates** and those candidates who have **not been allotted** any seat will be refunded Counselling Security fee (INR 5000/-) **at the source account from which the payment was made**.
6. After seat allotment the candidate has to pay a **Seat Confirmation Fee of INR 40000/-** (Rs. Forty thousand only) through online mode/challan method to ABVMU, UP to confirm seat allotment. This amount will be transferred to the allotted college and adjusted against tuition fee after completion of all rounds of Counselling process.
7. After seat allotment, the candidate has to report in person to the allotted college for document verification and to complete the admission process. **Failing to report to the allotted college within the specified date and time will lead to forfeit of Counselling security fee (INR 5000/-)**. It is the responsibility of the candidate to carry the original certificates and one (01) set of Self-attested photocopy of Documents/Certificates for verification purpose. All admissions are provisional and can be cancelled at any time if any information is found to be wrong.
8. **After admission in the college if candidate does not resign from the seat during the resignation window i.e. from 25-07-2026 to 28-07-2026 up to 6.00 pm, his/her Seat confirmation fee Rs. 40000/- and counseling security fee Rs. 5000/- will be forfeited.**
9. After the seat allotment and acceptance in Mop up round, if any candidate is not taking admission in allotted college till the last date of reporting in the college, the allotted seat and security fee (INR 5000/-) and Seat Confirmation Fee of INR 40000/- will be forfeited.
10. **Original certificates and other fees are to be submitted ONLY at the start of the academic session.**
11. **At the time of document verification at the allotted college, the candidate should present all original and valid certificates/documents. Failure to do so will lead to cancellation of allotted seat.**

12. Candidates must be medically fit for persuasion of the course. The candidates who are issued allotment letter are required to submit certificate of medical fitness issued by Government Medical College/District Hospital/District CMO.
13. **For admission to Government Nursing colleges, the candidate must be a domicile of Uttar Pradesh (Candidate is having the Domicile Certificate of Uttar Pradesh issued from a competent authority OR candidate has passed 10th and 12th intermediate (10+2) BOTH board Examinations from Uttar Pradesh OR has passed GNM from recognized School/ College of Uttar Pradesh).**
14. **The selection of the candidates will be strictly based on the merit list and preference of the college given by the candidate.**
15. **No Direct Admission by any college will be permitted.**
16. Candidates are advised not to wait for last date and time to register and exercise options of seat/college choices to avoid last minute inconvenience.
17. **Candidates registered for Counselling have to fill their choices according to their preferences.** They are advised to fill as many choices as they want to increase the possibility of seat allotment for admission.
18. The decision of the Counselling Committee, ABVMUUP shall be final in the matter of selection of candidates for admission to the course and no appeal shall be entertained regarding this.
19. **In case of any legal dispute the jurisdiction will be at Judicature of Allahabad High Court at its Lucknow Bench only.**

Reservation Policy: -

1. Reservation as per the State Government under the reservation policy and within the sanctioned number of seats by Indian Nursing Council (INC) / State Government and not above it.
2. Any change in reservation policy will be followed as per the Uttar Pradesh State Government directives.
3. Reservation for disability (PwD): 5% Horizontal reservation will be considered for disabled candidates with **a disability of loco-motor to the tune of 40% to 50% of the lower extremity** and other eligibility criteria with regard to qualification will be same as prescribed for Unreserved (UR) category candidates. (The Gazette of India No. 275 dated 05th July 2021).

NOTE: PwD candidates taking admission has to be examined by a medical examination board constituted by the Government Medical Colleges/ Institutions with a Nursing Expert for verification of the disability of loco-motor to the tune of 40-50% of lower limb.

4. Caste Certificates issued **ONLY** by the competent authority (Tehsildar/SDM) of Uttar Pradesh Government are acceptable. **These certificates should be verifiable online through an official Government Portal/Website.**

5. EWS quota of 10% may be admissible as per directives of the U.P. Government from time to time. A valid certificate issued by competent authority (Tehsildar/SDM) of Uttar Pradesh Government shall be required for Counselling. **These certificates should be verifiable online through an official Government Portal/Website.**
6. Valid OBC Non creamy layer certificate issued only on or after 1st April 2026 will be acceptable.
7. Valid EWS certificate issued only on or after 1st April 2026 will be acceptable.
8. Dependent of Freedom Fighter certificate issued from District Magistrate will be acceptable.
9. Valid Ex Servicemen ward certificate issued from competent authority will be acceptable.
10. Valid NCC certificate “**C certificate with grade B**” issued by authorized battalion on prescribed format for NCC will be acceptable. **NCC ‘A’ and ‘B’ Certificate will not be considered for benefit of reservation under this sub-category.**

Note: -

- **For admission to Government Nursing colleges, the candidate must be a domicile of Uttar Pradesh (Candidate is having the Domicile certificate of Uttar Pradesh issued from a competent authority OR candidate has passed 10th and 12th intermediate (10+2) BOTH board Examinations from Uttar Pradesh OR has passed GNM from recognized School/ College of Uttar Pradesh).**
- **Reservation for Minority and any other Category Educational Institution will be as per Government of UP Norms/ directives.**
- **Only Indian citizens are eligible for admission.**

ROUND 1

Eligibility

All the candidates who have been listed as Qualified for Counselling in the result notification will be able to participate in the Counselling subject to fulfilling the eligibility criteria as prescribed in Examination Information Bulletin.

Registration Process

Online Registration for Counselling will be done by candidate through the official CNET 2026 website - www.abvmuup.edu.in. The registration process is as follows:

1. Eligible candidates will be able to register for Counselling through their existing login (**Same as used at the time of filling the Application form**). To login to the portal candidates should visit www.abvmuup.edu.in and log in using their **CNET 2026 Registration ID and Password**.
2. During registration, all primary information like Candidate Name, Father's Name, Mother's Name & Date of Birth (DOB), Category, Sub-category and Address will be automatically pre-filled as submitted by the candidate during CNET 2026 registration.
3. Candidates who had marked **Appearing** in the GNM examination during the **application process have to update the GNM marks**.
4. Candidates will also have to upload the
 - a. High school certificate (Class 10th) and
 - b. 12th Standard examination (10+2) Intermediate mark sheet/ statement of marks.
 - c. Passing certificate in General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM)
 - d. Registration certificate as R.N.R.M. with the State Nurses Registration Council.
5. Candidates will have to update their Domicile status of Uttar Pradesh state as (Yes/No), Minority status (Christian/Jain/Muslim/Not Applicable) details and upload the certificates for
 - a. Domicile status (if applicable)
 - b. Minority status (if applicable)
 - c. Category and/or Sub-category certificate (if applicable).
6. Candidate can also update their **Gender information if filled wrong in the form** at the time of filling the application form.
7. Candidate can update his/her Category (Present Category to UR only and Sub Category to Category only).
8. The candidate will have to deposit
 - a. INR 500/- as Counselling Registration Fee online (**Non-Refundable**) and
 - b. INR 5000/- as Counselling Security Fee

Both fees will be deposited online through a single payment of INR 5500/- (INR 500 + INR 5000).
9. After the successful registration candidate can proceed to the next step of selecting colleges as per their choice and save it.

Exercising of choices, Acceptance of Seat Allocation and Admission Process

1. The online seat allocation portal will allow the candidate to make choices of colleges and arrange them in desired order of preference. The candidate can make any number of choices and can edit and re-order the preferences within the date and time specified in schedule. **They are advised to fill as many choices as he/she wish to avoid rejection in seat allotment.**
2. The Counselling Portal will be opened for dates as per schedule. **The choices made by the candidate should be saved by the candidate before log-out.** Candidates can make changes in the saved preferences/choices as many times as he/she wish. The preferred choices will be automatically locked on the last Date and Time specified in the schedule.
3. Candidates should take a printout of their college choices after locking of college choices on the last Date and Time specified in the schedule.
4. The seat allotment to the candidates will be done strictly in order of CNET 2026 merit and according to choices made by the candidates as locked.
5. The candidates should login to the portal for information regarding seat allotment on 15-07-2026.
6. All the candidates who have been allocated seats in the Round 1 are required to login to the portal and choose any one of the following options within date and time specified in the schedule:

Option1 ACCEPT allotted seat and (Freeze)

Option2 DECLINE allotted seat (Decline).

Important Note:

Failure to login and selecting an option after seat allocation within the date and time specified in the schedule will lead to forfeiture of the allotted seat and counselling security fee (INR 5000/-)

7. All the candidates who are allocated seats and exercised Option 1 are **mandatorily** required to deposit **Seat Confirmation Fee** of INR 40000/- (Rupees Forty thousand only) to ABVMU UP through online/challan mode. This amount will be transferred to the allotted college and adjusted against tuition fee after completion of all rounds of Counselling process.
8. After depositing seat confirmation fee, Candidate selecting the **Option1 (Freeze)** is required to **report in-person** to allocated college for completing the admission process within the date and time specified in the schedule.
9. The candidates are required to carry the **original certificates along with** one (01) set of Self-attested photocopy of Documents/Certificates at the time of reporting to the allotted college.
10. The college will verify all the documents and update the same through College Portal. If all eligibility criteria are fulfilled and verified, a duly signed **provisional admission letter will be provided to the candidate by the College.**

NOTE: Original certificates and other fees are to be submitted ONLY at the start of the Academic Session.

11. List of **Self-attested one set photocopy of Documents/Certificates** that are required to be deposited to the allotted college:
- I. Provisional Seat allotment letter
 - II. 5 Passport size latest color photograph with white background.
 - III. Seat Confirmation Fee Deposit Receipt of INR 40000/-
 - IV. Photo ID proof (Aadhar card/Voter ID card/Driving license etc.)
 - V. Verification sheet uploaded at the time of filling the application.
 - VI. Passing Certificate/Mark sheet/Statement of marks of 12th class (10+2)/ equivalent examination from a recognized Board.
 - VII. Certificate from the Board showing the Date of Birth. (Class 10th Passing Certificate)
 - VIII. 12th Class (10+2) Migration/Transfer Certificate.
 - IX. Registration certificate as R.N.R.M. with the State Nurses Registration Council
 - X. Training certificate (before the implementation of the new integrated course) approved by Indian Nursing Council (Male Nurse ONLY), if applicable.
 - XI. Medical fitness certificate
 - XII. The candidate should also bring the following certificate(s), if applicable:
 - a. SC/ST caste Certificate issued by the competent authority (Tehsildar/SDM) of Uttar Pradesh only.
 - b. Non creamy layer OBC/EWS Certificate issued by the competent authority issued on or after 1st April 2026. The OBC category should be mentioned in the List of OBC-NCL (Non-Creamy Layer) of Uttar Pradesh.
 - c. Persons with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) Certificate issued from a duly constituted and authorized Medical Board as mentioned in the Information Bulletin.
 - d. Dependent of Freedom Fighter certificate issued from District Magistrate.
 - e. Valid Ex-Servicemen (ESM) certificate issued from competent authority.
 - f. Valid NCC certificate 'C' certificate with grade B issued by authorized battalion on prescribed format for NCC will be acceptable. **NCC 'A' and 'B' Certificates will not be considered for benefit of reservation under this sub-category.**
 - g. Minority certificate (Christian/Jain/Muslim) where applicable for minority institutions.
12. **After the seat allotment and acceptance, if any candidate does not report to the College, his/her allotted seat will be Cancelled and Counselling Security Fee (INR 5000/-) will be forfeited**
13. **After admission in the college if candidate does not resign from the seat during the resignation window i.e. from 25-07-2026 to 28-07-2026 up to 6.00 pm., the Counseling security fee (INR 5,000/-) and the Seat Confirmation fee (INR 40,000/-) will be forfeited.**
14. **The candidates who have not been allotted any seat in Round 1 of Counselling will be eligible for Mop up Round Counselling without paying the Counselling security fee of (INR 5000/-).**

Mop up Round

Eligibility

Following candidates will be eligible to participate in Mop up round of Counselling

- All candidates who have not participated in Round 1 of Counselling
- All candidates who have participated in Round 1 and have not been allotted any college
- **All candidates who have completed the admission process in Round 1 can also participate in the Mop up round but they have to resign from their allotted seat within the specified date and time before registration. After resignation he/she will not have any claim on the previously allotted seat. The allotted seat and security fee INR 5000/- will be forfeited.**

Following candidates will not be eligible to participate in Mop up round of Counselling

- All candidates who have participated and allotted seat in Round 1 and have not resigned.

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1. Eligible candidates will be able to register for Counselling through their existing log-in. To log into the portal candidates should visit www.abvmuup.edu.in and log in using their CNET 2026 **Registration ID and Password**.
2. All the candidates participating will have to deposit INR 500/- as Counselling Registration Fee (Non-Refundable), except those who have registered in Round 1 and have not been allotted any seat.

Following steps to be completed by candidates who have not participated in Round 1 of Counselling

3. During registration, all primary information like Candidate Name, Father's Name, Mother's Name & Date of Birth (DOB), Category, Sub-category and Address will be automatically pre-filled as submitted by the candidate during CNET 2026 registration.
4. Candidates who had marked **Appearing** in GNM examination during the **application process have to update the GNM marks**. Candidates will also have to upload their:
 - a. High school certificate (Class 10th) and
 - b. 12th Standard examination (10+2) Intermediate mark sheet/ statement of marks.
 - c. Passing certificate in General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM)
 - d. Registration certificates R.N.R.M. with the State Nurses Registration Council.
5. Candidates will have to update their Domicile status Uttar Pradesh state (Yes/No), Minority status (Christian/Jain/Muslim/Not Applicable) details and upload the certificates for

- e. Domicile status (if applicable)
 - f. Minority status (if applicable)
 - g. Category and/or Sub-category certificate (if applicable).
6. Candidate can also update their Gender information if filled wrong in the form at the time of filling the application form.
 7. Candidate can update his/her Category (Present category to UR only and Sub category to Category only).
 8. The candidate will have to deposit
 - i. INR 500/- as Counselling Registration Fee online (**Non-Refundable**) and
 - ii. INR 5000/- as Counselling Security Fee

Both fees will be deposited online through a single payment of INR 5500/- (INR 500/- + INR 5000/-).

Following steps to be completed by candidates who have participated in Round 1 of Counselling

9. Candidate who have participated in Round 1 are required to deposit security fee of INR 5000/-, **except;**
 - Candidates who have registered for Round 1 Counselling and have not been allotted any seat.

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2. Candidates should take a printout of their choices after locking on the last Date and Time specified in the schedule.
3. The seat allocation will be done strictly in order of merit and according to choices made by the candidates as locked.
4. All the candidates who have been allocated seats in the Mop up Round are required to login to the portal and choose any one of the following options within date and time specified in the schedule:

Option 1 ACCEPT allotted seat.

Option 2 DECLINE allotted seat.

Important Note:

Failure to login and selecting an option after seat allocation within the date and time specified in the schedule will lead to forfeiture of the allotted seat and security fee (INR 5000/-)

5. All the candidates who are allocated seats and exercised Option 1 are **mandatorily** required to deposit seat confirmation fee of INR 40000/- (Rupees Forty thousand only) to ABVMU UP through online/challan transfer, which will be transferred to the allotted college and adjusted against tuition fee after completion of Counselling process. (Candidates who have already deposited INR 40000/- in Round 1 are not required to re-deposit)

6. After depositing seat confirmation fee, Candidate is required to **report in-person** to allocated college for admission process within the date and time specified in the schedule.
7. The candidates are required to carry the **original certificates along with** one (01) set of Self-attested photocopy of Documents/Certificates at the time of reporting to the allotted college.
8. The college will verify all the documents and update the same through College Portal. If all eligibility criteria are fulfilled and verified, a duly signed **provisional admission letter will be provided to the candidate by the College.**

NOTE: Original certificates and other fees are to be submitted ONLY after completion of the Counselling process at the college.

9. List of **Self-attested one set photocopy of Documents/Certificates** that are required to be deposited to the allotted college:
 - I. Provisional Seat allotment letter.
 - II. 5 Passport size color photograph with white background.
 - III. Seat Confirmation Fee Deposit Receipt of INR 40000/-
 - IV. Photo ID proof (Aadhar card/Voter ID card/Driving license etc).
 - V. Verification sheet uploaded at the time of filling the application.
 - VI. Passing Certificate/Mark sheet/Statement of marks of 12th class (10+2)/equivalent examination from a recognized Board.
 - VII. Certificate from the Board showing the Date of Birth. (Class 10th Passing Certificate).
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 - IX. Registration certificates R.N.R.M. with the State Nurses Registration Council.
 - X. Training certificate (before the implementation of the new integrated course) approved by Indian Nursing Council (Male Nurse ONLY), if applicable.
 - XI. Medical fitness certificate.
 - XII. The candidate should also bring the following certificate(s), if applicable :
 - a. SC/ST caste Certificate issued by the competent authority (Tehsildar/SDM) of Uttar Pradesh only.
 - b. Non creamy layer OBC/EWS Certificate issued by the competent authority issued on or after 1st April 2026. The category should be mentioned in the List of OBC-NCL (Non-Creamy Layer) of Uttar Pradesh.
 - c. Persons with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) Certificate issued from a duly constituted and authorized Medical Board as mentioned in the Information Bulletin.
 - d. Dependent of Freedom Fighter certificate issued from District Magistrate.
 - e. Valid Ex-Servicemen certificate issued from competent authority.

- f. Valid NCC certificate 'C' certificate with grade B issued by authorized battalion on prescribed format for NCC will be acceptable. **NCC 'A' and 'B' Certificates will not be considered for benefit of reservation under this sub-category.**
- g. Minority certificate (Christian/Jain/Muslim) where applicable for minority institutions.

Note: After the seat allotment and acceptance in Mop up round, if any candidate is not taking admission in allotted college till the last date of reporting in the college, the allotted seat, Counselling security fee (INR 5000/-) and Seat Confirmation Fee of INR 40000/- will be forfeited.

The Seat Conversion

The conversion of seats will be carried out after the Mop up Round of seat allotment. The said conversion will be done, only when the qualified candidates belonging to the said conversion category/sub-category have exhausted. The algorithm for conversion of categories/ sub-categories is as per following table:

Sl. No.	Conversion Category	Category Converted to
1	ST (PwD, FF, ESM & NCC)	ST
2	SC (PwD, FF, ESM & NCC)	SC
3	UR (PwD, FF, ESM & NCC)	UR
4	OBC (PwD, FF, ESM & NCC)	OBC
5	EWS (PwD, FF, ESM & NCC)	EWS
6	ST	SC
7	SC	UR
8	OBC	UR
9	EWS	UR
10	Minority	UR
