

- **Hon'ble Health and Family Welfare Minister Thiru.Ma.Subramanian D.O Letter to Hon'ble Union Health and Family Welfare Minister Thiru.J.P.Nadda regarding super speciality seats reserved for in-service candidates from Tamil Nadu under NEET SS State Quota**

I am writing to bring to your urgent attention a critical issue concerning Super Specialty seats reserved for in-service candidates from Tamil Nadu under NEET SS State quota.

As per the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, 50% of seats in Medical Super Specialty (SS) courses in Government Medical Colleges in Tamil Nadu are reserved exclusively for in-service candidates from the State. The NEET SS counseling for the State quota in-service candidates was completed on 27.05.2025. On 29.05.2025, the Tamil Nadu Selection Committee formally requested DGHS to indicate the State round 2 schedule, to allow upgradation for our in-service candidates.

I wish to bring to your notice that we have received numerous representations from in-service candidates seeking upgradation for State in-service candidates in round 2 of NEET SS State quota counselling. However, it has come to our notice that the process of surrendering the unfilled in-service seats to the All-India Quota is being considered, without conducting the mandatory second round of counselling at the State level. Such a move would effectively deprive our in-service candidates of their rightful opportunity to upgrade or participate in further counselling, and would be contrary to the spirit and intent of the Hon'ble Supreme Court's order.

I therefore request your personal intervention to ensure that all 50% seats earmarked for in-service candidates under the State quota are retained and made available in Round 2 of State-level NEET SS counselling.

I seek your kind cooperation and support in this matter.

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