



Medical admission

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Twelve hundred students will be selected for admission in eight medical colleges of the country (150 students in each college) by a new system of admission—the multiple choice examination system.

Students will have to answer 150 questions for a hundred marks in three hours.

More than a dozen medical guides and coaching centres have sprung up throughout the length and breadth of the capital for coaching students desirous to enter the medical colleges. The number of such centres is much more than last year. About 13 medical coaching centres are operating in Dhaka where 4000 students are admitted. These are charging admission fees of Tk 800 per student. Outside Dhaka, about 3000 students are taking coaching from different coaching centres in six other medical colleges, of the country.

Ten medical admission guides are now available in the market. Some of them containing more than ten thousand multiple choice questions in 600 pages priced between Tk 85-120.

These days the coaching guides and centre are the key to success. Very good students in the past have failed to get admission as they did not take coaching. On the other hand average students have been successful in getting into the medical college.