

**COMPUTER BASED
COMBINED MEDICAL SERVICES EXAMINATION 2020**

GENERAL

- 1) The candidate must note that his/her admission to the Examination is strictly "Provisional".
- 2) The mere fact that an e-Admit Card has been issued to him/her does not imply that the candidature has been finally cleared by the Commission or that the entries made by the candidate in his/her application for the Examination have been accepted by the Commission as true and correct.
- 3) The candidate must note that the Commission takes up the verification of eligibility conditions i.e. age, educational qualifications, community etc. with reference to original documents only of those candidates who qualify the written examination.
- 4) The candidate must also note that if subsequent to the issue of e-Admit Card, ineligibility is detected at any stage before or after the Examination or if the conditions prescribed in the Rules and Instructions given in the advertisement or any other additional information/documents called for at any stage, are not complied with within the time specified therein, the candidature would be rejected.

INSTRUCTIONS DURING THE EXAMINATION

- a) Written part of the Computer based CMSE 2020 will be in two Papers, each Paper carrying a maximum of 250 marks.
- b) Each Paper will be of two hours duration.
- c) Both the question papers I and II will contain 120 items (questions) each and each item is in English only.
- d) Computer based CMSE 2020 in both the papers will be completely of objective (Multiple choice answer) type.
- e) There will be four alternatives for the answers to every question.
- f) A candidate has to select only one of the four alternatives as his/her correct answer. The system will not allow selection of more than one alternative as correct answer.
- g) For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate, one third (0.33) of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty.

- h) If it is left blank i.e. no answer is given by the candidate, there will be no penalty for that question.
- i) Password will be announced at 9.20AM for Forenoon Session and at 1.50 PM for Afternoon Session. Candidates will open the secure browser and read instructions from 9.20 AM to 9.30 AM for Forenoon Session and from 1.50 PM to 2.00 PM for Afternoon Session. However, candidates will not be allowed to start their Examination before 9.30 AM for Forenoon Session and 02.00 PM for Afternoon Session.
- j) Candidates are not permitted to use calculators for answering objective type papers. They should, therefore not bring the same inside the Examination Hall.
- k) Rough worksheets will be provided to the candidates on demand.
- l) In the event of the Examination being disrupted, the candidate should immediately inform the invigilator. The invigilator will help the candidate to re-login to the Examination. This will start the Examination from where it had stopped.
- m) Numbered list of all questions will appear at the right side of the screen.
- n) Keep a close watch on “Time Left” while appearing for the Examination.
- o) Question once attempted, would be final. However, responses can be changed at any time during the Examination before final submission including unattempting the question using ‘Clear Response’ button.
- p) Candidates will be automatically stopped from answering questions when the time of Examination is over and the Examination will auto-submit.
- q) Candidates should not carry any books, paper, mobile phone or any other electronic items to the examination venue. UPSC will not be responsible for the safekeeping of such item(s).
- r) Impersonation (to assume the identity of another with intent to deceive) is forbidden.
- s) Candidates must not, on any pretext whatsoever speak to or have any communication with any other Candidates. Such communication will be regarded as a breach of the Examination Rules.
- t) Candidate in the Examination venue, who is found to have unauthorized materials in his/her possession, shall be deemed to have indulged in breach of the Examination Rules.
- u) Any breach of Examination Rules shall be considered to constitute unfair practice. In case any candidate is found to be indulging in unfair practice, he will be liable to be debarred from this and future Tests/Exams of UPSC and/or disciplinary action.
- v) At the conclusion of the Examination, candidates must remain seated quietly and must not communicate with one another till the Examination is over.
- w) No candidate shall be permitted to leave Examination Lab till expiry of the allotted time.

- x) No candidate shall be allowed to go to the toilet during the last 30 minutes of the Examination.
- y) The candidate must abide by the instructions and such further instructions as may be given by Supervisor/Invigilator of the Examination. If the candidate fails to do so or indulges in disorderly or improper conduct, he/she will render himself/herself liable to expulsion from the Examination and/or such other punishment as the Commission may deem fit to impose.
- z) The candidate will furnish correct information as may be required from him/her in the Examination Lab by the Invigilator/Assistant Supervisor/Supervisor/other persons so authorized.
