



GOVERNMENT OF KERALAM

Abstract

Payment of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief payable in respect of the Teaching staff/Pensioners/Family pensioners coming under UGC/AICTE /Medical Education Schemes – Revised Rates – Orders Issued.

FINANCE (PAY RESEARCH UNIT) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P)No.109/2026/FIN Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 17-10-2026

Read 1. G.O.(P) No.151/2020/Fin dated 05.11.2020

2. O.M.No.1/1(i)/2026-E.II(B) dated 22.04.2026 from the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

3. O.M.No.1/1(ii)/2026-E.II(B) dated 22.04.2026 from the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

4. O.M.No.42/02/2024-P&PW(D)/E-9475 dated 24.04.2026 from the Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Government of India.

5. G.O.(P) No.26/2026/Fin dated 20.02.2026.

6. Revised State Budget for 2026-27.

ORDER

Government are pleased to order that the rates of Dearness Allowance payable in respect of the teaching staff coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who have changed over to revised UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale from 01.01.2016 or thereafter will be enhanced from the existing 58% to 60%.

2. The rates of Dearness Allowance payable in respect of the teaching staff coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who are continuing in the 6th UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale from 01.01.2006 or thereafter will be enhanced from the existing 257% to 262%.

3. The rates of Dearness Relief payable to UGC Pensioners/Family pensioners whose Pension/Family pension has been revised as per

Government Order read 1st above will be enhanced from the existing 58% to 60%.

4. The rates of Dearness Relief payable to UGC Pensioners/Family pensioners whose Pension/Family pension had not been revised as per Government Order read 1st above will be enhanced from the existing 257% to 262%.

5. The enhanced Dearness Allowance shall be started to draw along with the salary due from the month of October 2026. i.e., salary to be disbursed from November 2026.

6. The enhanced Dearness Relief shall be started to draw along with the pension due for the month of November 2026, i.e, pension to be disbursed from November 2026.

7. The enhanced rate of dearness allowance is applicable, subject to availability of funds, to grant-in-aid institutions, including RCC, MCC etc, where UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme has been implemented through Government Order. The increased rate of dearness relief is applicable only to institutions, including universities, where statutory pension is followed by Government order. The enhanced rate of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief should not exceed 60% (262% for those continuing in the 6th UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scale effective from 01.01.2006 or thereafter). Such institutions can sanction the enhanced rate of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief after obtaining approval of the Board of Directors/Governing Body/Managing Committee/Executive Committee etc.

8. Orders regarding arrears with effect from 01.01.2026 will be issued separately.

(By order of the Governor)

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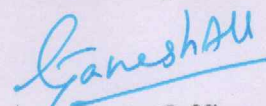
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