

Top Medical Colleges in Tamil Nadu

8 colleges from Tamil Nadu placed in India's top 50 for Medical, plus 0 more in the published rank-bands.

IN INDIA'S TOP 50	IN RANK-BANDS 101-300	BEST RANK IN TAMIL NADU	HIGHEST SCORE
8	0	#3	76.48

Ranked colleges

These are the only colleges from Tamil Nadu that NIRF placed inside the national top 50 for Medical in 2025. The change column compares each against its own 2024 rank.

Rank	College	City	Score	vs 2024
3	Christian Medical College	Vellore	76.48	no change
9	Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham	Coimbatore	68.52	▼ 1 (was 8)
11	Saveetha Institute of Medical and Technical Sciences	Chennai	66.50	▲ 1 (was 12)
16	Madras Medical College & Government General Hospital, Chennai	Chennai	63.71	▼ 6 (was 10)
18	S.R.M. Institute of Science and Technology	Chennai	63.22	no change
21	Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research	Chennai	61.54	▼ 1 (was 20)
43	PSG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research	Coimbatore	52.41	▼ 2 (was 41)
49	Chettinad Academy of Research and Education	Kelambakkam, Chengalpattu District	51.41	new entry

Why these colleges rank where they do

A NIRF score is the weighted sum of five parameters, each marked out of 100. Two colleges with similar totals can be very different places to study, so it is worth reading across the row rather than only looking at the rank.

College	TLR 30%	RPC 30%	GO 20%	OI 10%	PERCEPTION 10%
Christian Medical College	94.51	50.81	92.34	60.51	83.74
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham	80.06	49.86	88.06	75.39	43.92
Saveetha Institute of Medical and Technical Sciences	75.45	74.27	67.55	68.07	12.59
Madras Medical College & Government General Hospital, Chennai	88.71	13.11	96.87	76.40	61.61
S.R.M. Institute of Science and Technology	76.84	52.34	77.41	72.72	17.16

College	TLR 30%	RPC 30%	GO 20%	OI 10%	PERCEPTION 10%
Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research	77.17	39.19	88.84	64.79	23.82
PSG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research	77.54	12.89	74.47	61.08	42.77
Chettinad Academy of Research and Education	74.76	28.44	64.45	64.63	10.95

TLR Teaching, Learning & Resources RPC Research and Professional Practice GO Graduation Outcomes OI Outreach and Inclusivity PERCEPTION Perception

Green marks a score of 70 or above; red marks below 35. Perception is scored from a survey of academics, employers and the public, so newer and regional institutions often score low there even when their teaching and outcomes are strong — read a low Perception number with that in mind rather than as a verdict on the campus.

How to use this list

- Entrance exams. NEET UG is the single route to MBBS across India, for both the all-India quota and state quotas. There is no separate state medical entrance exam.
- A rank is not a ranking of your experience. NIRF measures the institution as a whole, not the individual department or specialisation. An institution ranked lower overall may still be the stronger choice for the one you want.
- Participation is voluntary. A good college missing from this list may simply not have submitted data. Absence is not evidence of poor quality.
- Bands hide detail. Inside 101–150 or 201–300 the colleges are listed alphabetically, so position in that list carries no meaning at all.
- Check the year. These are the India Rankings 2025 figures, released September 2025. The 2026 edition is expected later in 2026 and will supersede them.

Compiled from NIRF India Rankings 2025, including the alphabetical rank-band listings, with year-on-year movement calculated against NIRF 2024. Figures are reproduced as published.