

NEET may also become an exit exam?

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National Eligibility Entrance Test (NEET) has been in news lately for being an incumbent part of the entrance procedure for admission in medical courses in India.

So far, it was just a test to be taken for entrance in colleges. However, if new rules get implemented, NEET might also be made a common exit test. This will replace university level examinations for MBBS students before they start to practice.

About National Eligibility Entrance Test:

- MBBS programmes give huge importance to NEET in order to shortlist students who shall be given admission in a particular college
- On the basis of performance, NEET provides admission in post graduate courses like MD. MS and MDS

If NEET is implemented to be an exit exam as well, following will be its various functions:

- Act as an exit examination for MBBS students passing out of government and private medical colleges
- Function as the single entrance exam for admission in postgraduate medical courses
- Replace the screening test for foreign medical graduates (FMGE)

NEET, an exit exam too?

- Such a decision will call for changes in the Medical Council of India (MCI) Act, which is not an easy task for the parliament
- Therefore, one may think of it to be a tedious task for NEET to become an exit exam
- NEET PG 2016 is to be held in December 2016

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