Higher medical degrees[[edit](https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Medical_degree&action=edit&section=2)]

Some doctors who hold a primary qualification will continue academic study, pursuing degrees such as:[[5]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Medical_degree#cite_note-5)

* Doctor of Medicine by research (MD(Res), DM)
* [Doctor of Philosophy](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Doctor_of_Philosophy) (PhD, DPhil)

Other degrees include:

* Master of Clinical Medicine (MCM)
* Master of Medical Science (MMSc, MMedSc)
* [Master of Medicine](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Master_of_Medicine) (MM, MMed)
* [Master of Philosophy](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Master_of_Philosophy) (MPhil)
* [Master of Surgery](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Master_of_Surgery) (MS, MSurg, MChir, MCh, ChM, CM)
* [Master of Science](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Master_of_Science) in Medicine or Surgery (MSc)
* Doctor of Clinical Medicine (DCM)
* Doctor of Clinical Surgery (DClinSurg)
* Doctor of Medical Science (DMSc, DMedSc)
* Doctor of Surgery (DS, DSurg)

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| [MBBS (Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#MBBS%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Medicine%20and%20Bachelor%20of%20Surgery) | [BDS (Bachelor of Dental Sciences)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BDS) |
| [BHMS (Bachelor of Homeopathic Medicine & Surgery)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BHMS) | [BAMS (Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine and Surgery)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BAMS) |
| [DHMS (Diploma in Homeopathic Medicine & Surgery)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#DHMS%20-%20Diploma%20in%20Homeopathic%20Medicine%20&%20Surgery) | [BUMS (Bachelor in Unani Medicine)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BUMS%20-%20Bachelor%20in%20Unani%20Medicine) |
| [B.V.Sc & AH (Bachelor of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#B.V.Sc%20&%20AH%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Veterinary%20Sciences%20&%20Animal%20Husbandry) | [B.Pharm (Bachelor of Pharmacy)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#B.Pharm%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Pharmacy) |
| [D. Pharma (Diploma of Pharmacy)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#D.%20Pharma%20-%20Diploma%20of%20Pharmacy) | [BOT (Bachelor of Occupational Therapy)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BOT%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Occupational%20Therapy) |
| [BMLT (Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Technology)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BMLT%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Medical%20Laboratory%20Technology) | [BPT (Bachelor of Physiotherapy)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#BPT%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Physiotherapy) |
| [B.Sc. Nursing (Bachelor of Science in Nursing)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#B.Sc.%20Nursing%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Science%20in%20Nursing) | [BNYS (Bachelor of Naturopathy and Yogic Sciences)](https://www.collegedekho.com/articles/best-medical-courses-in-india/#B.Sc.%20Nursing%20-%20Bachelor%20of%20Science%20in%20Nursing) |