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Annual Transfers of Dental Surgeons -2018 (Stage II)
Noted List, Eligible List, Existing Vacancies & Vacancies of Special /Criteria based posts not filled in Stage I

All the officers are adviced to read carefully & comprehend the contents of this notice before applying for transfers.

This is further to the notices published on the official web site of the Ministry of Health on 7th and 17th July 2017 , 14th and 22nd August 2017 & 10th October 2017 with regard to annual transfers of Dental Surgeons 2018.

The noted & eligible lists of Dental Surgeons for annual transfers 2018 are published as given below (according to provisional seniority list). (You can download the list from the official web site of the Ministry of Health - www.health.gov.lk)

1. All Dental surgeons should apply online only, through web based application appeared on www.health.gov.lk and send the printed copy of the same application through proper channel before 2nd November 2017.

2. **Potentially vacant station** - stations in which the officers completing 02 years by 31.12.2017 are potentially vacant if those officers are assigned to any other stations as per their preferances.

3. Transfers will be carried out according to grade seniority. The order of seniority in this noted list may vary if the seniority position of any officer is corrected during process until 2nd of November 2017. **All the officers are requested to apply indicating the adequate preference stations.** (At least 20 nos. of stations more than the serial number denoting the seniority position.)

4. All the Dental Surgeons in the noted list & the eligible list will be assigned to the stations in the first round (in recommendation list). The applicants who are not indicating adequate preferances will be assigned to their closest possible stations on the discretion of Transfer Board. Hence all

officers are strongly adviced to indicate adequate preferances considering the noted, eligible and vacancy lists including the potentially vacant stations.

5. **Transfer Time Schedule**
   - **Closing date for Stage II on line submission of application is 02nd November 2017**
   - **Recommendation list will be published on 13th November 2017**
   - **Closing date for appeals on 27th November 2017**
   - **Final Stage II will be issued on 30th November 2017**
   - **All transfers will be effective from 1st January 2018**

6. The officers who have been allocated stations in Stage 1 will not be considered for the other stations in Stage II.

7. **Criteria Based Posts**

- **Post of RDS**

The Dental Surgeons selected to the RDS post have to work in supervisory capacity related to technical and managerial issues in the field of Dentistry in the region. Further the officers have to hold the posts for a minimum period of 02 years to be eligible for a transfer. However the officers will be noted after completing 04 years in the posts. Applicants should be confirmed in services with 10 years service experience to be eligible to apply for RDS posts. Preference will be given to those who possess Post Graduate Qualifications as per para 7.2 of Medical Service Minute. If there are no applicants with eligibility criteria the station will be allocated on temporary grounds for one year.

- **SHO/HO posts and Dental Surgeons in Specialized Units of Dental Services**

The Dental Surgeons selected should have to serve directly under the supervision of the Consultants of the respective units. They are bound to do on call duties. The period of HO and SHO posts is two years. Selection for SHO and HO posts will be done according to grade seniority in stage II.

In the case of dental Surgeons in Specialized units selection will be done according to grade seniority and should have to serve directly under the supervision of the Consultanat in Community Dentistry of respective units. Applicant should have computer literacy in office work. Officers selected will have to engage in proposal writing, programme coordination and visit out station for conducting programmes. For the Officers with the same seniority, preference will be given in order of MSc Community Dentistry, Diploma in Hospital Dental Practice, experience of RDS or in a Public Health Unit/ADC/CDC etc.

Period of such post will be 2 years.

8. Officers selected for MOH, have to abide by the Health Programmes conducting in relevant MOH areas apart from routine Dental practice.
   Selection for Colombo Municipal Council – Health Curative Department posts will be done according to the Grade seniority and the selected Officers should have to work accoding to the guide lines stipulated in the Health Curative Department of Colombo Municipal Council.

9. **The officers already on transfer orders will not be eligible to apply for transfers except for new stations/ institutions.**

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