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Regional Directors of Health Services,

Medical Superintendent of Base Hospitals,

All relevant Medical Officers.

## POST INTERN APPOINTMENTS - 30.10.2024

- Ministry of Health is calling applications from the batch of Medical Officers who have completed their internship successfully by 30.10.2024, to post and assign them into institutions according to the common merit and service need.
- 1.1 The appointments of the Medical Officers whose internship was delayed due to maternity leave are subjected to approval by the Health Service Committee (HSC) of the Public Service Commission (PSC).
- 1.2 Those Medical Officers who did not complete their internship by 30.10.2024 can apply for this list, however their appointment is subjected to availability of vacancies as at SLMC registration date and approval by HSC of PSC.
- 1.3 Medical Officers who has rejoined the service can apply for this list, however their appointment is subjected to availability of vacancies and approval by HSC of PSC.
- 2. The list of vacancies, combined merit list and list of Difficult Stations with regard to 27.10.2022 batch are annexed herewith.
- 3. A web-based application will be displayed on the website of the Ministry (www.health.gov.lk) on 31.07.2025. Please bring these vacancies to the notice of medical officers who have successfully completed their internship by 30.10.2024. It is kindly requested to inform those Medical Officers to apply only through the web. However, a Printed Copy of the web-based application should be submitted to the respective Head of Institution on or before 11.08.2025 in order to reach the same to this Ministry on or before 14.08.2025. Heads of Institutions are kindly requested to forward applications received as one packet, and it must be hand-delivered. (Not to be posted)

- 4. Applicants must submit the following documents, duly certified by the respective Head of the Institution, along with the printed copy of the application.
  - a) A letter from the Head of the Institution confirming the successful completion of the internship with relevant dates.
  - b) Two Certified copies of the full registration of the Sri Lanka Medical Council.
  - c) Two Certified copies of the National Identity Card.
  - d) Certified copies of the O/L and A/L examination results
  - e) Certified copy of the MBBS Certificate

Note: - Please follow the guideline attached via QR Code & Direct Link below,



Direct link: https://tinvurl.com/2izd6fdx

- 5. Before sending the documents, relevant subject clerks are requested to check for completeness and the order of documents. Applications submitted without adhering to the instructions will be returned to the respective institutions and will not to be considered for post-intern appointments.
- Heads of Institutions are requested to pay personal attention and forward printed copies of relevant applications before the closing date. Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.
- 7. Those who wish to withdraw their applications should do so within one week of the closing date of the application.
- 8. These placements will be made based on the common merit order list issued by the University Grants Commission and Sri Lanka Medical Council. However, those medical officers who rejoined after No Pay Leave and those who delayed their internship, will be appropriately placed in the bottom of the list.
- 9. The application should be filled in the order of preference. Each applicant should apply for a number of posts considering his/her merit order number to ensure that his/her last choice could be accommodated. For example, if a medical officer's merit order number is 100 he/she should apply for a minimum of 100 posts. Officers who have not indicated sufficient number of preferences will be posted to stations at the discretion of the Ministry according to service needs.
- 10. Selections will be done only through the web based applications. Therefore, all Medical Officers are requested to carefully enter the web based applications. If a medical officer does not wish to apply, there is no need to log on to web application.
- 11. Officers assigned to posts available will have to serve a minimum period of 2 years in the respective posts. However, Medical Officers who will be selected for Post Graduate Training Programmes will be released to the PGIM based on service requirements and priorities of this Ministry. The authority to take such decision shall be the Director General of Health Services. Officers who haven't completed two year period in the station, will be reverted back to the same station on completion of Diploma or MSC.
- 12. Married couples who wish to be posted together will be considered at the merit order of the spouse, who is placed lower in the common merit order list. In such cases, both parties should add an explanatory note to their applications and also attach a copy of their marriage certificate. They will be accommodated in stations as close as possible, if they cannot be placed in the same station.
- 13. Officers selected for Anesthesia/ICU posts are supposed to undergo a six-month training and need to work in Anesthesia units and Intensive Care Units, depending on the service requirement. All trainees should be trained at their appointed stations, and in the event where there is no Consultant Anesthetist at the appointed stations, they should be trained in a hospital in the same district/province where there is a consultant.

- 14. Medical Officers who are appointed as MO-Medico Legal, MO- Blood Bank, MO-Mental Health, MOH and Medical Officers appointed to primary care units also have to undergo appropriate training coordinated by ET&R Unit.
- 15. Please note that the replacements for the difficult stations transfers of 27.10.2022 batch is also included within these placements and all Heads of Institutions are strictly instructed to release Medical Officers who are serving in difficult stations, once Medical Officers report for those stations from the post intern list.
- 16. Medical Officers who are appointed to the stations considered as "Difficult Stations" as per the attachment, are eligible to apply for a "Special Transfer Scheme" or any other appeal list only after completing 01 year of service from the date of placement in their difficult stations.
- 17. Officers who fail to report for duty after appointment to the respective posts will be considered as vacation of posts.
- 18. Names of officers whose internship have been extended, should be notified by the respective Heads of Institutions to Directorate of Medical Services immediately. However, whose internships have been extended for reasons other than for approved medical and maternity leave, will be placed at the bottom of the merit order list when appointments are given to them. Such officers need to apply for Post Intern Appointments as and when they properly complete their internship appointments.
- 19. Please note that no application will be considered by the Ministry unless it is duly forwarded by the relevant Head of the institution to the following address on or before the deadline above. All applications must be hand-delivered on or before 14.08.2025.

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21. In the event that the number of applicants is less than the number of vacancies, excess vacancies will be removed at the discretion of the Secretary, Ministry of Health.

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