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General Circular Letter No – 01 - 61 / 2026

To: All Provincial Secretaries,
Director - NHSL, NH Kandy, NH Galle,
All Provincial / Regional Directors of Health Services,
All Heads of Programmed, Specialized Health Institutions,
All Directors of Teaching Hospitals, PGH & DGH,
All Medical Superintendents of Base Hospitals,
All Specialist Medical Officers,

Placement of End Post of Specialist Medical officers – 2027

Applications are invited from suitably qualified Specialist Medical Officers for End Posts in the Ministry of Health & Mass Media. A list of available End Posts under different specialties is attached.

- Definitely Vacant Posts:** All End Posts marked as 'Vacant' are considered **Definite Vacant**.
- Potentially Vacant Posts:** All End Posts currently occupied by Specialist Medical Officers are considered potentially vacant, as these officers are eligible to apply for transfer to another vacant End Post from the list. Consequently, their current End Post may become vacant.
- Post Codes:** Each post is coded with a unique number. Therefore, if there are multiple posts in the same specialty within the same institution, applicants must specify their selection accurately according to these codes, as they will be posted according to their chosen codes.
- Eligibility:** Any applicant to an end post (Consultant of each speciality) should have worked as a board certified specialist in the relevant speciality for minimum of 04 years before applying for an end post.

5. **Profile Completion:** Specialist Medical Officers must complete their profile in the HRMIS Specialist Module and upload all relevant documents before applying. **The provided information will be verified, and incorrect information will result in disciplinary action as per the Transfer Board's decision. Accurate details about No-Pay leave are mandatory.**
6. **Application Process:** Specialist Medical Officers should apply for End Posts in their order of preference. Both definite and potential vacancies will be available for application. **Please note that the last submitted online application will be considered final. The online application is available at <https://hrmis-sm.health.gov.lk>**
7. It is not compulsory for Specialist Medical Officers to apply for this End Post transfer.
8. **Application Submission:** Eligible applicants are requested to send their applications online. The online application is available at HRMIS. The online system will be open from **14/08/2026 to 28/08/2026** Applications submitted after the closing date will not be accepted.
9. **Application Certification:** Applicants should forward their applications from their duly appointed station from the immediate past Annual Transfers/End Post placement. **Applications will not be entertained if submitted through any station other than their due station.** Upon submission of the online application, a printout should be taken for certification by the respective Head of the Institution. The certified application should be sent to the Director (Tertiary Care Services) via post to reach on or before **30 / 08 / 2026** at the following address:

**Director (Tertiary Care Services),
Ministry of Health & Mass Media
"Suwasiripaya"
385, Rev. BaddegamaWimalawansa Thero Mw,
Colombo 10.
Tel: 011-2699145**
10. **Effective Date:** The End Post placement for the year 2027 will be considered effective from 01/01/2027 for all future transfer related administrative purposes. **Nevertheless, the selected Specialist Medical Officer can assume to the new post only upon the selected post falling vacant after retirement of the incumbent Specialist Medical Officer.** This marks will be calculated as per the Health Service Minute published in the Government Gazette no. 1176/15 dated 22nd March 2001. Points will be calculated accordingly, up to **28 / 08 / 2026.**

11. **Application Withdrawal:** The application withdrawal form will be available in the HRMIS -SM system. Specialist Medical Officers who wish to withdraw their application can do so in writing to the Director General of Health Services through the head of their respective institutions within one week of the closing date. Please print the completed withdrawal form and send it to the DGHS. No further withdrawals will be entertained after this period. If an applicant is selected for a post, they are required to accept it. Changes to the preference order will not be allowed after the application closing date including during the withdrawal period.
12. **Teaching and Training:** Undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and training are essential duties of all Specialist Grade Medical Officers occupying End Posts in addition to patient care services.
13. **Vacancy Allocation:** Once all applications are considered for definitely vacant posts and potentially vacant posts any remaining vacancies will be available for appeals. Please note that only those applicants who applied for main end post transfer are eligible to apply for appeal.
14. **Observations and Issues:** If a Specialist Medical Officer has any observations or issues with the End Post vacancy list in a particular specialty, they should inform the Director of TCS, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, via the HRMIS Specialist Module – Observation portal, within one (1) week of the vacancy list being published. (web link <https://hrmis-sm.health.gov.lk>)
15. **Notification:** Heads of institutions are requested to bring the content of this circular to the notice of all Specialist Medical Officers in their institutions.
16. **Consent:** This notification is published with the consent of the Health Services Committee of the Public Service Commission.


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Copy: - Secretary, Health Service Committee, Public Service Commission

Ministry of Health & Mass Media - Proposed End Posts Vacancy List - 2027 (30/06/2026 - 30/06/2027)					
N o	Speciality	Institute	Description	Existing vacancy	Total
1	Anesthesiology	NH Kandy	Vacant	1	8
		LRH	Dr.N.A.V.C.T. De Alwis is expected to retire on 25.12.2026	1	
		LRH	Dr H.M.T. Jayathilaka is expected to retire on 07.08.2026	1	
		TH Jaffna	Dr S Premakrishna is expected to retire on 06.03.2026	1	
		TH Mahamodara (German-SL Friendship Hospital for women)	Dr N G U Ranjith is expected to retire on 2026.12.29	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr R W Hemantha Rajapaksha is expected to retire on 2027.06.09	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr L Samaraweera is expected to retire on 13.07.2026	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr R S Mahalekam is expected to retire on 10.01.2027	1	
2	Cardiology	NHSL, Colombo	Dr G K S Galappaththi is expected to retire on 08.04.2027	1	1
3	Cardio thoracic surgery	NH Kandy	Vacant	1	3
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr M N Jazeel is expected to retire on 27.07.2026	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr M Munasighe retired on 22.05.2025	1	
4	Chemical Pathology	TH Batticaloa	Vacant	1	1
5	Clinical Microbiology	MRI	Vacant - open for Immunologists	1	1
6	Community Medicine	Nutrition unit (MRI)	Vacant - Temporary hold	1	4
		FHB	Dr L N Munasighe is expected to retire on 12.08.2026	1	
		Epidemiology unit	Dr H T Thisera retired on 01.06.2026	1	
		ET & R	Dr M B U D Sooriyarachchi is expected to retire on 10.05.2027	1	
7	Dermatology	NH Kandy	Dr D M Munasighe is expected to retire on 29.08.2026	1	3
		NH Kandy	Dr M H A J P C Udagedara is expected to retire on 20.12.2026	1	
		CSTH Kalubowila	Dr S R Arulenthiran is expected to retire on 2027.04.15	1	

8	Endocrinology	TH Batticaloa	Vacant	1	1
9	Forensic Psychiatry	NIMH Angoda	Dr H I Wasantha is on overseas leave from 2021.05.05	1	1
10	General Medicine	NIMH Angoda	Vacant	1	8
		NIID Angoda	Vacant	1	
		Cancer Institute Maharagama	Vacant	1	
		NH Galle	Vacant	1	
		NH Galle	Dr L P T S Sirisena is expected to retire on 2026.10.27	1	
		NH Galle	Dr P A Jayasinghe is expected to retire from 26.05.2027	1	
		NH Kandy	Dr Z R H S Asher is expected to retire on 15.01.2027	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr L W S Gunathilaka is expected to retire on 13.05.2027	1	
11	General Surgeon	NHSL, Colombo	Dr P Murugadas is expected to retire on 2026.07.19	1	3
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr E Rajasegaram is expected to retire on 14.11.2026	1	
		TH Jaffna	Dr R Thanaraj is expected to retire on September 2026	1	
12	Judicial Medicine	TH Jaffna	Dr U Mayoorathan is expected to join to the University of Jaffna from September 2026 onwards	1	3
		NH Galle	Dr D D Samaraweera is expected to retire on 11.06.2027	1	
		NH Galle	Dr P R Ruwanpura is expected to retire on 08.07.2026	1	
13	Histopathology	NH Kandy	Dr A Vithanage is expected to retire on 25.03.2027	1	3
		NHSL	Dr S R Constantine is expected to retire on 2027.03.30	1	
		NH Galle	Dr K K G Padmini is expected to retire on 2027.03.24	1	
14	Haematology	NH Kandy	Dr B M S M Athauda is expected to retire on 27.01.2027	1	3
		NH Kandy	Dr V P Gunawardena is on 5 year overseas leave (2024 onwards)	1	
		CNTH Ragama	Dr Y J Costha is expected to retire on 2027.02.09	1	

15	Urological Surgery	NHSL, Colombo	Vacant - Temporary hold	1	1
16	Interventional Radiology	NHSL, Colombo	Vacant	1	2
		NH Kandy	Vacant	1	
17	Radiology	NHSL, Colombo	Dr B M Padmasiri is expected to retire on 2027.01.27	1	5
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr A S Pallewatte is expected to retire on 03.12.2026	1	
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr P Hettiarachchi is expected to retire on 04.12.2026	1	
		NH Kandy	Dr U G L N Gamage is expected to retire on 15.03.2026	1	
		TH Peradeniya	Dr D M U Ranjani is expected to retire on 2027.04.14	1	
18	Microbiology	MRI	Dr M V S C Pathirage is expected to retire on 08.06.2027	1	1
19	Neonatology	SBSCH Peradeniya	Vacant	1	1
20	Neuro Physiology	NH Galle	Vacant	1	1
21	Neuro Surgery	TH Jaffna	Vacant	1	2
		NHSL, Colombo	Dr A M D K Attanayake is expected to retire on 2026.09.19	1	
22	Neurology	NHSL, Colombo	Dr M A H Fernando is expected to retire on 2026.08.19	1	1
23	Obstetrics & Gynecology	CSHW	Dr. P D Liyanagama is expected to retire on 26.12.2026	1	8
		CSHW	Dr T Kadotkajan is expected to retire on 17.12.2026	1	
		CSHW	Dr S Asogan is expected to retire on 2027.06.20	1	
		TH Kurunegala	Dr A G A W Abeysinghe is expected to retire on 2026.12.15	1	
		NH Kandy	Dr S J Jayasinghe is expected to retire on 14.02.2027	1	
		TH Kalutara	Dr P M Dissanayake is expected to retire on 24.04.2027	1	
		TH Kurunegala	Dr A G A Wima is expected to retire on 2026.12.15	1	
		CSTH Kalubowila	Dr S M H Salih is expected to retire on 2026.09.08	1	
24	Oncology	TH Jaffna	Vacant	1	2
		Apeksha Hospital	Dr A J Hilmi is expected to retire on 2026.12.30	1	

25	Ophthalmology	NH Kandy	Dr R W W M R P B Iddawela is expected to retire on 15.03.2027	1	2
		TH Kalutara	Early retirement of Dr P Halpitage on 30th June 2027	1	
26	Orthopedic Surgery	LRH	Dr S R Wijayasinghe is expected to retire on 27.03.2027	1	4
		CNTH Ragama	Dr H D P Bandujeewa is expected to retire on 2027.06.24	1	
		CNTH Ragama	Dr A Ukwattearachchi is expected to retire 24.06.2027	1	
		NH Galle	Dr W H H Mendis is expected to retire on 2027.03.22	1	
27	Otolaryngology	TH Batticaloa	Vacant	1	1
28	Paediatrics	LRH	Vacant	1	7
		LRH	Dr Kosala W Karunarathna is expected to retire on 07.04.2027	1	
		LRH	Dr K K S Panditha is expected to retire on 01.09.2026	1	
		NH Kandy	Dr H M N D K H Henwagedara is expected to retire on 27.02.2027	1	
		TH Batticaloa	Dr C Vamadevan is expected to retire on 17.10.2026	1	
		NH Galle	Dr U B Liyanage is expected to retire on 2027.04.04	1	
		NH Galle	Dr T P G J Shantha is expected to retire on 06.04.2027	1	
29	Paediatric Neurology	NH Galle	Vacant	1	1
30	Parasitology	MRI Colombo	Vacant	1	1
31	Plastic Surgery	NHSL, Colombo	Vacant	1	6
		NH Kandy	Vacant	1	
		SBSCH Peradeniya	Vacant	1	
		TH Peradeniya	Vacant	1	
		NH Galle	Vacant	1	
		TH Jaffna	Vacant	1	
32	Psychiatry	TH Batticaloa	Vacant	1	1
33	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	SBSCH Peradeniya	Vacant	1	2
		LRH	Dr G S Wijethunga is expected to retire on 01.05.2026	1	
34	Virology	MRI	Temporary hold	1	1
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