



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte  
Health Service Executive

**C.S.S.D. Supervisor/Manager**  
**Grade Code 5777**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 22 of the Health Act 2004, I hereby approve the qualifications, as set out hereunder, for the appointment and continuing as **C.S.S.D. Supervisor/Manager** in the HSE.

**1. Professional Qualifications, Experience, etc**

(a) **To be eligible for appointment applicants must satisfy either A or B**

**A:**

- (i) Are registered in the General Division of the Register of Nurses maintained by Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann (Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland) [NMBI] or be entitled to be so registered.

**AND**

- (ii) Have at least 5 years post registration experience of which 2 must be in the specialist area of theatre or related area of sterile services.

**AND**

- (iii) Have completed a QQI accredited programme in sterile services.

**OR**

**B:**

- (i) Hold the Bachelor of Science in Sterile Services Management, at Level 7 on the National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ) maintained by the Quality and Qualifications Ireland (QQI).  
Institute of Technology Tallaght, <http://www.it-tallaght.ie/index.cfm/page/course?id=103>

**OR**

- (ii) Hold an equivalent qualification.

**AND**

- (iii) Have 3 years post qualification experience relevant experience in a sterile services area.

**AND**

- (b) Candidates must possess the requisite knowledge and ability, (including a high standard of suitability and clinical, managerial and administrative capacity), for the proper discharge of the duties of the office.

**2. Annual registration**

- (i) Practitioners must maintain live annual registration on the General Nurse Division of the Register of Nurses & Midwives maintained by Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland [NMBI] (Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann).

**AND**

- (ii) Practitioners must confirm annual registration with NMBI to the HSE by way of the annual Patient Safety Assurance Certificate (PSAC).

**3. Age**

Age restriction shall only apply to a candidate where s/he is not classified as a new entrant (within the meaning of the Public Service Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 2004). A candidate who is not classified as a new entrant must be under 65 years of age on the first day of the month in which the latest date for receiving completed application forms for the office occurs.

**4. Health**

Candidates for and any person holding the office must be fully competent and capable of undertaking the duties attached to the office and be in a state of health such as would indicate a reasonable prospect of ability to render regular and efficient service.

**5. Character**

Candidates for and any person holding the office must be of good character.

**Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March two thousand and eighteen**



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**Rosarii Mannion**  
**National Director of Human Resources**