MAURITIUS PUBLIC SERVICE

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Vacancies for Post of Hospital Physicist/Senior Hospital Physicist
Ministry of Health and Quality of Life

Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for appointment as Hospital Physicist/Senior Hospital Physicist in the Ministry of Health and Quality of Life.

II. AGE LIMIT

Candidates, unless already in the Service, should not have reached their 40th birthday by the closing date for the submission of applications.

III. QUALIFICATIONS

Candidates should possess –

A. a Cambridge Higher School Certificate with passes at Principal Level in at least two subjects including one Science subject obtained on one certificate or Passes in at least two subjects including one Science subject obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Advanced Level”.

B. A degree in Physics or Medical Physics from a recognised institution.

OR

Equivalent qualifications to A and B above acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

C. Candidates should be computer literate.

Note

Qualification at A above should have been obtained prior to qualification at B above. However, candidates who, as at 30 June 2003, did not possess the qualification at A above, will also be considered provided they hold -

(a) a Cambridge School Certificate or Passes obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Ordinary Level” either (i) in five subjects including English Language with at least Grade C in any two subjects or (ii) in six subjects including English Language with at least Grace C in any one subject or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission; and

(b) a Master’s Degree or a postgraduate diploma from a recognised institution in one of the fields at B above or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission.
Qualification at (a) under ‘Note’ should have been obtained prior to qualification at B above and at (b) under ‘Note’.

**NOTE**

Selected candidates may be required to follow a postgraduate training course in Medical Physics at a recognised institution.

**Note**

1. **The onus for the submission of equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Tertiary Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered failing the non-submission of Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date.**

2. The Commission reserves the right to convene only the best qualified candidates for interview.

**IV. DUTIES AND SALARY**

1. To be responsible to the Principal Hospital Physicist for:-

   (a) working in close collaboration with the Radiotherapist in planning the treatment of patients;

   (b) dosimetry and quality assurance of equipment used in medical diagnosis and therapy as well as in other fields;

   (c) carrying out investigations on patients in the field of medical physics as required;

   (d) carrying out radiation surveys within the Ministry, whenever required;

   (e) brachytherapy computerised treatment planning including the use of the Brachytherapy machine;

   (f) manipulating and preparing radiation sources used in interstitial implants, dosimetry and calculations;

   (g) dispensing radioactive substances to patients; and

   (h) training of staff, as and when required.

2. To perform all IT related duties.

3. To perform such other duties directly related to the main duties listed above or related to the delivery of the output and results expected from Hospital Physicist/Senior Hospital Physicists in the roles ascribed to them.
The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale Rs 26,300 x 775 – 32,500 x 925 – 37,125 x 1,225 – 40,800 x 1,525 – 49,950 x 1,625 – 62,950 a month.

V. MODE OF APPLICATION

1. Qualified candidates should submit their application on PSC Form 7 which may be obtained either from the Enquiry Counter of the Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, Ground Floor, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port Louis or from the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from the Chief Commissioner’s Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues or from the offices of the Mauritius High Commission/Embassies overseas.

2. Candidates already in the service should submit their application in duplicate, the original to be sent directly to the Secretary, Public Service Commission and the duplicate through their respective Supervising/Responsible Officers.

3. This advertisement together with the Application Form (PSC Form 7) are available on the website of the Public Service Commission at http://psc.govmu.org

4. Candidates are encouraged to submit on-line application through the government web portal at http://www.govmu.org

5. Acknowledgement of applications will be made, as far as possible, by e-mail. Candidates are therefore advised to submit their e-mail address.

6. Candidates are also advised to read carefully the “NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES” before filling in the Application Form. Care should be taken to fill in the Application Form correctly. Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the Application Form may entail elimination of the applicant.

VI. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side, not later than 3.00 p.m. on Wednesday 08 February 2017.