



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte  
Health Service Executive

**Pathology Technician**  
**Grade Code: 4645**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 18 of the Health Act, 1970, I hereby approve qualifications as set out hereunder for appointment and continuing as a Pathology Technician under a Health Board.

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

Candidates must, on the latest date for receiving completed applications for the post:

Possess the certificate in Mortuary Hygiene and Technology awarded by the Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene, London or such equivalent qualification as may be approved by the Minister for Health from time to time.

**2. Age**

Age restriction shall only apply to a candidate where he/she 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.

**3. 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.

**4. Character**

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

**Approved by Minister for Health**

**Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November one thousand nine hundred and eighty three.**