



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte  
Health Service Executive

<b>Director of Nursing, Assistant – Women &amp; Childrens Services, Waterford Regional Hospital</b> <b>Grade Code: 2910</b>
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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 **Assistant Director of Nursing, Women & Childrens Services, Waterford Regional Hospital in the Health Service Executive.**

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

(a) Candidates must,

- (i) Be registered in the General Division of the Register of Nurses kept by An Bord Altranais or be entitled to be so registered.

**and**

- (ii) Be registered in the Midwifery division of the Register of Nurses and Midwives kept by An Bord Altranais.

**and**

- (b) Candidates must have had satisfactory general and midwifery nursing experience to support the requirements of the post.

**and**

- (c) Candidates must possess the requisite knowledge and ability (including a high standard of suitability and management ability) for the proper discharge of the duties of the office.

**and**

- (d) Candidates must have undertaken training in management appropriate to the post.

**Note: Post holders must maintain annual registration with An Bord Altranais.**

**2. 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.

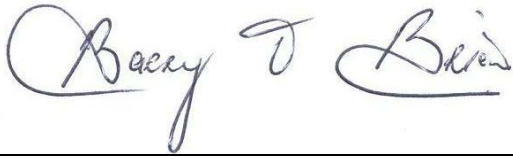
**3. Health**

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.

**Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August two thousand and twelve.**

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Barry O'Brien". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'B' and a long horizontal stroke at the end. Below the signature is a solid horizontal line.

**Barry O'Brien**  
**National Director of Human Resources**