



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte
Health Service Executive

**Director of Nursing, Intellectual Disability Services
Grade Code 2906**

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 **Director of Nursing, Intellectual Disability Services**.

1. Professional Qualifications, Experience, etc

(a) Eligible applicants will be those who on the closing date for the competition:

- (i) Are registered, or are eligible for registration, in the Intellectual Disability Division of the Register of Nurses and Midwives maintained by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann).

And

- (ii) Have 10 years post registration intellectual disability nursing experience and 5 years nursing management experience at a minimum of CNM 2 level of which 3 must have been in an Intellectual Disability (ID) setting immediately prior to the closing date for applications.

And

- (iii) Possess a post graduate qualification at not less than level 8 (QQI) in health care or management related area.

And

- (b) Candidates must possess the requisite clinical, leadership, managerial and administrative knowledge and ability for the proper discharge of the office.

2. Annual registration

Practitioners must maintain live annual registration on the Intellectual Disability Division of the Nurses & Midwives Register maintained by Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann).

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 30th day of May two thousand and sixteen.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Rosarii Mannion', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Rosarii Mannion
National Director of Human Resources