

Basic Grade Pharmaceutical Technician Grade Code: 3212

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 **Basic Grade Pharmaceutical Technician** under a Health Board.

1. <u>Professional Qualifications, Experience, etc</u>

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

(A) the Pharmaceutical Technicians Diploma awarded by the University of Dublin

Or

(B) a recognised qualification at least equivalent to (A) above

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.

Department of Health and Children Approved by Michael Noonan TD Minister for Health Dated this 30th day of January one thousand nine hundred and ninety seven