

Physiotherapist Staff Grade

Grade Code: 314X

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 a **Physiotherapist Staff Grade** in the Health Service Executive.

1. Professional Qualifications & Experience

Candidates must possess:-

- (a) The B.SC (Honours) degree in Physiotherapy from the University of Dublin
- or**
- (b) The Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy from the Royal Collage of Surgeons in Ireland,
- or**
- (c) The Bachelor in Physiotherapy (Honours) Degree from the National University of Ireland
- or**
- (d) The Diploma in Physiotherapy of the University of Dublin or the National University of Dublin
- or**
- (e) Possess the BSc (Hons) Degree in Physiotherapy from the University of Limerick
- or**
- (t) A physiotherapy qualification validated by the Irish Society of Chartered Physiotherapists.
- and**

Have the clinical and administrative capacity to fulfil the functions of the role.

2. Age Restrictions in Relation to Applications

No age restriction shall apply to a candidate except where he/she is not classified as a new entrant (within the meaning of the Public Service Superannuation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 2004). In this case the candidate 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

A candidate 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

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

5. Approved

Date: 15th January 2008

Signed: Martin McDonald
National Director of Human Resources