

Radiation Therapist

Grade Code 3950

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 22 of the Health Act 2004, I herby approve the qualifications, as set out hereunder, for the appointment and continuing as a **Radiation Therapist** in the HSE.

# 1. Statutory Registration, Professional Qualifications, Experience, etc.

### (a) Candidates for appointment must:

(i) Be registered on Radiation Therapists Division of the Radiographers Register maintained by the Radiographers Registration Board at CORU.

#### Or

(ii) Applicants who satisfied the conditions set out in <u>Section 91</u> of the Health and Social Care Professionals Act 2005, (see Note 1\* below), must submit proof of application for registration with the Radiographers Registration Board at CORU. The acceptable proof is correspondence from the Radiographers Registration Board at CORU confirming the current status of their application for registration as a Section 91 applicant.

#### And

(iii) Have the requisite knowledge and ability (including a high standard of suitability and professional ability) for the proper discharge of the duties of the office.

# 2. Annual registration

(i) On appointment practitioners must maintain annual registration on the Radiation Therapists division of the Radiographers Register maintained by the Radiographers Registration Board at CORU.

#### And

(ii) Practitioners must confirm annual registration with CORU to the HSE by way of the annual Patient Safety Assurance Certificate (PSAC).

# 3. <u>Age</u>

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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November two thousand and seventeen.

Rosarii Mannion National Director of Human Resources

This criteria will expire on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018.

Note 1\*:

Section 91 candidates are individuals who qualified <u>before</u> the 31<sup>th</sup> October 2013 and have been engaged in the practice of the profession in the Republic of Ireland for a <u>minimum of 2 years</u> fulltime (or an aggregate of 2 years fulltime), between 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008 and 30<sup>th</sup> October 2013.

To be considered as a Section 91 applicant, individuals must have applied to CORU for registration prior to the 31<sup>st</sup> October 2015.