Government of India (Bharat Sarkar)
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)
(Railway Board)

RBE No. 49/2015.

New Delhi, Dated 22/05/2015.

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/Production Units/
Chairmen, Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs).

Sub: Minimum educational qualification for open market recruitment to various posts in Medical Department on the Railways.


Minimum educational qualification for direct recruitment from open market to various categories of posts in the medical department on the railways have been laid down vide letters under reference.

The issue of review of minimum educational qualification for direct recruitment to various category of posts in the Medical Department on the railways has been under consideration of this Ministry for quite some time. The matter has been deliberated upon in consultation with Health Directorate of this Ministry and it has been decided by the Board that henceforth, qualification for various categories of posts will be as under:-

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Category of Post</th>
<th>Pay Band &amp; Grade Pay</th>
<th>Essential Minimum Prescribed Qualification</th>
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<td>(i)</td>
<td>Staff Nurse</td>
<td>PB-2 ₹ 9300-34800</td>
<td>Certificate as Registered Nurse &amp; Midwife having passed 03 years course in General Nursing and Midwifery from a school of Nursing or other Institution recognized by the Indian Nursing Council or B Sc.(Nursing). <strong>Note:</strong> The Indian Nursing Council has also laid down certain special concessions for the above courses in respect of Auxiliary nurse-Midwives, Midwives and 'B' Grade Nurses, by way of reduced course period etc. Candidates obtaining the qualification prescribed above, under these concessions will also be eligible for recruitment.</td>
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<td>GP. ₹ 4600</td>
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<td>(ii)</td>
<td>Physiotherapist, Gr. II</td>
<td>PB-2 ₹ 9300-34800</td>
<td>10+2 (with Science) plus Diploma/Degree in Physiotherapy.</td>
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<td>(iii)</td>
<td>Pharmacist, Gr. III</td>
<td>PB-1 ₹ 5200-20200</td>
<td>10+2 in Science or its equivalent with 02 (two) years Diploma in Pharmacy and registration with Pharmacy Council of India or registration with State Pharmacy Council.</td>
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<td>(iv)</td>
<td>Health &amp; Malaria Inspector, Gr.III</td>
<td>PB-2</td>
<td>₹ 9300-34800 (GP: ₹ 4200)</td>
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<td>(v)</td>
<td>Radiographer/X-Ray Technician</td>
<td>PB-1</td>
<td>₹ 5200-20200 (GP: ₹ 2800)</td>
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<td>Laboratory Assistant, Gr.II</td>
<td>PB-1</td>
<td>₹ 5200-20200 (GP: ₹ 2000)</td>
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<td>Dietician</td>
<td>PB-2</td>
<td>₹ 9300-34800 (GP: ₹ 4200)</td>
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<td>(viii)</td>
<td>Field Worker, Gr.II (Male/Female)</td>
<td>PB-1</td>
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<td>Extension Educator</td>
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<td>Dental Hygienist</td>
<td>PB-2</td>
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3. These instructions will be effective from the date of its issue and ongoing recruitment for the above said categories where notification has been published will be governed by past instructions on the subject. The letters under reference and relevant provisions accordingly stand modified.


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