



**Clinical Placement Co-ordinator Midwifery**

**(Grade code: 241Y)**

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 **Clinical Placement Co-ordinator Midwifery** in the Health Service Executive.

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

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

<b>(i)</b>	Be a registered nurse/midwife on the active Register of Nurses or Midwives held by An Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann (Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland) or be eligible to be so registered.
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(ii)</b>	Be registered in a Division of the register of midwives in which the application is being made.
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(iii)</b>	Have successfully completed post registration programme of study, as certified by the education provider, which verifies that the applicant has achieved a Quality and Qualifications Ireland (QQI), National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ) major academic award at a minimum of a Level 8 (60 ECTS) or higher relevant to the area of education or a health related subject of care prior to application
<b>OR</b>	
<b>(iv)</b>	Can provide written evidence from the Higher Education Institute that they have achieved the number of 60 ECTS credits equivalent to a minimum of a Level 8 or higher standard, relevant to the area of education or a health related subject of care prior to application
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(v)</b>	Have a minimum of 5 years post registration full time experience or an aggregate of 5 years full time experience in the division of the register in which the application is being made, of which 2 years must be as a midwife working with midwifery students in a practice learning environment
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(vi)</b>	Have completed a Teaching and Assessing or Preceptorship in Practice course, programme or module
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(vii)</b>	Have the clinical, managerial and administrative capacity to properly discharge the functions of the role.

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<b>(ix)</b>	Have the clinical, managerial and administrative capacity to properly discharge the functions of the role.
<b>AND</b>	
<b>(x)</b>	Demonstrate evidence of continuing professional development

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- (b) Candidates must possess ability to practice safely and effectively fulfilling his/her professional responsibility within his/her scope of practice

**2. Annual registration**

<b>(i)</b>	Practitioners must maintain live annual registration on the relevant division of the Register of Nurses and Midwives maintained by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (Bord Altranais agus Cnáimhseachais na hÉireann).
<b>And</b>	
<b>(ii)</b>	Confirm annual registration with NMBI to the HSE by way of the annual Patient Safety Assurance Certificate (PSAC).

**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.

**Dated this 19th day of August two thousand and twenty four**



**Anne Marie Hoey**  
**Chief People Officer**