



## ABSTRACT

Public services – Tamil Nadu Medical Subordinate Service – Post of Occupational Therapist– Amendment to the Adhoc Rules – Issued.

.....

### HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (C2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms.) No.88

Dated: 23.03.2015

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2046  
ஜய, பங்குனி 09

#### Read:

- (1) G.O.Ms.No. 2155, Health and Family Planning Department, dated 05.09.1963.
- (2) G.O.Ms.No. 1020, Health and Family Planning Department, dated 29.04.1976.

#### Read also:-

- (3) From the Director of Medical Education letter No. 16802/E5/3/2014, dated 23.04.14 and 01.10.2014.
- ~~~~~

### ORDER:

In Rehabilitation, the role of Occupational Therapist is to regain the normal activities of the individuals who are affected physically. Since 1980 all the Occupational Therapy Colleges in India have revised their syllabus and curriculum to upgrade the course duration from three years with six months internship until 1997 to four years with six months internship thenceforth to award Bachelor Degree to those students. Bachelor Degree in Occupational Therapy with 4 years of full time education and 6 months of compulsory full time internship has been offered by the colleges under the affiliation of the Tamil Nadu Dr.M.G.R. Medical University and some other Colleges / Universities offer Master and Doctoral Degree courses in Occupational Therapy. As such, for giving better treatment to the patients change of Educational Qualification to Adhoc Rule is very much necessary for filling up of the post of Occupational Therapist.

The appended Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**Dr.J.RADHAKRISHNAN,  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Director of Medical Education, Chennai-10.  
The Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai-6.  
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Chennai-18.  
The Accountant General(Audit), Chennai-35.  
The Director of Stationery and Printing, Chennai-79.  
(for Publication of the Notification in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette)  
The Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department / Law Department,  
Chennai-9.  
Health and Family Welfare (Data Cell) Department, Chennai-9  
SF/SC.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER//

  
**SECTION OFFICER**

**APPENDIX.****NOTIFICATION.**

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendments to the rules published with the erstwhile Education and Public Health Department Notification SRO No. A 972 of 1963, dated the 5th September 1963 at page 1009 of Part – V of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated the 16<sup>th</sup> October 1963, as subsequently amended.

2. The amendments hereby made shall come into force on the date of publication of this Notification in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette.

**AMENDMENTS.**

In the said Rules,-

(1) in rule 1, for the expression "Government Mental Hospital, Madras", the expression "Government Medical Institutions" shall be substituted;

(2) for rule 5, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"5. Qualification.- No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post unless he possesses the following qualifications, namely:-

(a) Must have passed Higher Secondary Course, and

(b) a Bachelor Degree in Occupational Therapy 3 years course with 6 months internship until 1997(or) four years course with 6 months internship in Occupational Therapy awarded by any University recognised by the University Grants Commission.";

(3) to rule 7, the following Provisos shall be added, namely:-

" Provided further that on and from 1.06.1988, the monthly pay shall be calculated in the scale of pay of Rs.1400-40-1600-50-2300-60-2600:

Provided also that on and from 1.06.1996, the monthly pay shall be calculated in the scale of pay of Rs.5000-150-8000:

Provided also that on and from 1.01.2006, the monthly pay shall be calculated in the scale of pay of Rs.9300-34800 GP 4200"

**Dr.J.RADHAKRISHNAN,  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

//True Copy//

  
Section Officer

6/10/14