



राज्य स्वास्थ्य समिति, बिहार

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Call for Applications for -6 Month Bridge Program on certificate in community Health for Nurses under National Health Mission.

State Health society, Bihar invites applications from candidates (Regular & Contractual employees as GNM) who are willing and enthusiastic to serve the community may apply for the 6-Months Bridge Program on "**Certificate in community Health for Nurses under national Health Mission**". This course is part of an initiative under the National Health Mission to Strengthen Sub-Centre as Health & Wellness Centres (H&WCs) for improved implementation of Public health programmes and to enable comprehensive primary health care service delivery, including disease prevention and health promotion. Candidates who successfully complete this course will be posted at these **Sub Centres as Community Health Officers (CHOs)** to lead a primary health care team consisting of frontline workers such as the female health workers (ANMs), male health worker (MPW), and ASHAs, subject to approval by competent authority.

The program will be implemented through the India Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) The eligibility criteria for applying for this Bridge Program is as follows:-

Sl.No	Name of the Course	No. of Seats	Age as on 1 st Sept 2016	Eligibility Criteria
1	Certificate in community Health for Nurses under national Health Mission	60 Govt. reservation policy applicable	for UR/EBC/BC – less than 35 years, for SC/ST- less than 40 years	Essential Criteria:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> At least 2 years relevant work experience as GNM (regular or contractual) in Bihar State Government. Desirable Criteria:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proficiency in regional/local language and dialect.

Note:-

1. State Health Society, Bihar under NHM shall provide support for boarding and lodging allowances. IGNOU fees; transport for Practicum, and other training related costs. Apart from this, in –service candidates will continue to receive their salary/compensation during the training period. Those not currently in Government employment will be given honorarium.
2. After successful completion of the course, the successful candidates will be posted at the identified Sub-Centres as community Health Officers subject to approval of the competent authority. Those already in regular or contractual job will receive additional increment or higher remuneration for working as the community Health Officers.
3. Eligible candidates may download the application form from the official website www.statehealthsocietybihar.org. by clicking the link **career - Application for 6-Months Bridge Program on Certificate in community Health for Nurses** and submit their application by hand or by registered post/courier to address below on or before 28 Nov, 2016 by 05:00 pm to "State Health Society, Bihar Pariwar Kalyan Bhawan, Sheikhpura, Patna-14" mentioning clearly "Application for 6-Months Bridge Program on Certificate in community Health for Nurses" on

the centre top of the envelop. Documents to be submitted include (a) an application form (b) curriculum vitae (c) copies of qualification, nursing council registration and experience certificates.

4. All applications will be subjected to a screening process and shortlisted candidates will have to undergo a written examination.
5. Selection shall be subject to reservation policy, as per Bihar Government Rules.
6. Candidates applying under reserved category shall need to attach a copy of their caste certificate, issued by competent authority of Bihar Government.
7. Reservation benefits will be available only to applicants who are domicile of Bihar.
8. Numbers of seats are indicative only and can be changed without any notice.
9. All essential documents will be verified.
10. For the purpose of calculation of experience, age, qualification etc, the reference date September 01, 2016.
11. Only shortlisted candidate will be called for Written Examination. All original educational/experience/other certificates must be carried at the time of written examination.
12. Written Examination for shortlisted candidate shall be held on 4th Dec, 2016. List of shortlisted candidates for Written Examination and examination centre shall be made available on 1st Dec, 2016 on the official website www.statehealthsocietybihar.org.
13. No TA/DA will be given for attending the written Examination.
14. State Health Society, Bihar reserves the right to change the number of seats/this advertisement without assigning reason.
15. The application must contain the following documents:-
 - a) Self attested copies of Mark-sheet and Certificate of relevant qualification as per eligibility criteria.
 - b) 2 passport size Colour photo
 - c) Self attested copy of proof of date of birth (Secondary Certificate or equivalent exam. Experience Certificate.
 - d) Caste Certificate (If the candidate belongs to SC/ST/OBC category)
16. Candidates will have to sign contract with concerned district to work in selected Sub-Centres only.

Administrative Officer
State Health Society, Bihar