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OFFICE OF THE PROJECT DIRECTOR,
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NOTICE FOR ADMISSION INTO MEDICAL
ASSISTANT TRAINING SCHOOL AT FARID-
PUR, KUSHTIA BOGRA, NOAKHALI, TAN-
GAIL, COMILLA, SERAJGONJ (PABNA),
BAGERHAT (KHULNA), KISHOREGANJ (MY-
MENSINGH) MUNSHIGONJ (DACC A) JAMAL-
PUR, MOULVIBAZAR (SYLHET), RANGAMATI
(CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS), PIROJPUR
(BARISAL), MAGURA (JESSORE), CHAPAI
NOWABGANJ (RAJSHAHI), THAKURGAON
(DINAJPUR) AND KURIGRAM (RANGPUR).

Applications are invited for admission into Medical Assistant Training Schools at Faridpur, Kushtia, Bogra, Noakhali, Tangail, Comilla, Sirajganj (Pabna) Bagerhat (Khulna) Kishoreganj (Mymensingh), Munshigonj (Dacca), Jamalpur, Moulvi Bazar (Sylhet), Rangamati (Chittagong Hill Tracts), Pirojpur (Barisal), Magura (Jessore), Chapai Nowabgonj (Rajshahi), Thakurgaon (Dinajpur), and Kurigram (Rangpur) for the session 1981-82. The duration of the course is for a period of 2 years institutional and field studies followed by 1 (one) year internship leading to diploma award. After successful completion of the course and necessary training the Medical Assistants will be posted at various Union and Thana Health Centre under Thana Health Complexes in the country. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Tribal people of Chittagong Hill Tracts in the Rangamati School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Monipuri and other tribal students of Sylhet district in Mouli Bazar School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Garos and other tribals of Tangail district in Tangail School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Garos and other tribals in the district of Mymensingh in the Kishoreganj School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Garos and other tribals of Jamalpur district in Jamalpur School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Santhal and other tribal of Rajshahi district in Chapai Nowabgonj School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Santhal and other tribal of Dinajpur district of Thakurgaon School. Tribals Monipuri Santhals and other tribals candidates will have to produce certificates to this effect from their respective Deputy Commissioners.

Name of the Schools Name of the attached district

1. Faridpur	1. Faridpur
2. Kushtia	2. Kushtia
3. Bogra	3. Bogra
4. Noakhali	4. Noakhali
5. Comilla	5. Comilla
6. Tangail	6. Tangail
7. Serajgonj (Pabna)	7. Pabna
8. Bagerhat (Khulna)	8. Khulna
9. Kishoreganj (Mymensingh)	2. Patuakhali
10. Munshigonj (Dacca)	9. Mymensingh
11. Jamalpur	10. Dacca
12. Moulvi Bazar (Sylhet)	11. Jamalpur
13. Rangamati (Ctg. Hill Tracts)	12. Sylhet
14. Pirojpur (Barisal)	13. Chittagong Hill Tracts
15. Magura (Jessore)	14. Barisal
16. Chapai Nowabgonj (Rajshahi)	15. Jessore
17. Thakurgaon (Dinajpur)	16. Rajshahi
18. Kurigram (Rangpur)	17. Dinajpur
	18. Rangpur

Candidates of the respective districts are advised to apply to the Principal of the respective school. Application forms are obtainable from the Principal on payment of Tk. 10/- each. The forms can also be obtained by post if a postal order of Tk. 10/- and self addressed stamped envelope are sent to the Principal of the respective school duly completed application forms should be submitted to the Principal not later than 25-9-81. (a) 67% of the available seats in each Medical Assistant Training School will be filled up from the intending candidates of age not more than 22 years on 1-7-81. (b) 15% of the seats will be filled up from the departmental candidate i.e. F.W.W., G.H.A. but not general staff. The departmental candidates have to resign from service before they are admitted in the school. (c) 15% seats will be filled up from the F.W.A's subject to the condition that they fulfill requirements of qualification to the said training course. However, relaxation may be allowed in respect of age up to 30 years in case of departmental candidates but there will not be any relaxation of the requirement of educational qualification for these training course. No deputation will however be allowed for such training of FWA's. (d) 8% seats reserved for the sons and daughters of the doctors and Medical Assistants. Maximum age of the departmental candidates shall not be more than 30 years on 1-7-81. The following are the other requisites for admission into the course.

1. Minimum academic qualification- S.S.C. 2nd Division,

The selection of the candidates for admission would be based on merit as manifested by marks obtained in S.S.C. examination by the candidates plus an interview and viva-voce test to examine aptitude of boys/girls particularly to serve rural areas.

20% of the seats in each school will be reserved for female candidates of all the above categories. If 20% female candidates are not available under any one of the categories mentioned above, such balance may be filled up from the other categories from the same district.

Interview cards will be issued to the candidates and they are to appear before a selection board at the respective school, the date of which will be fixed and informed by the respective Principal.

During the course of 2 years of studies the students will have to pay Tk. 20/- as tuition fees per month. There are limited seats in the hostel and students are to pay Tk. 10/- per month as seat rent when seats are provided.

Stipend of Tk. 100/- per month will be given to all the regular students including the departmental candidates. Stipend will be discontinued for irregular students. Honorarium of Tk. 300/- per month during the period of 1 (one) year internship will also be provided to the Medical Assistant.

The application form should be accompanied with original or Photostat copy (1) S.S.C. marks sheet from the board concerned, (2) Character Certificate from the Head of the Institution where he studied last (3) Certificate of residence from local Union Council Chairman (4) Other testimonials, if any along with, (5) Two copies of Passport size photographs of the applicant duly attested by a Gazetted Officer. No affidavit will be allowed for admission.

Candidates will have to show their original certificates at the time of interview.

Admission of selected candidates is subject to Medical Fitness.

No T.A. and D.A. will be allowed for the interview.

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