

GOVERNMENT OF THE
PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH
OFFICE OF THE PROJECT DIRECTOR,
MEDICAL ASSISTANT TRAINING PROGRAMME
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF HEALTH
SERVICES

105-106, MOTIJHEEL COMMERCIAL AREA,
DACCA.

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 (DACCA) 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) Kishore-
gonj (Mymensingh), Munshigonj (Dacca),
Jamalpur, Moulvi Bazar (Sylhet), Rangamati
(Chittagong Hill Tracts), Pirojpur (Barisal),
Magura (Jessore), Chapai Nowabgonj (Raj-
shahi), Thakurgaon (Dinajpur), and Kurigram
(Rangpur) for the session 1981-82. The dura-
tion 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 Ranga-
mati School. 1 (one) seat is reserved for Moni-
puri and other tribal students of Sylhet dis-
trict in Moulvi Bazar School. 1 (one) seat is
reserved for Garos and other tribals of Tangail
district in Tangail School. 1 (one) seat is reserv-
ed for Garos and other tribals in the district
of Mymensingh in the Kishoregonj 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 Thakur-
gaon 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
	2. Chittagong
5. Comilla	5. Comilla
6. Tangail	6. Tangail
7. Serajgonj (Pabna)	7. Pabna
8. Bagerhat (Khulna)	8. Khulna
	2. Patuakhali
9. Kishoregonj (Mymensingh)	9. Mymensingh
10. Munshigonj (Dacca)	10. Dacca
11. Jamalpur	11. Jamalpur
12. Moulvi Bazar (Sylhet)	12. Sylhet
13. Rangamati (Ctg. Hill Tracts)	13. Chittagong Hill Tracts
14. Pirojpur (Barisal)	14. Barisal
15. Magura (Jessore)	15. Jessore
16. Chapai Nowabgonj (Rajshahi)	16. Rajshahi
17. Thakurgaon (Dinajpur)	17. Dinajpur
18. Kurigram (Rangpur)	18. Rangpur

Candidates of the respective districts are
advised to apply to the Principal of the res-
pective school. Application forms are obtain-
able from the Principal on payment of
Tk. 10/- each. The forms can also be obtain-
ed by post if a postal order of Tk. 10/- and
self addressed stamped envelope are sent to the
Principal of the respective school duly com-
pleted 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 de-
putation 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 de-
partmental 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 admis-
sion 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 re-
served for female candidates of all the above
categories. If 20% female candidates are not
available under any one of the categories men-
tioned above, such balance may be filled up
from the other categories from the same dis-
trict.

Interview cards will be issued to the can-
didates and they are to appear before a selec-
tion board at the respective school, the date of
which will be fixed and informed by the res-
pective 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 dis-
continued 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 accompani-
ed with original or Photostat copy (1) S.S.C.
marks sheet from the board concerned, (2)
Character Certificate from the Head of the Ins-
titution 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 sub-
ject to Medical Fitness.

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

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