

## VACANCY NOTICE

Under Section 45 of Mental Health Care Act, 2017, every State/Uts have to establish State Mental Health Authority consisting of Ex-Officio and Non-Official Members. Applications are invited from the bonafide Indian citizens to fill up the following posts belong to non-official members in order to establish State Mental Health Authority to implement Mental Health Care Act, 2017 in Andaman and Nicobar Islands:-

S No.	Name of the posts	No. of posts	Qualification	Experience	Age limit.
1.	Psychiatrist	01	Post Graduate degree or diploma in Psychiatry awarded by an university recognised by the University Grants Commission established under the University Grants commission Act, 1956, or awarded or recognised by the National Board of Examinations ad included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 or recognised by the Medical council of India, constituted under the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.		Below 67 years.
2.	Mental Health Professional	01	Post Graduate Degree (Ayurveda) in Mano Vigyan Avum Manas Roga or a post graduate degree (Homocopathy) in Psychiatry or a post graduate degree (Unani) in Moalijat (Nafasiyatt) or a post graduate degree (sidha) in Sirappu Maruthuvam.	15 years experience in the respective field.	Below 67 years
3.	Psychiatric Social Worker	01	Post Graduate Degree in Social work and a Master of Philosophy in Psychiatric Social Work obtained after completion of a full time course of two years which includes supervised clinical training from any University recognised by the University Grants Commission established under the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 or such recognised qualifications.	15 years experience in the respective field.	Below 67 years
4.	Clinical Psychologist	01	Having a recognised qualification in Clinical Psychology from an institution approved and recognised by the Rehabilitation Council of India, constituted under Section 3 of the Rehabilitation Council of India Act, 1992. (or)	15 years experience in the respective field.	Below 67 years



			Having a post Graduate Degree in Psychology or Clinical Psychology or Applied Psychology and a Master of Philosophy in clinical Psychoogy or Medical and Social Psychology obtained after completion of a full time course of two years which includes supervised clinical training from any University recognised by the University Grants Commission established under the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 and approved and recognised by the Rehabilitation Council of India Act, 1992 or such recognised qualifications as may be prescribed.		
5.	Mental Health Nurse	01	Diploma or Degree in General Nursing or Diploma or Degree in Psychiatric Nursing recognised by the Nursing Council of India established under the Nursing Council of India Act, 1947 and registered as such with the relevant nursing council in the State.		Below 67 years
6.	<b><u>Non-official Members (Others)</u></b> (a)	02	Persons representing persons who have had mental illness	Preference will be given to person with 10 years of experience in dealing with persons with mental illness.	Below 67 years
	(b)	02	Persons representing care-givers of persons with mental illness or organisations representing care givers	Preference will be given to person with 10 years of experience in dealing with persons with mental illness.	Below 67 years




	(c)	02	Persons representing non-governmental organisations which provide services to persons with mental illness.	Preference will be given to person with 10 years of experience in dealing with persons with mental illness.	Below 67 years
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The members referred to above will be nominated by the Government.

(a) Term of Office and allowances:

- (i) The member nominated shall hold office for a term of three years at a time from the date of his/her nomination.
- (ii) Members attending the meeting of the Authority are entitled to sitting allowance, travelling allowance, daily allowance and such other allowances as are applicable to non-official members of the Commissions and Committees of the State Government attending the meetings of such commission or committee.
- (iii) Interested applicants/ organizations may download application form from [www.and.nic.in](http://www.and.nic.in), [www.andaman.gov.in](http://www.andaman.gov.in) and <http://dhs.andaman.gov.in> and submit it along with copies of certificates/ documents by post/speed post/by hand to the Director of Health Services, (Legal Section), A&N Administration, Port Blair – 744 104.
- (iv) Last date for submission of application and documents is 9<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2019 (Friday) by 5.00 PM.

  
 Director of Health Services  
 A&N Administration