

Government of West Bengal  
Department of Health & Family Welfare  
(Nursing Branch)  
Swasthya Bhawan, Sector-V, GN-29  
Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091

No.011/HFW-18/1/2021-DIR-Nursing Sec.

Dated, Kolkata, 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2022

**ORDER**

It appears that a good number of in-service Health Assistants (Female) having requisite qualifications as per Recruitment Rules of Staff Nurse Grade-II, apply for recruitment to the posts of Staff Nurse Grade-II and subsequently many of them are also appointed in terms of extant recruitment rules to the posts of Staff Nurse Grade-II every year.

2. Later it is found that after being posted as Staff Nurse Grade-II from the posts of Health Assistant (Female), they apply for service continuity and counting of past service towards grant of pensionary benefits.

3. Now, after careful consideration of the matter, the undersigned is directed by the order of the Governor to say that the Governor has been pleased to accord the continuity of past service towards pensionary benefit only to the Health Assistants (Female) applied and subsequently appointed to the post of Staff Nurse Grade-II as per extant recruitment rules of Staff Nurse Grade-II under administrative control of Health & Family Welfare Department, Govt. of West Bengal, subject to the following conditions.

- i). They should apply through proper channel and have NOC from the Head of Office concerned.
- ii). They should be confirmed in the present service of Staff Nurse, Grade-II.
- iii). The previous and the present both the services should be regular/substantive/permanent in nature.
- iv). They should be covered under GPF Scheme and the GPF account of the previous service should be continued in the present service and the GPF amount therein should be transferred accordingly.
- v). There should be no gap between the release of previous service and joining to the present service except that are allowed as 'Transit Period' stated in WBSR.
- vi). If DP/CP/JP is pending; they are not eligible to apply for such movement.
- vii). If any doubt arises to apply these provisions or any of them in this regard, the matter shall be referred to the Finance Department (Pension Branch) for decision.

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viii). No terminal benefits of the HA(F) previous service i.e service of Health Assistants (Female) will be allowed while she moves to the Staff Nurse Grade-II.

4. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Dept. (Pension Branch) vide U.O. No. 04-F(Pen), dated 17.01.2022.

5. This order issues in the interest of public services.

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Special Secretary to the  
Government of West Bengal

No. 011/HFW-18/1/2021-DIR-Nursing Sec. /1(11)

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