

### Clarification of published News

The news item published on 17 March, 2025 in the Tripura Observer newspaper under the title "**Manik Sarkar slams state govt For handing over health, education to private entities**". Which has come to the attention of Health and Family Welfare Department.

In this connection the department is issuing the following clarification regarding the published news:-

- As on date there are total no of Doctors are 1108, Super specialist 355, Nursing Officer 2236, Paramedical staff are 2882.
- 54 numbers of Post Graduate seats have been increased from 25 PG seats to 79 PG Seats at Agartala Government Medical College, Agartala. Amongst these 50% seats are for State Quota and 50% All India Quota.
- 25 number seats were increased in MBBS Course in Agartala Government Medical College, Agartala making a total of 150 seats for instituting 10% of the total recognized seats for EWS quota.
- Recruitment of 224 Medical Officer in Gr-IV of THS has been initiated. Notification has been issued by the TPSC on 25th October 2024. The written examination was conducted on 09-02-2025.
- Recruitment of 172 Specialist in Gr-IV of THS & 16 Super Specialists Medical Officer in Gr-III of THS has been initiated, all the necessary documents have been forwarded to the TPSC. At present the advertisement has been floated by TPSC.
- Absorption of Medical Officer (having specialization in respective discipline) in Specialist Cadre is under process.
- The Council of Ministers has approved the amendment of Recruitment Rules for the post of Lab. Tech (Blood).
- Administrative works for engagement on outsourcing basis in 100 posts of Nursing Officer (erstwhile Staff Nurse) is under process.
- In view to fill up promotional posts of Drivers from Group-D staff, proposal has been sent to all Addl. District Magistrate & Collectors (Chairman of Committee) to conduct practical test and interview.
- The Council of Ministers has also concurred the proposal for creation and filling up of 241 nos. of L.D. Clerk posts under the Health & Family Welfare Department, Government of Tripura vide No. F.8 (12)-GA(CAB)/2024, dated 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2024.
- Recruitment of 1158 nos. of Multi-Tasking (Group-D) posts for recruitment is under process.
- 22 Medical officers has been encadred in Gr-IV of Tripura Ayurvedic Services.
- 03 candidates have been given appointment to medical officer (Homeo) has been completed and the selected personnel has joined their respective place of posting on 02-12-2024.
- 175 Nursing Officers vacancy recruitment notified. Out of which 152 candidates have been given appointments through written test, viva and interview to the post of Nursing Officer.

- 176 candidates' appointment offer letter released for the post of LDC Group-C selected through JRBT, out of which 167 joined the service.
- 200 nos. of Pharmacist (Allo.), 143 nos. Laboratory Technician, 22 nos. of Pharmacist Homeo & 25 nos. of Pharmacist (Ayurvedic) appointment letter released as on 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.
- 308 candidates have been given appointment letters to the post of Multi-Tasking Staff (Group-D).
- Recruitment process of 07 no's of dental technician and 03 nos. post of dental hygienist, examinations held on 6th December, 2024. Viva has been conducted on 07th February 2025.
- 38 candidates have been given appointments to the post of LD Clerk on fixed pay basis in die-in harness scheme.
- 30 candidates have been given appointments to the post of Group-D on fixed pay basis in die-in harness scheme.
- 05 Computer has been promoted to the post of Inspector (Vital Statistic) on ad-hoc basis.
- 06 Field Worker has been promoted to the post of LDC on ad-hoc basis.
- 20 Group-D staff have been promoted to the post of Driver.
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- Written examination and viva voice of recruitment of 100 no's of MPW (Male-50 and Female-50) has been completed on 15.12.2024 and 28.01.2025.
- The Finance Department has concurred for continuation of 100 nos. temporary vacant posts of MPW 50 nos. posts of MPW (Male) & 50 no's of MPW (Female) during F.Y 2024-25.
- Creation of 32 (thirty-two) post of MPS (Male) proposal for revival during F.Y 2024-25.
- Continuation of 49 (forty-nine) temporary vacant of Public Health Nurse (Nursing Officer) already revaluated during F.Y 2024-25.

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