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Ministry of Health

“Suwasiripaya”

385, Rev.Baddegama Wimalawamsha Thero Mawatha
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Ministry of Health & Mass Media and All the Heads of Institutions / Hospitals under the Ministry.

Limited Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Electro-Medical Technician Grade III Technical Segment – 03 Service Category of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media – 2026

Applications are invited from qualified candidates for the recruitment to fill the existing 28 vacancies in the post of Electro-Medical Technician in the Management Assistant Technical Segment – 03 Service Category of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media and the hospitals and institutions under its purview.

2. Qualifications

2.1. Educational and Vocational Qualifications

Educational Qualifications	Vocational Qualifications
Having passed the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination in six (06) subjects at one sitting with credit passes in Sinhala/Tamil/English Language, Mathematics and two other subjects.	01. Having completed one of the following courses that includes National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 05, offered by an institution under the Department of Technical Education and Training or an institution recommended by the said Department.
OR	i. Three-Year Part-Time National Certificate in Technology (Electrical & Electronic Engineering)
Possess National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 03.	ii. Two-Year Full-Time National Certificate in Industrial Technology (Electrical & Electronic Engineering)
	iii. Two-Year Full-Time National Diploma in Electrical Technology
	iv. Two-Year Full-Time National Certificate in Electrical Technology
	OR
	02. Having completed one of the following courses at National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 05 offered by the Industrial Engineering Training Institute in Moratuwa.
	i. Electronics Craftsman Course
	ii. Electrician Course
	OR

03. Having completed one of the following courses at National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 05 offered by an institution under the purview of the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission or an institution recommended by the said Commission.

- i. National Diploma in Electrical Technology (Full-Time)
- ii. Diploma in Electrical Technology
- iii. Diploma in Electrical Technology (03 Years Part-Time)
- iv. Higher National Diploma in Electrical Technology
- v. National Certificate in Electrical Technology (NCIT – Electrical)
- vi. National Diploma in Electrical Technology (03 Years Part-Time)

OR

04. Having Level 06 qualifications in Bio-Medical Equipment Technology certified by the National Apprenticeship and Industrial Training Authority or awarded by an institution under its purview.

OR

05. Having followed a National Technical Certificate Course in Electrical/Electronic Technology offered by the Government and fulfilled the qualifications specified under Public Administration Circular No. 46/90 VI dated 30.10.1990 in accordance with Public Administration Circular No. 22/2015 dated 17.11.2015.

2.2. Experience:

(a) Applicants have been confirmed in the appointment

(b) Applicants should have completed at least five years of active and satisfactory service period in the relevant field under a permanent appointment in the line ministry (Health) immediately preceding the prescribed date.

Note:- A preceding five years satisfactory service means "Should not have been subject to a disciplinary punishment as per the provisions set out in Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020"

2.3. Physical Fitness: Every candidate should possess sufficient physical and mental fitness to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post.

2.4. Other:

I. Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.

II. Should be of excellent character.

III. All the qualifications specified under Sections 2.1 to 2.5 required for recruitment to the post should have been fully satisfied in every respect as at 12.10.2026

2.5. Age: Not relevant

03. Method of Recruitment: Written Examination and Practical Vocational Examination

Paper	Syllabus	Duration	Total Marks	Pass Marks
1. Written Examination	The syllabus is given below.			
I. Intelligence Test and General Knowledge		1 Hour	100	50%
II. Subject-oriented General Knowledge		1 Hour	100	50%
2. Practical Vocational Test		2 Hours	100	50%

Question Paper	Syllabus
Intelligence Test and General Knowledge	This paper consists of questions aimed at judging the candidate's logical thinking, analytical thinking, and ability to make decisions.
Subject-oriented General Knowledge	Current Electricity – Direct Current (D.C.) Electricity, Ohm's Law, Kirchhoff's Laws, Potential Difference, Methods of Measuring Current Magnetism – Electromagnetism Static Electricity – Coulomb's Law

	Waves– Electromagnetic Waves Electronic Physics – Semiconductor Diodes and Transistors Heat– Expansion, Coefficient of Linear Expansion Mathematics – Trigonometric Functions Newtonian Physics Electrical Machines – (D.C. Motors, A.C. Motors, Transformers)
Practical Vocational Test	Basic knowledge relevant to the field, knowledge of installation and repair of equipment, identification of faults in equipment relevant to the field, knowledge of the use of equipment relevant to the field, single-phase motors, three-phase motors, direct current motors, three-phase heating coils, use of an oscilloscope, star-delta circuits, and power supply circuits.

04. Salary Structure and Salary Scale: Monthly:

Rs. 50,090 – 10 × 540 – 10 × 630 – 11 × 1,010 – 10 × 1,190 – Rs. 84,420

MT 1 (as per Schedule II of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025)

05. Terms of Engagement in Service

- (i) The officers who are recruited shall be willing to serve any part of the island.
- (ii) The post you are appointed to is permanent. You are subject to policy decisions made by the Government in future regarding the pension scheme the selected candidates are entitled to. Further, you shall contribute to the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund / Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Fund. You shall pay your contribution as prescribed by the Government from time to time.
- (iii) Applicants shall ensure that their applications are duly certified and forwarded through the Head of Department /Institution. Prior to appearing for the examination, every applicant shall ensure that his/her signature on the admission card is duly certified by the Head of the Institution in which he/she is employed. .
- (iv) Service experience shall be certified by the Head of Department/Institution.
- (v) This appointment is subject to three (03) year probation period and applicants shall pass the first efficiency bar examination within first three (03) years from the date of appointment.
- (vi) Proficiency in relevant official language shall be acquired within five (05) years from the date of appointment as per the Public Administration Circular No. 18/2020 and other circulars incidental thereto.

(vii) This appointment is subject to procedural rules issued by Public Administration Commission, Establishment Code of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Financial Regulations of Government of Sri Lanka, provisions in circulars issued by the Government, the recruitment procedure to the post of Electro Medical Technician-management Assistant Technical Segment 03 and circulars and General provisions issued by the Secretary to Ministry of Health and Mass media from time to time.

(viii) The medium you are appointed shall be the medium specified by you in the application.

06. Method of Application

(a) Applicants shall forward the application prepared as per the specimen form appended here through the Head of his/her service station by registered post and shall not be addressed to the personal name of any officer.

(b) Duly completed applications should be sent to the address " Secretary, Ministry of Health and mass media, Administration 07 Division, No.106,DudleySenanayaka Mawatha, Colombo 08" by registered post before ~~12.10~~ 12.10.2026 stating "Recruitment for the post of Electro Medical Technician (Limited) – Management Assistant Technical Segment 03 Service Category in Ministry of Health and Mass Media" of the top left hand corner of the envelope in which the application is enclosed.

(c) The closing date of application is : ~~..12.10~~ 12.10.2026

(d) The examination fee is Rs. 1,000.00. This amount should be paid at any branch of the Bank of Ceylon to be credited to Account No. 7041318 maintained in the name of the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, at the Thaprobane Branch of the Bank of Ceylon, and the receipt obtained should be firmly affixed within the space provided in the specimen application. The examination fee will not be refunded for any reason or considered valid for any other examination or purpose. It is also advisable to retain a copy of the application and the receipt for the payment. (Money orders and stamps will not be accepted.)

(e) When preparing the application, the name of the examination stated in the heading should be given in English in addition to Sinhala in applications prepared in Sinhala, and in English in addition to Tamil in applications prepared in Tamil.

(f) Any alterations are not considered after forwarding applications.

07. Identity of Candidates

Candidates shall prove their identity to the satisfaction of the Supervisor of the Examination Hall for each subject they sit in the examination hall. Any of the following documents will be accepted for this purpose.

- I. National Identity Card
- II. Valid Passport
- III. Valid Sri Lankan Driving License

Furthermore, candidates shall enter the examination hall without covering their face and both ears so as to verify their identity. Candidates who refuse to prove their identity so will not be permitted to enter into the examination hall. Further, from the moment of entering the examination hall till leaving after the examination, candidate shall not cover the face and both ears enabling the Examination Authorities to identify the candidate. Any other instructions relating the examination will be notified through the admission card. Similarly, the Supervisor of Examination has the authority to refuse admission or remove from the examination hall any candidate who fails to comply with these terms.

08. Attestation of Signature

- (a) The application shall be certified by the Head of the department or a staff grade officer duly authorized to sign on his/her behalf. The certifying officer shall satisfy himself/herself that the particulars furnished in the application are correct in every respect
- (b) Candidates who have not fulfilled all prescribed eligibility requirements shall not submit their applications

09. Providing False Information

Applications shall be carefully furnished with accurate information. If any information furnished by any candidate is found to be false before the appointment, his/ her candidature will be cancelled. If any such information is found to be false is disclosed after the appointment, action will be taken to dismiss the candidate from service subject to relevant legal action.

10. Conditions of the Examination:-

- I. All the required qualifications for the post shall be fulfilled as at...~~1.2.10~~...2026. The applicants who have not secured prescribed qualifications are not eligible for the appointment even though they obtain adequate marks in the examination.
- II. Applicant shall bear a post in the approved cadre of a hospital /Institution under line ministry or ministry at the time of applying for this post.
- III. The applications which are not prepared in compliance to the specimen form appended hereto and incomplete applications are rejected without any notification.
- IV. Receipt of application will not be acknowledged and applications received after closing date will not be accepted.
- V. The examination for recruitment consists of two parts namely written examination and Practical Vocational Test.
- VI. Applicants who have submitted duly completed applications will be called for the competitive examination on the assumption that only those who possess the qualifications specified in the Gazette Notification have applied. The applicants will be informed accordingly at the address stated in the application.
- VII. The written examination consists of two question papers as Intelligence Test and General Knowledge.
- VIII. As per the merit order demonstrated in written examination, a number of candidates equal to twice of the number expected to be recruited will be summoned for practical vocational test.

- IX. Only officers who successfully pass both the written examination and the practical vocational test shall be deemed to have passed the recruitment examination. Candidates who satisfy the prescribed qualifications will be selected at an interview in accordance with the order of merit based on the aggregate marks obtained at the written examination and the practical vocational test. The officers selected accordingly will be appointed to vacancies existing in the Ministry of Health and Mass Media and in the hospitals and institutions under its purview
- X. The examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English medium. Candidates may sit the examination in any one of the medium of their choice. Once selected, the medium of language shall not be changed subsequently. Candidates shall answer all question papers of the examination in the same medium.

N.B.:-

- a) Applicants shall assure that each section of the application has been duly completed and accuracy of particulars furnished.
- b) The applications of the applicants, who fail to furnish relevant documents thereto when requested, will not be entertained. Applicants shall not annex any document or copy which is not relevant to the application.
- c) The permanent post and place of service of the applicants as at the date of application for the examination shall be applicable to all matters specified in this Gazette notification relating to the examination, and it is a responsibility of the applicant to notify of any change occurs in the permanent place of service.
- d) Complaints on a loss of application or a letter related in the post will not be considered. Any loss or damage that may arise due to delaying the submission of applications until the closing date shall be borne by the applicants themselves.
- e) The number of candidates to be called for the interview, the number of candidates to be appointed to the posts, and the effective date of the appointments shall be determined by the Appointing Authority. The Appointing Authority reserves the right not to fill any or all of the vacancies.
- f) If any issue arises regarding any matter relating to the recruitment to this post, whether covered or not covered by this Gazette Notification, the decision of the Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Mass Media shall be the final decision. In the event of any discrepancy, inconsistency or contradiction among the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts of this Notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail.



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30th day of 08. 2026.....

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Medium of sitting for the Examination

(Sinhala- S, Tamil-T, English- E)

(Enter the relevant letter in the cage)

District

of permanent residence

01.

- i. Name with Initials (In Sinhala/ Tamil) :-.....
- ii. Name with Initials (In English Block Capitals) :-.....
- iii. Name in Full (In Sinhala/Tamil):-.....
- iv. Name in Full (In English Block Capitals):-.....

02. Permanent Residence

- i. In Sinhala/ Tamil:-
- ii. In English Block Capitals:-.....

03. Official address of the permanent place of work

- i. In Sinhala/ Tamil:-
- ii. In English Block Capitals:-.....

(If there is a change of address, it must be reported immediately..)

04. National Identity card Number :-

05. Telephone Number :- Private (Mobile) :-..... Official :-

06. Email Address :-

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07. Whether a citizen of Sri Lanka :- Yes ☐ No ☐

08. Gender :- Female ☐ Male ☐

09. Date of Birth :-

Year					Month			Date		
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10. Marital Status :-.....

11. Educational and Vocational Qualifications

(A) G.C.E. (O/L) Examination

Year :- Index No:-.....

Serial No	Subject	Grade
01		
02		
03		
04		
05		
06		
07		
08		
09		
10		

(B) Details of Vocational and Technical Qualifications

Serial No.	Certificates of Vocational Qualifications	Issuing Institutions	Year	Subjects

(Copies of certificates related to vocational and technical qualifications, certified by the Head of the Institution, should be attached.)

(C) Other special qualifications and experience:-

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12. Whether have you been subjected to any disciplinary punishment in terms of the provisions of Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020 or have you ever been convicted by a court of any criminal offence? (If yes, provide information)

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13. Particulars of the receipt obtained after paying the examination fee:-

i. Branch of the Bank:-

ii. Date of payment:-

Affix the receipt obtained for the payment of Rs. 1,000.00 at a branch of the Bank of Ceylon here.(It is advisable to keep a photocopy of the application and the receipt.)

14. I hereby solemnly declare that the information furnished by me in this application is true and accurate. I further acknowledge that, if any information contained herein is found to be false or incorrect, my application will be rejected if such falsehood or inaccuracy is discovered before selection, and if discovered after selection, I will be dismissed from service without any compensation.

Date :-.....

.....
Signature of the Applicant

15. Details to be submitted by the Head of the Department/Institution

- i. Name of the Officer :-
- ii. National Identity Card Number of the Officer :-.....
- iii. Post Held at the Time of Applying for the Examination:-
- iv. Has been completed five years of continuous satisfactory service as at the closing date of the receipt of applications?.....
- v. Has been confirmed in the appointment and issued with a letter of confirmation? (If so, attach a certified copy of the letter.).....
- vi. Has been earned all salary increments during the period of five years preceding the closing date of applications?
- vii. Has been subjected to any disciplinary punishment during the five-year period preceding the closing date of applications?
- viii. Are you currently subject to any disciplinary enquiry?

I hereby certify that the applicant, Mr./Mrs./Miss, has been serving in this institution since..... She/he holds a permanent pensionable post. She/he has earned all the salary increments during the past years and has not been subjected to any disciplinary punishment (other than a warning) and all the particulars furnished under 15 above have been checked and verified against the records available in this office and found to be correct. If he/she is selected for this post, he/she will/will not be released from the post currently hold.

.....
Signature of the Head of the Department

Name:-

Designation :-.....

Date :-.....

Department/ Institution :-

(Certify with the official rubber stamp.)

(N.B :- (The Heads of Institutions should ensure that not to submit applications of officers who do not possess the prescribed educational and professional qualifications specified in the Gazette Notification.)