

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL DIRECTORATE OF CHILD RIGHTS & TRAFFICKING. SHAISHALI (3RD FLOOR), DF BLOCK, SECTOR-I, SALT LAKE, KOLKATA-700064

Memo no: 2256/CRT Date : 03.11.2025

Notice for selection of Social Worker Member Juvenile Justice Board

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for serving as Social Worker Member of Juvenile Justice Board, constituted under Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and as amended in 2021 and Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Model Rules 2016 along with Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) amended Model Rules 2022 in the following district of the state of West Bengal. Those who satisfy all eligibility criterion as on date of publication of notification will be allowed to participate in the interview.

| SI No. | District | No. of positions at present |
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| 1 | Jalpaiguri | 2 |
| 2 | Malda | 2 |
| 3 | Howrah | 2 |
| 4 | Purulia | 2 |
| 5 | South 24 Parganas | 2 |

Important Information

- 1. Name of the position: Social Worker Member, Juvenile Justice Board
- 2. No. of Vacancies: As stated above
- 3. Allowances: The Member of the Board shall be paid such sitting allowance, travel allowance and any other allowance as the state Govt. may prescribe but not less than Rs 2000/- per sitting.
- 4. Age (as on the date of publication of notification): Shall not be less than 35 years of age and not more than 65 years of age.
 - 5. **Essential qualification:** The Social Worker Member shall have at least seven years of experience of working with children in the field of education, health, or welfare activities, or should be a practicing professional with a degree in child psychology or psychiatry or sociology or in the field of law.
 - Other Conditions: The Board shall consist of Principal Magistrate and two Social Worker Members, of whom at least one shall be a woman, forming the Bench.
 - 7. No person eligible for Selection as Social Worker Member by the Selection Committee if the person:
 - a. Has any past record of violation of human rights or child rights.
 - b. Has been convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude, and such conviction has not been reversed or has not been granted full pardon in respect of such

offence.

- c. Has been removed or dismissed from service of the Central Government or a State Government or an undertaking or Corporation owned or controlled by the Central Government or a State Government.
- d. Has ever indulged in child abuse or employment of child labour or any other violation of human rights or immoral act.
- 8. Social Worker Member of the board shall be eligible for appointment to the position of Social Worker Member for maximum of 2 terms.
- All the qualification and experience must be completed on or before the date of publication of notification.

Scope of work: The Board shall sit on all working days for a minimum of six hours commensurate with the working of a Magistrate Court.

The willing candidates may apply in the prescribed application format through ONLINE Portal only, details of which can be seen at https://wcdsw.wb.gov.in/dcrt from **04-11-2025**. In any case application will not be received by hand or by post or through email.

Last Date for submission of application: The portal will be closed at 5 PM of 24-11-2025.

The decision of the Selection Committee regarding all matters relating to the selection process shall be final.

Member Secretary, Selection Committee and Director

Directorate of Child Rights and Trafficking
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