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Invitation of online application for recruitment to 5989 number of District Cadre posts of Nursing Officer-2026

Important Dates

Event	Start date	End date
Online Registration Fresh candidates (**New User)** who have not registered earlier for any previous recruitment of the Commission to register. **Re-registration** Candidates who have already registered earlier (**Registered User**) for any other post of the Commission and got the User ID have to login and re-register for this post.	13.06.2026	06.07.2026
Submission of Online Application (Mere Registration/Re-registration does not mean filing of online application. Online Application shall be filed mandatorily after completing the Registration/Re-registration.)	13.06.2026	13.07.2026
Mode of Application	Candidates are advised to submit online applications only through the website of the Commission. Application other than online mode / incomplete application shall be summarily rejected.	

Applications are invited online through the OSSSC website www.osssc.gov.in for recruitment to **5989** number of **District Cadre Group-C** posts of **Nursing Officer** in all 30 District establishments under Health & Family Welfare Department of Government of Odisha. The district-wise and category-wise break-up of the posts to be filled up by this recruitment and reservation for each category of candidates is at **Annexure-I**. The recruitment is being conducted according to the Odisha Sub-Ordinate Staff Selection Commission (District Cadre) Rules, 2012, Odisha Nursing Service (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 2019, Odisha Nursing Service (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Amendment Rules, 2020, Odisha Nursing Service (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Amendment Rules, 2024 and Odisha Civil Service (Fixation of upper age limit) Amendment Rules, 2025 as amended up to date. The successful candidates may have to be deployed as Community Health Officer (CHO) by the respective Appointing Authorities.

1. Details of Posts to be filled up:

(i) The vacancies in the post of Nursing Officer are of district cadre. District cadre means a candidate, after being selected, will be posted and transferred within the district.

(ii) **Exercise for choice of districts**: Applicants are required to indicate their choice for the districts in the online application form as per their order of preference. Candidates are advised to be careful while exercising choices/preferences of districts. However, the exercise of choice of district/districts will not confer any right upon the candidate for appointment in the said district in order of preference, if selected.

(iii) The number of posts to be filled up on the basis of this recruitment may undergo change without any prior notice at the discretion of the Government.

(iv) Reservations of vacancies for candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, Socially and Educationally Backward Classes, Women, Sportsperson, Ex-servicemen and Persons with Disabilities categories shall be made in accordance with the provisions made under relevant Acts and Rules, Notifications, Resolutions, Orders and Instructions of Government of Odisha in force.

2. Post & Scale of pay:

The appointment to the posts shall be made carrying the level of pay as given in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the post	Scale of Pay and Pay matrix level as per ORSP Rule 2017
1	Nursing Officer	Pay Scale 29200-92300, Pay Matrix level-8, Cell-01

3. Eligibility Criteria:

A) Age & Educational Qualification: -

(i) A candidate must have attained the age of 21 years and must not be above the age of 42 years as on the date of advertisement. Date of birth as recorded in the HSC Certificate issued by the Board of Secondary Education, Odisha or equivalent certificate issued by any recognized Board/Council/Indian University shall only be accepted.

(ii) **Relaxation of Upper Age Limit:**

a. The upper age limit is relaxable by 05 years for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/SEBC/Women category.

b. The upper age limit is also relaxable by 10 years in case of **Persons with Disabilities (PwDs)**.

c. **Ex-Servicemen**

- The upper age limit is relaxable by the total period of service rendered in defence service in case of Ex-Servicemen.
- The persons in Defence Service having more than six months to retire or to be discharged from service as on the last date of the submission of online application are not eligible to apply for the post.

Provided that those Ex-Servicemen who have already secured regular employment under the State Government in civil post and services would be permitted the benefit of age relaxation as admissible for Ex-Servicemen for securing another employment in any higher post or services under the State Government but such candidates shall not be eligible for the benefit of reservation, if any, for Ex-Servicemen in the State Government.

- In case a candidate once availed the benefit as an Ex-Serviceman for re-employment, he/she shall not be eligible for reservation under Ex-Servicemen category for subsequent re-employment in Government service in civil posts/services of State Government.

d. A candidate who comes under more than one category shall be eligible for only one benefit of relaxation which shall be considered most beneficial to him/her.

Provided that **Persons with Disabilities** under SC/ST/SEBC category shall be entitled to cumulative age relaxation of 10 (ten) years on account of their disability over and above the normal relaxation available to them as SC/ST/SEBC candidate as specified under sub-rule 3(a) & (b) of the Odisha Civil Service (Fixation of Upper age limit) Rules, 1989.

e. **Contractual Nursing Officer**: The upper age limit for contractual Nursing Officers under OSH&FW Society/Scheme and for ASHAs, who shall take part in the recruitment process, if otherwise eligible, shall be 45 years of age as on the date of advertisement. They must upload online the appointment letter/s from their employers with self-attestation for availing such relaxation. Such candidates shall keep the original appointment letters and other documents in support of their claim with them for verification to be done on a later date after the Written Test.

(iii) In order to be eligible, the candidates must have passed +2 in the 10+2 system or its equivalent with Diploma in GNM or BSc Nursing from any Medical College and Hospitals of the State or any other institutions duly recognised and approved by Indian Nursing Council.

(iv) They shall have to register their name in Nursing Council in the State and have possessed valid Registration or Renewal Certificates **as on the date of submission of online application form** which shall be uploaded online.

(v) A candidate must be able to speak, read and write Odia and must have

a. passed the Middle School Examination with Odia as a language subject; or

b. passed Matriculation or equivalent examination with Odia as the medium of examination in non-language subjects; or

c. passed Odia as language subject in the final examination of Class-VII or above from a School or Educational Institution recognised by the Government of Odisha or Central Government; or

d. Passed a test in Odia in M.E. School Standard conducted by the School & Mass Education Department.

B) Other Eligibility Criteria: A candidate, in order to be eligible for the post, must fulfil the following conditions -

(i) He/she must be a citizen of India,

(ii) He/she must be of good character,

(iii) If married, must not have more than one spouse living. Provided that the Government may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person or there are other grounds for doing so, exempt any person from operation of the rule.

(iv) Applicant(s) claiming reservation as Sportsperson must possess Sportsperson ID card issued by the Sports & Youth Services Department, Government of Odisha and upload the scanned copy of original (not photocopy) Sportsperson ID card online.

(v) **Persons with Disabilities (PwDs)**

- Applicant(s) claiming reservation under Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) category must ensure that they possess **Permanent Disability Certificate with not less than 40% disability** and belong to the category and sub-category of disability along with suitable physical requirements and functional classification as required for which the post has been reserved, as mentioned under Notes below at **Annexure-I** of the advertisement. They must upload the scanned copy of the original (not photocopy) Unique Disability Identity (UDID) Card/ Disability Certificate issued by the Competent Authority.
- Details of physical requirements and functional classification have to be mentioned by the PwD candidate having permanent disability in the appropriate box of the online application.
- PwD candidates having benchmark disability shall be allowed compensatory time @20 minutes per hour as per rules in the Written Test (OMR/CBRE).
- In case of PwD candidates, to take the help of scribe in appearing the Written Test, they need to take written permission of the ADM-cum-District Superintendent concerned, at least three days prior to the date of Written Test as per procedure. The provision for scribe and compensatory time as admissible shall be allowed as per rules.
- **Applicants having TEMPORARY DISABILITY should not apply as PwD as they are not eligible and such applications shall be summarily rejected.**

(vi) **Ex-servicemen:** Applicants claiming reservation as Ex-servicemen must have possessed Identity Card/ Discharge Certificate/documents in support of service rendered in defence services and must furnish an undertaking to the effect that they have not availed of any re-employment under the Government of Odisha.

(vii) If any candidate has, at any time been debarred from recruitment examination for a certain period by this Commission, he/she shall not be eligible for appearing the same for that specific period.

(viii) All the eligibility conditions should have been fulfilled as on the date of advertisement except Clause 3 A (iv) of this Advertisement.

4. Examination Fee:

(i) As per Odisha payment of recruitment examination fees and refund Rules, 2025 published vide Government in GA & PG Department Notification No. 34124-GAD-SC-RULES-0020/2025/Gen, dated 10th October 2025, the candidates other than Scheduled Caste (SC), Scheduled Tribe (ST) and Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) category shall have to pay the Examination fees.

(ii) All applicants other than SC, ST and PwDs category have to pay Examination fee of **₹500/-** positively using any payment mode i.e. Net Banking/ Credit Card/ Debit Card/UPI through the Payment Gateway available during submission of online application.

(iii) Applicants will be able to print the Confirmation Page after successful payment. If the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee, then the transaction will be cancelled and refund will be credited within 48 hours. In case the refund is not credited during the stipulated time, applicants have to approach the concerned bank for refund of amount.

However, in case the Confirmation Page is not generated the applicant has to make another payment/transaction.

(iv) The Examination fee of ₹500/- paid shall be refunded to applicants who actually appear for the examination.

(v) The refund shall be processed within a reasonable period after the conduct of the examination and completion of verification of attendance records.

(vi) **The refund shall be credited to the bank account or payment method used by the applicant at the time of registration. Hence, applicants are advised to use their own account instead of any other account to facilitate smooth refund and the Commission will otherwise not be held responsible for any inconvenience.**

(vii) No refund shall be admissible to applicants who fail to appear in the examination for any reason whatsoever.

5. Last date of receipt of applications:

The **last date of receipt of online applications** in response to this advertisement is **13.07.2026.** The system will automatically be disabled and no application for this post will be made available thereafter. Incomplete application/paper application/application received after the last date shall be summarily rejected. However, the candidates are advised to submit online applications well in advance without waiting for the last date in order to avoid the last hour rush in online application system.

6. How to apply:

I. Step by step procedure for registration/ re-registration/ application can be viewed by clicking on **"How do I register/re-register/apply"** on the Home page of the Commission's website-www.osssc.gov.in. The **Instructions** for the same shall also appear on the computer screen by clicking on "Registered User" or "New User" as the case may be. These instructions must be read carefully before

proceeding to fill up the **Registration Form first followed by filling up of Online Application Form which are separate operations, but corollary to each other**.

a. **Registration-** Fresh candidates **(New User)** who have not registered earlier for any previous recruitment of the Commission shall have to register for the post by clicking on the button, **"Apply Online"** on the Home page.
b. **Re-registration-** Candidates who have already registered earlier **(Registered User)** for any other post of the Commission and got the User ID have to login and re-register for this post by selecting the **"Re-registration"** option provided under the Applicant Menu.
c. It may be reiterated that mere Registration/Re-registration does not mean complete filing of online Application. Hence the candidates are advised to fill up and submit the online Application as per the guidance of the system after completing the Registration/Re-registration.
d. **Submission of online Application-** After completing the Registration/Re-registration, they have to login, furnish the data & information in detail as per documents in the appropriate fields as per guidance of the online system to fill up and submit online application. Incomplete applications shall be summarily rejected.

No Admission Letter shall be issued to the candidate whose application is found to be incomplete in any respect or who does not fulfil the prescribed eligibility criteria for the examination.

II. Pre-Requisites for Registration/Re-registration and Online Application:

a. All applicants other than those belonging to SC/ST/Persons with Disabilities categories have to make Payment of Rs.500/- (Rupees Five Hundred) only towards Examination Fee.
b. Full Specimen Signature of the Applicant, scanned in "jpg/jpeg/png" format between the ranges of **20**kbs to **50**kbs shall be kept handy for up-loading prior to making Registration/re-registration for any Post.
c. Applicants shall keep their Certificates and Mark Sheets ready for filling in the details of the educational qualifications during Online Application.
d. In addition, they shall keep ready a copy of the recent passport size coloured photograph, scanned in the "jpg/jpeg/png" format between the ranges of **20** kbs to **100** kbs for uploading in the Online Application.
e. The photograph and full specimen signature scanned for uploading must be clearly identifiable/visible, otherwise the registration/ re-registration and application shall be liable to rejection and no correspondence on this account shall be entertained.
f. Applicants must have their own personal e-mail ID and Mobile/Cell Phone Number with validity till the completion of the recruitment process for receiving all important communication, like, Activation Key, various Alerts and downloading Admission Letters and other intended document(s) from the OSSSC Web Portal. Under no circumstances, an Applicant should share/change his/her e-mail ID and Mobile/Cell Number with any other

person. In case, he/she does not have a valid personal e-mail ID, he/she shall create a new e-mail ID for applying online.

7. Original Certificates to be produced during the Document Verification (DV):

(i) Certificate of Registration in Nursing Council of State of Odisha.

(ii) Candidates claiming reservation as SC/ST/SEBC/Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) category shall produce Caste certificate etc./Unique Disability Identity (UDID) card/ Disability Certificate showing permanent disability issued by the competent authority.

(iii) HSC examination pass or other equivalent, 10+2 pass or other equivalent, Diploma in GNM or BSc Nursing or other equivalent educational certificates and Mark sheets of qualifying examinations.

(iv) Certificate of passing Odia as a language subject in the final examination of Class-VII or above from any School/Educational Institution of Odisha or Central Government or passing a test in Odia language in Middle School Standard examination conducted by the School & Mass Education Department, Odisha.

(v) Discharge Certificate/Identity Card and documents in support of service rendered in defence services in case of Ex-Servicemen. An undertaking to the effect that the person claiming benefit under Ex-Servicemen has not got any employment under State Government utilising the benefit under Ex-Servicemen.

(vi) Certificate/documents of contractual work experience in case of contractual Nursing Officers under OSH&FW Society/Scheme and for ASHAs.

(vii) Sports ID card issued by the Sports & Youth Services Department of Government of Odisha, if claimed reservation as Sportsperson.

8. Place and Date of Written Test:

The exact date, time and venue of the Written Test will be intimated in due course through a Notice and/or Admission Letter.

The candidates are advised to visit the website of the Commission at regular intervals to keep track of the notices being published by the Commission.

9. Admission Letter:

Provisional Admission letters/ Intimation Letters, containing intimation about the date, time and venue for the Written Test shall be uploaded on the Commission's website- **www.osssc.gov.in** well ahead of the date of the Examinations. The date of Written Test shall be advertised in the Local News Paper for information of the candidates. Each eligible candidate shall have to download his/her Admission Letter/ Intimation Letter **by using his/her User ID & Password** before the date of Written Test by visiting the Commission's website and clicking **"Download Admission Letter/ Intimation Letter"** option under the Applicant Menu. The Commission will not send any printed Admission letter/ Intimation Letter to any candidate through post or any other mode.

10. Plan of Written Test:

There shall be a Written Test for 100 marks (**MCQ type in OMR/CBRE Mode***) in one paper only as detailed below:

Papers	Subjects of Written Test	No of Questions	Maximum Marks	Time
One Paper	Questions on subjects as per syllabus as mentioned at **Annexure-II**	60	60	2 hours
	Questions based on practical skills	25	25	
	Arithmetic (High School Certificate Standard)	10	10	
	English (High School Certificate Standard)	5	5	
	Total	**100**	**100**	

*The exact mode of Written Test will be notified later.

(i) **Negative Marking**

- There shall be negative marking in the Written Test
- There are four alternatives/options for the answers to every question. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate, one-fourth **(0.25)** of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty
- If a candidate gives more than one answer/option, it will be treated as a wrong answer even if one of the given answers happens to be correct and same penalty will be applicable as above for the question.
- If a question is left blank/not attempted, i.e. no answer is given by the candidate, there will be no penalty for that question.

(ii) **Minimum Qualifying Marks:** In the Written Test, the minimum qualifying marks/ normalized score for ST, SC, PwDs, Ex-Servicemen and Sportsperson category of candidates shall be 30% and the minimum qualifying marks/ normalized score for candidates other than the said categories shall be 35%.

(iii) In case of a tie among candidates with the same score/ mark in the Written Test, the following sequence will be applied to break the tie:

a. **Lesser Wrong Attempts:** The candidate with the fewer number of wrong attempts in the Written Test will be placed higher in rank vis-à-vis others.

b. **Professional Qualification Marks:** If a tie still persists, the candidate securing higher percentage (%) of marks in their Diploma in GNM / B.Sc. Nursing will be ranked higher.

c. **Age Seniority:** If the percentage (%) of marks in professional qualification are also identical, the candidate who is older in age will be placed above the younger candidate.

d. **Higher Secondary (+2) Marks:** If the candidates share the exact same birth date, the candidate who secured higher marks in +2 (in any stream) or an equivalent examination will be ranked higher.

e. **Commission's Discretion:** In case the tie still remains unresolved after all the above steps, the Commission reserves the absolute power to decide any other criteria to break the tie.

(iv) In case of CBRE mode, the Written Test will be conducted in different dates in multiple shifts using multiple question sets and Normalization formula shall be decided and adopted by the Commission to convert Raw score into Normalized score which will be notified in due course.

(v) While filling of the online application form, candidates can give preference for maximum three districts of the state as per their convenience for the test centre in order of their priority.

(vi) Every effort will be made to identify Test centres in all districts to allot a district in one of the districts preferred by the candidates to appear for the test, but due to inadequate infrastructure/capacity at Test Centres in some districts, some candidates may be allocated Test Centres located in other district irrespective of the districts opted by the candidates for appearing the test. The Commission reserves the right to allot a district other than the candidate's choice/preference.

(vii) Objection can be raised against the answer keys published with a nominal fee per objection or free of charges as decided by the Commission.

(viii) There shall be no provision for re-evaluation/re-checking of the scores. No correspondence in this regard shall be entertained.

NB: The Commission reserves the right to conduct additional/ re-test partly or fully for Written Test at any stage of the recruitment process. The Commission also reserves the right to cancel part or whole of any recruitment process at any stage for any of the categories notified in this regard without assigning any reason thereof. Further, the Commission reserves the right to reschedule any CBRE due to technical constraints /unavoidable circumstances.

In case of additional test, the detailed plan of Written Test will be notified in due course.

11. Provisional Master Merit List of the Written Test & Screening list for Document Verification:

The Provisional Master Merit List of all the candidates who have appeared the Written Test shall be prepared in order of merit on the basis of marks/ normalized score secured by the candidates in the Written Test, from which candidates securing the minimum qualifying marks in the Written Test will be screened for Document Verification which shall not be less than 1.25 times the number of vacancies advertised, category / special category wise, as per merit and availability. The list of candidates so screened shall form the Provisional Screening List for Document Verification and such candidates shall be called to appear the Document Verification.

Provided that the Commission shall have the power to decide the number of candidates to be shortlisted for the Document Verification. In case, during the stage of document verification the Commission observes that the vacancy(ies) for the post is not likely to be filled up completely, additional number of candidates in order of merit category/special category wise shall be called for document verification as per requirement in order to fill up the vacancy(ies).

It is clarified here that, the Commission is not verifying any original document for admission of the candidates to the Written Test. The candidates shall be admitted to the Written Test provisionally based on the information submitted by them in online application along with declaration. The original documents of the shortlisted candidates shall be verified/validated with reference to the bio-data and application of the candidate by the Chief District Medical & Public Health Officers concerned for validation of candidature during Document Verification. As such, the candidature of the applicant shall remain provisional till validation by the appointing authority.

All the candidates issued with Intimation Letters for the verification of original documents are required to mandatorily attend the document verification process before the District Level Board as per the schedule fixed by the Commission in the office of the Collector and District Magistrate of each district or at any other places as to be decided by the Commission. Ordinarily, no request for change of time of verification or venue is admissible. If any candidate fails to attend document verification process, his/her candidature shall be rejected, and he/she shall not be allowed to participate in the recruitment process any further.

Candidate must bring all the original documents/certificates required as prescribed under clause 7 of the advertisement/any other document in support of his/her claim.

It is also made clear that candidature of the candidates is purely provisional. The candidature is liable for rejection in the event of inadequacy/deficiency found at any stage. **Mere participation in the document verification process does not confer any right upon the candidate for selection and appointment.**

12. Re-exercise of District Preferences/ Not Interested (Optional):

Initially, the candidates are required to exercise their choice for the districts as per their order of preference during submission of online application form as specified above at Clause 1 (ii) of this Advertisement. However, if required, the Commission may issue a notification allowing the candidates to revise/ re-exercise their preferential choice of districts. In such case, the candidate those who do not update their preference, the preferences as submitted earlier during submission of online application form will be treated as final & binding. No further request for change of such choices/preferences exercised shall be entertained thereafter.

Similarly, if required, the Commission may also notify a specific option allowing candidates to exercise "Not Interested" option for those candidates who do not wish to be considered any further in the recruitment process due to appointment in any other suitable Government services or for any other personal reason. This option will eventually cancel his/her candidature.

13. Physical Counselling (Optional):

Further, if Commission decides, the shortlisted candidates may be called physically for Counselling/ District Allocation as per the vacancies advertised for the said post. The allocation of district shall be decided afresh on merit-cum-choice basis as per vacancies available at the spot. However, the choice shall not confer any right upon the candidate for appointment in order of their preference if selected.

Provided that the Commission shall have the power to decide the number of candidates to be shortlisted for counselling as per actual requirement. The exact mode and detail guidelines in this regard may be issued in due course.

14. Provisional Select list:

Provisional Select List shall be drawn out of screening list of eligible candidates after the document verification process separately for each district equal to the number of vacancies advertised category wise. Allocation of District shall be made strictly on the basis of merit, availability and choice/preference of districts exercised by the candidate as proviso under Clause 12 (Online Allocation) or Clause 13 (Physical Counselling) of this Advertisement.

15. Results:

The provisional results shall be published in due course in the Commission's website- **www.osssc.gov.in** . The results published by the Commission shall remain provisional till acceptance of candidature by the requisitioning authority / appointing authority.

16. Right to Information:

Information uploaded on the website shall not be provided to the candidate or any other person under R.T.I. Act, 2005. The information uploaded on the website shall remain for a specific period only. Therefore, the candidates are advised to download the uploaded information and keep it with them for the future. In due course of examination or in the midway of process, neither any application under the Right to Information Act, 2005 shall be entertained nor will information be provided.

17. Cancellation/Disqualification of the candidature:

Any misrepresentation / suppression / furnishing of wrong information / manipulation by the candidate in the online application/ Admission Letter/ Intimation Letter and detection of use of unfair means (Physical/ Digital) during examination shall result in cancellation/disqualification of his/her candidature at any stage of recruitment process, even after issue of appointment order.

a) If the candidate fails to observe any of the instructions of the Commission or any officer authorised on behalf of the Commission, he/she shall be liable to be disqualified or debarred from the examination as well as future examination for employment conducted by this Commission or may be

imposed with any other penalty/ punishment as per Acts/ Rules of Government in force.

b) Multiple Application Forms submitted by a candidate will not be accepted and will lead to the cancellation of his/her result.

c) Under no circumstances, candidates will be allowed to fill more than one Application Form. Strict action will be taken, even at a later stage, against such candidates who have filled more than one Application Form and will be treated as unfair means.

d) In case of CBRE mode:

In case a candidate, by furnishing false information, appears in more than one shift or date, the candidate will be considered as unfair means and will be penalized under Rule 18 of the OSSSC (DC) Rules, 2012/or any other Acts/ Rules of Government in force.

e) Detection of use of unfair means (Physical/ Digital) during examination whether reported by invigilator/ centre superintendent/ district superintendent/ any other officer authorized on behalf of the Commission/ suo-motto detection by the Commission will also be penalized and may lead to disqualification of the candidature.

f) For those who are unable to appear on the scheduled date/shift and pre-intimated time of the test for any reason, no opportunity for re-test shall be provided to them under any circumstances.

g) The candidates who have failed to appear/qualify at any stage of the recruitment process shall not be considered for final selection and they shall be disqualified.

h) The Commission shall sponsor exactly the same number of candidates as the total number of vacancies advertised category/special category wise for each post as per merit and availability.

NB: The decision of the Commission in all matter with regard to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of applications, penalty for false information, mode of selection, conduct of examination(s), allotment of test/examination centres, preparation of merit lists & allocation of post and debarment for indulging in malpractice shall be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry/correspondences will be entertained in this regard.

By order of the Commission

12/09/23

Secretary

Odisha Sub-ordinate Staff Selection Commission (OSSSC)

Nursing Officer for the year 2026

(ANNEXURE - 1

Post : Nursing Officer - 2026)

VACANCIES

Sl No.	VACANCY IN	CATEGORY WISE VACANCIES									SPECIAL CATEGORY WISE VACANCIES (Included in Total at Column No. 11)												
		UR		ST		SC		SEBC		Total	EX-SERV	SPORTS	*VI		*HI		*OI		*MI		*MD		Total
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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
1.	Angul	133	67	103	52	64	32	23	12	**486**	15	5	5	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	**40**
2.	Bargarh	62	31	27	14	20	10	14	7	**185**	6	2	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	**15**
3.	Bhadrak	61	30	27	14	19	10	13	7	**181**	5	2	2	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	**14**
4.	Balasore	116	58	52	26	37	19	26	13	**347**	10	3	4	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	**27**
5.	Balangir	105	53	81	41	29	15	21	10	**355**	10	4	4	-	3	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	**29**
6.	Boudh	16	8	7	4	5	3	3	2	**48**	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	**3**
7.	Cuttack	158	79	71	35	52	25	35	18	**473**	14	5	5	-	4	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	**38**
8.	Deogarh	17	9	7	4	5	3	4	2	**51**	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**5**
9.	Dhenkanal	38	19	17	9	12	6	9	4	**114**	3	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	**9**
10.	Gajapati	27	13	11	6	9	4	6	3	**79**	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	**6**
11.	Ganjam	129	64	58	29	42	21	29	14	**386**	12	4	4	-	3	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	**31**
12.	Jagatsinghpur	37	19	17	8	12	6	9	4	**112**	3	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**8**
13.	Jajpur	74	37	33	16	24	12	17	8	**221**	7	2	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	**18**
14.	Jharsuguda	13	6	5	3	4	2	3	1	**37**	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	**2**
15.	Kalahandi	48	24	21	11	15	8	11	5	**143**	4	1	2	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**11**
16.	Kandhamal	33	17	15	8	11	5	7	4	**100**	3	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**8**
17.	Kendrapara	58	29	26	13	19	9	13	7	**174**	5	2	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	**14**
18.	Keonjhar	66	33	29	15	21	11	15	7	**197**	6	2	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	**16**
19.	Khordha	44	22	20	10	14	7	10	5	**132**	4	1	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	**10**

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VACANCIES

Sl No.	VACANCY IN	CATEGORY WISE VACANCIES									SPECIAL CATEGORY WISE VACANCIES (Included in Total at Column No. 11)												
		UR		ST		SC		SEBC		Total	EX-SERV	SPORTS	*VI		*HI		*OI		*MI		*MD		Total
			(W)		(W)		(W)		(W)					(W)		(W)		(W)		(W)		(W)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
20 .	Koraput	190	95	125	62	65	33	33	16	**619**	19	6	7	-	6	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	**50**
21 .	Malkangiri	25	13	11	6	8	4	5	3	**75**	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**6**
22 .	Mayurbhanj	97	49	44	22	31	16	22	11	**292**	9	3	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	**24**
23 .	Nuapada	25	13	11	6	8	4	5	3	**75**	2	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**6**
24 .	Nabarangpur	87	44	75	37	27	14	22	11	**317**	10	3	4	-	3	-	4	-	-	-	3	-	**27**
25 .	Nayagarh	35	17	81	40	33	16	9	5	**236**	7	2	2	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	**18**
26 .	Puri	51	25	23	11	17	8	11	6	**152**	5	2	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	**13**
27 .	Rayagada	35	17	15	8	11	6	8	4	**104**	3	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**8**
28 .	Sambalpur	29	14	13	6	9	5	7	3	**86**	3	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**7**
29 .	Subarnapur	29	15	13	6	9	5	7	3	**87**	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	**7**
30 .	Sundargarh	42	21	19	9	13	7	9	5	**125**	4	1	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	**10**
Total	**Nursing Officer**	1880	941	1057	531	645	326	406	203	**5989**	180	60	60	-	60	-	60	-	-	-	60	-	**480**

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*Notes:-

1) EX-SERV - Ex-Serviceman

2) SPORTS - Sportsperson

3) PwDs - Persons with Disabilities: -

A) Physical Requirements

I) B - WORK PERFORMED BY BENDING

II) C - WORK PERFORMED BY COMMUNICATION

III) F - WORK PERFORMED BY MANIPULATING (WITH FINGERS)

IV) H - WORK PERFORMED BY HEARING / SPEAKING

V) L - WORK PERFORMED BY LIFTING

VI) RW - WORK PERFORMED BY READING AND WRITING

VII) S - WORK PERFORMED BY SITTING (ON BENCH OR CHAIR)

VIII) SE - WORK PERFORMED BY SEEING

IX) ST - WORK PERFORMED BY STANDING

X) W - WORK PERFORMED BY WALKING

B) Functional Classification (Categories of disabled persons suitable for the Job)

I) HI - HEARING IMPAIRED WHICH INCLUDE ANY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING : -

a) HI - HEARING IMPAIRED (WITH SUITABLE AID)

b) HI - HARD OF HEARING WITH SUITABLE AID

II) OI - ORTHOPEDICALLY IMPAIRED WHICH INCLUDE ANY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING : -

i) DW - DWARFISM

ii) AAV - ACID ATTACK VICTIMS

a) ARM - ARMS NOT AFFECTED

iii) LD - LOCOMOTOR DISABILITY

a) OL(MNR) - ONE LEG AFFECTED BUT NOT ARMS (R OR L)(MOBILITY NOT BE RESTRICTED)

b) OL - ONE LEG AFFECTED(R OR L)

III) MD - MULTIPLE DISABILITIES WHICH INCLUDE ANY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING : -

a) MD - COMBINATION OF MULTIPLE DISABILITIES FROM CATEGORIES I & II AS SPECIFIED ABOVE

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Syllabus

1. Anatomy & Physiology
2. Microbiology
3. Psychology
4. Sociology
5. Nursing Foundation
6. First Aid
7. Community Health Nursing
8. Nutrition
9. Medical Surgical Nursing/ Adult Health Nursing (as per revised BSc Nursing syllabus 2021)
10. Mental Health Nursing
11. Child Health Nursing
12. Midwifery & Gynaecological Nursing
13. Nursing Education
14. Research and Statistics
15. Professionalism, Professional values & ethics
16. Nursing Administration & Management

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