

Press Release

Appointment of Chairperson and Members of the Child Welfare Committee

Applications are invited by the Department of Social Defence from the eligible candidates who possesses the following qualifications for appointment of Chairperson and Members in Child Welfare Committees constituted under the provisions of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015. Chairperson and Members for Child Welfare Committee will be appointed by Government on a honorarium basis and the position is not a Government employment.

The applicants should have a degree in Child psychology or psychiatry or law or social work or sociology or human health or education or human development or special education for differently abled children and has been actively involved in health, education or welfare activities pertaining to children for seven years or is a practicing professional with a degree in child psychology or psychiatry or law or social work or sociology or human health or education or human development or special education for differently abled children. The age of the applicant should not be less than 35 years and not completed 65 years at the time of appointment. A person shall be eligible for appointment as a Chairperson or Member for a period of three years from the date of on which he enters upon his office.

The application format and eligibility criteria may be downloaded from the website <https://tirunelveli.nic.in> Filled in applications should be sent to the following address on or before (15 days) (02.03.2024) from the date of this press release

The Director,
Directorate of Social Defence,
No.300, Purasaiwalkam High Road,
Chennai – 600 010.

The filled in applications should reach the above office within the stipulated date. The appointment will be purely based on merit and experience. The decision of the Government will be final in this regard.

**District Collector,
Tirunelveli**