

GOVERNMENT OF MAURITIUS

**SCHEME OF SERVICE SPECIFIED UNDER REGULATION 15 OF THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION REGULATIONS**

- Ministry:** Gender Equality and Family Welfare
- Post:** Principal Psychologist
- Salary:** Rs 49,250 x 1,650 – 54,200 x 1,700 – 64,400 x 1,800 – 69,800 x 2,000 – 75,800 x 2,150 – 77,950 (19 080 096)
- Effective Date:** 13 August 2024
- Qualifications:** By promotion, on the basis of experience and merit, of officers in the grade of Psychologist/Senior Psychologist who –
- (i) reckon at least four years' service in a substantive capacity in the grade;
 - (ii) possess good leadership and managerial skills;
 - (iii) have the ability to manage a team of officers; and
 - (iv) possess good interpersonal and communication skills.
- Role and Responsibilities:** To be responsible for the overall management, organisation, planning, supervision and ensure the smooth running of the psychological services provided to the different stakeholders.
- Duties:**
1. To provide technical inputs in formulating legislations pertaining to children/family issues and matters relevant to the field of expertise.
 2. To devise and update guideline for psychological intervention for psychologists in their role as clinician and expert witness (with respect to court and criminal cases).
 3. To assist in developing protocols with other agencies with respect to psychological services.
 4. To be responsible for the establishment of priorities in relation to casework for the psychology team and maintaining a balance between consultation, assessment and intervention, based upon the team's level of skill and expertise.

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5. To coordinate and supervise the Psychologist/Senior Psychologist of the Ministry and ensure appropriate psychological services to all stakeholders in a timely manner.
6. To supervise and develop the victim/witness support service and to provide pre-trial support.
7. To carry out clinical supervision.
8. To vet psychological assessment reports and data related to psychometric testing.
9. To devise and conduct appropriate rehabilitation programmes for perpetrators of violence.
10. To conduct training and research.
11. To arrange for the provision of debriefing services for staff of the Ministry and evaluation of same.
12. To use ICT in the performance of his duties.
13. To perform such other duties directly related to the main duties listed above or related to the delivery of the output and results expected from the Principal Psychologist in the roles ascribed to him.

Note

Principal Psychologists may be required to work outside normal working hours including Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays and during cyclonic periods, natural calamities and emergencies.

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