CRITERIA FOR CREDENTIALING OF NURSES IN NEONATAL NURSING

NO.	CRITERIA	WITHOUT POST – BASIC QUALIFICATION		WITH POST – BASIC QUALIFICATION IN NEONATOLOGY	
1	Basic Academic Qualification	Degree / Diploma in Nursing			
2	Experience	2.1 More than two (2) years but less than 5 years of working experience in Neonatology	To complete core procedure requirement.	2.1 Worked in Neonatal Ward in the last two (2) or more years	Recommendation from Supervisor & Head of Department needed
		2.2 More than five (5) years experience in Neonatology (Valid till 31 December 2019) *	Recommendation from Supervisor & Head of Department needed	2.2 Not working in Neonatal Ward in the last two (2) or more years	To complete at least 30% of each core procedure requirement and recommendation from Supervisor & Head of Department
3	Log Book	Compulsory if less than five (5) years in Neonatology *		3.1 Not required if has worked in Neonatal Ward in the last two (2) or more years3.2 Completed at least 30% of each core procedure requirement if has not worked in Neonatal Ward in the last 2 or more years.	
4	Life Support Skills	Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP)			

 $^{^*}$ Logbook is required for all applications for credentialing submitted after 31/12/2019.