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The Social Care Workers Registration Board, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 31 of the Health and Social Care Professionals Act 2005 (as amended), with the approval of the Health and Social Care Professionals Council and the Minister, hereby makes the following bye-law:

1. The Social Care Workers Registration Board Approved Qualifications Bye-Law 2024 is hereby revoked with effect from the date specified in paragraph 2.(2), without prejudice to any applications for registration or restoration received by the board prior to that date.

2. (1) The bye-law may be cited as the Social Care Workers Registration Board Approved Qualifications Bye-Law 2025.

(2) The bye-law comes into operation on 26 August 2025.

3. In the bye-law –

“the Act” means the Health and Social Care Professionals Act 2005 (no.27 of 2005) (as amended from time to time);

“the Register” means the register of the Social Care Workers Registration Board established under section 36(1)(a) of the Act.

4. The Social Care Workers Registration Board, for the purposes of Section 38(2)(a) of the Act, hereby approves the following qualifications as attesting to the standard of proficiency required for registration in the Register:

(1) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Atlantic Technological University

(2) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Care, Atlantic Technological University

(3) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Atlantic Technological University

(4) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Institute of Technology, Sligo

(5) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Care, Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology

(6) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology

(7) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care, Dundalk Institute of Technology

- (8) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care, Munster Technological University
- (9) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care, Institute of Technology, Tralee
- (10) Honours Bachelor of Arts (Social Care), National University of Ireland, Galway
- (11) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies (Professional Social Care), Quality and Qualifications Ireland, delivered by Carlow College, St. Patrick's
- (12) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care, Quality and Qualifications Ireland, delivered by The Open Training College
- (13) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Professional Social Care Practice, South East Technological University
- (14) Bachelor of Arts in Professional Social Care Practice, South East Technological University
- (15) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Studies in Professional Social Care, South East Technological University
- (16) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Professional Social Care, South East Technological University
- (17) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, South East Technological University
- (18) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, South East Technological University
- (19) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Professional Social Care Practice, Institute of Technology, Carlow
- (20) Bachelor of Arts in Professional Social Care Practice, Institute of Technology, Carlow
- (21) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Studies in Professional Social Care, Institute of Technology, Carlow
- (22) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Professional Social Care, Institute of Technology, Carlow
- (23) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Waterford Institute of Technology
- (24) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Waterford Institute of Technology
- (25) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Technological University Dublin
- (26) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Technological University Dublin
- (27) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care, Technological University Dublin
- (28) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Technological University Dublin

(29) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Care, Technological University Dublin

(30) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown

(31) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown

(32) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care, Dublin Institute of Technology

(33) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Institute of Technology, Tallaght

(34) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Practice, Institute of Technology, Tallaght

(35) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest

(36) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest

(37) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest

(38) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Work, Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest

(39) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Work, Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest

(40) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Care, Athlone Institute of Technology

(41) Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Social Care, Athlone Institute of Technology

(42) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Practice, Athlone Institute of Technology

(43) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Work, Limerick Institute of Technology

(44) Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care Work, Limerick Institute of Technology

(45) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Work, Munster Technological University

(46) Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Work, Cork Institute of Technology

(47) Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Health and Social Care, Atlantic Technological University

(48) Honours Bachelor of Arts (Social Care), University of Galway

The Minister for Health approves the making of this bye-law.



GIVEN under the Official Seal  
of the Minister for Health,  
25 July, 2025.

JENNIFER CARROLL MACNEILL,  
Minister for Health.



GIVEN under the seal of the Social Care Workers  
Registration Board,  
26 August, 2025.

HELENA DOODY ,  
Chairperson, Social Care Workers Registration Board .

LISA MOLLOY,  
Member, Social Care Workers Registration Board.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)*

This bye-law identifies the qualifications awarded in the State which are approved by the Social Care Workers Registration Board as attesting to the standard of proficiency required for registration with the Social Care Workers Registration Board.

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