

(d) In the opinion of the Board the other requirements in [regard to the training of nurses set out in these regulations are not adequately complied with (or, in the case of a Grade "B" Training-school, are not complied with so far as the Board at any time thinks necessary); or

(e) The training of nurses is not conducted in all respects to the satisfaction of the Board;

then, and in any such case, the Board may, after giving to the governing body of such hospital not less than three months' notice of its intention so to do, revoke its approval of such hospital as a training-school for nurses:

Provided that upon the revocation of its approval of a hospital as a Grade "A" Training-school the Board may if it thinks fit approve that hospital as a Grade "B" Training-school if such hospital is eligible for such approval under the foregoing provisions.

### 3. *Period of Training for Nurses.*

(1) The period of not less than three years' approved training as a nurse required to be undergone by every person seeking to be registered as a nurse under Part II of the said Act shall be one of the periods prescribed by this regulation.

(2) No person shall be accepted for training as a nurse, or shall be deemed to have commenced a period of training, until such person has—

(a) Served in a Grade "A" Training-school or a Grade "B" Training-school a period of probation of at least three months; and

(b) At the end of that period been recommended as a person suitable for training by the Matron of the hospital where such period was served to the governing body of the hospital at which such person proposes to be trained as a nurse.

(3) The period of training for nurses shall be either—

(a) A period of not less than three years in a Grade "A" Training-school; or

(b) Such period in a Grade "B" Training-school, together with such period in a Grade "A" Training-school as the Board may have determined:

Provided that in no case shall the total period of training required be less than three years or more than five years.

(4) (a) Except as hereinafter provided, the whole duration of the period of training required to be undergone in a Grade "A" Training-school or in a Grade "B" Training-school respectively shall be undergone in one such hospital only.

(b) A person unable to complete a period of training in one hospital may, under special conditions to be approved by the Board in each case, be allowed to complete such period in another hospital.

(c) Any period or periods, not exceeding in the aggregate six months, spent by a person undergoing training in a subsidiary hospital under the control and administration of the governing body of an approved hospital shall for the purposes of this regulation be deemed to be part of the period of training undergone in such approved hospital, subject to the conditions—

(i) That such subsidiary hospital is a consumptive sanatorium, chronic ward, fever ward, cottage hospital, or similar institution; and

(ii) That such subsidiary hospital is at all times managed by a nurse registered under the said Act.

### 4. *Course of Instruction for Nurses.*

(1) The approved course of instruction in theoretical and practical nursing required to be received by every person seeking to be registered as a nurse under Part II of the said Act shall be the course prescribed by this regulation.

(2) Every pupil-nurse shall during the whole of her period of training receive from the Matron, or from some registered nurse deputed by the Matron in that behalf, practical instruction in nursing in the wards of the hospital.

(3) Every pupil-nurse shall attend courses of lectures comprising the whole of the subjects set out in the Second Schedule hereto and such other subject as the Board may from time to time, by notice to the governing body of the hospital, require.