

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES**  
**THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.**

Sub:- Estt:- Health Services Department – Specialty Cadre  
Placement/Posting of Assistant Surgeons/Civil Surgeons/Assistant  
Director (Superintendent)/Deputy Director as Junior Consultants  
under Orthopaedics Specialty-Orders issued.

Read:- 1.G.O (P) No. 69/2010/H&FWD dtd 17.02.2010  
2.Order No. ES7(HR Cell)-ES7-1288/2017/DHS  
Dated:21.04.2017  
3.Circular No.DHS/7192/2025-EA2 Dated: 15-03-2025.  
4.Interim Order dated 21.03.2025 of the Hon'ble Kerala  
Administrative Tribunal in OA-518/2025 filed by Dr.Divya  
Sadasivan  
5.Order No.DHS/7192/2025-EA2 Dated:30.05.2025  
6.Final Order Dated:26.08.2025 of Hon'ble Kerala  
Administrative Tribunal in OA-518/2025 filed by Dr.Divya  
Sadasivan

**ORDER NO.DHS/7192/2025-EA2 DATED:20-09-2025**

1.Dr.Divya Sadasivan, PEN.490553 Assistant Director of Health Services at General Hospital,Thiruvananthapuram had studied her PG Course under Health Services departmental Quota for the year 2014.She availed the deputation benefit as per G.O(Rt) No.812/2016/H&FWD Dated 08.03.2016.As per G.O(P) No.106/2017/Fin Dated:14.08.2017 Govt. have directed that those who avail deputation benefits shall immediately after completion of deputation (Service Quota PG) opt

the specialty cadre in which they have specialized. On the basis of this position and special rules, Dr. Divya Sadasivan had submitted option for placement to Junior Consultant in Orthopaedics. As per the seniority list 2017 of junior Consultant Orthopaedics, Dr. Divya Sadasivan is the eligible incumbent to be placed as Junior Consultant under Orthopaedics. As per read 3rd above, the Director Health Services has issued a circular including her in the list of Medical Officers eligible for placement as Junior Consultant in Orthopaedics and directed to submit relevant certificates. Thereafter Dr. Divya Sadasivan submitted a request before the Director of Health Services for temporarily relinquishing her right for placement as Junior Consultant in Orthopaedics in the Specialty Cadre for a period of one year under Rule 38 Part II KS&SSR. The application of Dr. Divya Sadasivan for relinquishment of placement has been rejected by the Director of Health Services. Against this she filed OA 518/2025 before Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal. Based on the interim directions in the 4th paper above, Dr. Divya Sadasivan, Assistant Director of Health Services at General Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram was excluded from placement under Orthopaedics Specialty Cadre as per Proceedings read as 5th paper above. Now as per read 6th above, the Hon'ble Tribunal in the final Order has disposed the OA filed by Dr. Divya Sadasivan.

2. In the above circumstances, Dr. Divya Sadasivan who is included in the Seniority/Supplementary list published vide order read as 3rd paper above is placed and posted as Junior Consultants under Orthopaedics specialty at Community Health Centre Kuzhalmannam Palakkad.

3. The Heads of institutions/District Medical Officers concerned are directed to relieve the Medical Officers within 23/09/25. Delay in this will be viewed seriously.

4. The incumbents and Head of institutions are authorized to use the

print out of the order from the website of Directorate of Health Services for official purpose.

Necessary RTCs shall be forwarded promptly.

Director of Health Services

To :- Dr.Divya Sadasivan, Assistant Director of Health Services at  
General Hospital,Thiruvananthapuram

Copy to :- 1 .The Accountant General Kerala (A&E),  
Thiruvananthapuram

2.The District Medical Officers of Health concerned.

3 .The Head of Institutions concerned.