1.-Automatic recognition of the qualification titles of midwives, issued by another EU Member State, an EEA State or The Swiss Confederation

The procedure applies to midwives whose training or, where appropriate, professional experience, acquired in another EU Member State, an EEA state or The Swiss Confederation, meets the criteria for automatic recognition provided by Directive 2005/36/EC in this respect. The automatic recognition of the qualification of midwives aims to facilitate the access of midwives to the profession and exercising the right to establish in Romania of the professional concerned, respectively.

This procedure does not apply for the qualification titles of midwives acquired in another state than those mentioned above (third country), nor for the midwives established in one of these countries, in order to temporarily or occasionaly provide healthcare services, specific to the profesion, in Romania.

The automatic recognition of the qualification titles of midwives is done by The Order of Nurses Midwives and Medical Asisstants in Romania (OAMGMAMR), named by law as the competent authority for this profession.

Procedure description:

- Within 30 days from the date of the registration, OAMGMAMR notifies the applicant, confirming the receipt of the file, and where appropriate, requesting the completion with the misssing documents
- Within 3 months from the notification, the applicant has the obligation to complete the file with all the requested documents. If the applicant does not meet the deadline for completion, upon expiry, OAMGMAMR closes the file and informs the applicant in writing, in this respect.
- Within 90 days from the date of submission of the complete file by the applicant, the submitted documents are analyzed by the OAMGMAMR Commission for the recognition of the qualifications of nurse, midwife and medical assistant, acquired in another EU Member State, an EEA state or the Swiss Confederation and, on the basis of the proposal duly justified by it, the President of OAMGMAMR issues the decision to automatically recognize the midwife qualification.
- The decision is communicated to the applicant and to the OAMGMAMR branch of their domicile, in order to obtain the membership certificate and the authorization to practice
- The decision regarding the recognition of the qualification issued by OAMGMAMR, can be contested to the competent courts, within 30 days from its communication.
- The holder of the qualification as a midwife can register as a member of OAMGMAMR, only after they prove they possess the necessary Romanian language skills to perform the professional activities.
 - After obtaining OAMGMAMR membership, the holder exercises the profession of midwife with the rights and obligations provided by law for Romanian midwives.

<u>Responsible institution</u>: The Order of Nurses Midwives and Medical Assistants in Romania-Department for the recognition of professional qualifications, headquarted in Calea Griviței nr.77, sect1 Bucharest cod 10705 tel./fax 021 2240025/75, e-mail <u>secretariat@oamr.ro</u>.

Method of provision —national and cross-border

Resolution deadline -90 calendar days from the date of submitting of the complete file

<u>Archiving period</u> -50 years

<u>File completion deadline</u> - 90 calendar days from the notification on the missing documents

Notifications:

1.notification of the holder on the misssing documents - within 30 calendar days from the date of the registration;

- 2–notification upon expiry of the resolution deadline 10 calendar days
- 3– notification of the holder upon issuing the notification on the decision of recognition.

Necessary documents:

- 1. Proof of the citizenship of the holder a copy of the passport or identity card, accompanied, where appropriate, by:
 - a) copy of the marriage certificate or any other relevant document, in case of name change and different names appear on the documents. <u>Scanned document</u>
 - b) birth certificate or other document mentioning the place of birth if it does not appear on the passport or the identity card. <u>Scanned document</u>
 - b) For applicants who are not members of an EU State, a document attesting the status of family member of an EU citizen or the refugee status or long term resident in an EU member state or any athoer relevant evidence showing that the holder could benefit from the rights conferred by EU in the event of holdingod a EU Bleu Card. Scanned document
- 2. Evidence of formal qualifications or professional skills
- the documents attesting the training or the qualifications that ensure the access to the profession of midwife, issued by another EU member state, by an EEA State or The Swiss Confederation. Scanned copy with electronic signature of the holder.
- 3. Certificate of conformity: document attesting that the training of midwife was done in compliance with the minimum requirements provided by the mentioned Community act. <u>Scanned document</u>

4. Certificate regarding the change of the name of the qualification title: document attesting the
change of the name of the qualification of midwife acquired by the applicant in compliance with the
minimum training requirements provided by the mentioned Community act and not found in Annex
V, point 5.5.2, Directive 2005 / 36 / EC; Scanned document

Or

- 5. Certificate regarding the acquired rights: document attesting the practice of the midwife profession by the holder, for at least 3 consecutive years during the last 5 years preceding the date of the issuing of the certificate, if their professional training does not meet the minimum requirements set at EU level for the qualification of midwife. Scanned document
- 6. Proof of honorability / good reputation:
- evidence issued by the Member State of origin, regarding the honorable and moral character or the absence of a situation that suspends or prohibits the exercise of the profession in case of serious professional error, respectively an attestation confirming the absence of temporary or definitive suspensions from the exercise of the profession or of criminal convictions. The document is submitted within the validity period of 3 months from the date of issue. Scanned document
- g) If the Member State of origin does not issue the mentioned document to its citizens, the Order of Nurses, Midwives and Medical Assistants in Romania accepts the certificate issued on the basis of the affidavit or solemn declaration of the applicant, issued by the competent judicial or administrative authority or, where appropriate, by the notary or the professional organization empowered in this purpose by the Member State of origin. The document is submitted within the validity period of 3 months from the date of issue. Scanned document
- 7. Health document
- attesting the physical or mental health of the holder and is issued by the Member State of origin. The document is submitted within 3 months from the date of issue. <u>Scanned document</u>
- 8.- Proof of insurance for professional liability a certificate issued by the banks, including the insurance companies from one of the Member States provided in par. (1), certifying that the holder is insured against the pecuniary risks arising from the professional liability, in accordance with the legal provisions in force in Romania, as well as with the regulations on the terms and the extension of this guarantee. The document is submitted within the validity period of 3 months from the date of issue. Scanned document

- 9.-Legalized Romanian translations, as prepared by a notary, of documents issued by the Member State of origin, (other than Romania), except for the passport/identity card. <u>Scanned document</u>
- 10. Proof of payment of the recognition fee
- Proof of payment of 100 lei in the account RO42 RZBR 0000 0600 1349 1173 opened at Raiffeisen Bank Ion Mihalache Agency <u>Scanned document</u>

11. Application

Scanned document with electronic signature of the holder.

- Standard form

Final document

Communication address for the decision to automatically recognize the midwife qualification (electronic signature)

1.Standard application form

The undersigned, last name, first name, citizen of, if applicable member of family/ permanent resident in Romania/ long term resident, midwife, domiciled in str, bl, sc, et, city, district/county country, telephone no, e-mail please approve the recognition of the title of midwife acquired in, in order to exercise the profession in Romania.
_ I agree with the processing of my personal data by OAMGMAMR, according to the law, and I am aware of the conditions regarding the exercise of my rights.
I attach to this application, the following documents:
_ a) Documents attesting meeting one of the citizenship, marriage, afiliation or residence requests, providede by law, in order to access the profession in Romania :
_ b) Documents attesting the name change (copy of the marriage certificate/name change document);
_ c)Professional training documents
_ Professional experience certificate of 3 years
_ Other evidence of professional experience
_ e) Physical or mental health certificate;
_ f) Certificate of professional honorability and probity (Certificate of current professional Status/Certificate of good standing)/ notarial declaration;
_ g) Proof of insurance for professional liability (malpraxis);
_ h) proof of payment of evaluation fee
Date Signature