

Act shall be those who satisfy the following conditions.

- (i) A person who has an employment relationship with the organizer of the hospital in the last 10 years
- (ii) A person who has received donations or contract money, etc. exceeding a certain amount from the organizer of the hospital in the last three years
- (iii) A person who has made a donation to the organizer exceeding a certain amount in the last three years

Article 8 When the organizer of a hospital, clinic, or birthing center wishes to obtain permission under the provisions of the proviso to Article 12, paragraph (1) of the Act, the organizer must submit an application form stating the reason for obtaining permission, and the address and name of a person to be the administrator, to the prefectural governor of the location of the hospital, clinic, or birthing center, attached with a copy of the registration certificate for completion of clinical training, a physician's license, or a dentist's license, or a copy of a midwife's license of the person to be the administrator or a certified copy of the list of midwives.

Article 9 (1) When the organizer of a hospital, clinic, or birthing center wishes to obtain permission under the provisions of Article 12, paragraph (2) of the Act, the organizer must submit an application form stating the following matters to the prefectural governor of the location of the hospital, clinic, or birthing center.

- (i) The names, locations, clinical department names, number of beds, and fixed number of employees of the hospital, clinic, or birthing center that the physician, dentist, or birthing assistant has currently managed, and of the hospital, clinic, or birthing center that the physician, dentist, or birthing assistant will newly manage
  - (ii) The reason for having the physician, dentist, or birthing assistant manage the hospital, clinic, or birthing center
  - (iii) The distance and the time required for communication between the hospital, clinic, or birthing center currently managed and the hospital, clinic, or birthing center newly managed
  - (iv) Applicable provisions of the items of Article 12, paragraph (2) of the Act
- (2) Facilities prescribed by Order of the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare as provided in Article 12, paragraph (2), item (ii) of the Act shall be as follows.
- (i) Long-term care health facilities
  - (ii) Long-term care homes
  - (iii) Nursing homes
  - (iv) Intensive care homes
  - (v) Low-cost homes for the elderly