

ICMR - National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India

No. NIRT/PROJ/RECTT/2023-24

The following posts are to be filled purely on temporary basis from willing eligible candidates for the below mentioned project implemented by this institute as detailed thereon.

VENUE: National Tuberculosis Institute (NTI), 8, Avalon, Bellary Rd, Near Cauvery Theatre, Guttahalli, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560003

Mode of selection: Hybrid (walk in / online) written tests/ interview

DATES OF WRITTEN TEST/INTERVIEW: 08.02.2024 & 09.02.2024

1.	Name of the post	Project Technical Support III (Senior Investigator)	
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)	
Place of posting		Anywhere in Karnataka	
Number of post		1 Post (OBC)	
Ess	ential Qualification	Three years Graduate in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses) + Three years' experience OR Postgraduate in in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses)	
Nat	ture of Duties	 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Will be responsible for all field related activities that include screening and enrolment of study participants, taking consent, interviewing study participants, facilitating the required investigations, data collection and data entry. Ensuring retention of study participants by doing home visit/phone calls. Counseling the participants regarding the study procedures. Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Co-coordinator/ Principal Investigator. Willing to travel to various districts in Karnataka and other states for supervision, monitoring, and data entry activities. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language. 	
Ag	e limit	Not exceeding 35 years.	
Em	oluments	Consolidated salary Rs.28,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible.	
		• Daily allowance for field workdays as per ICMR rules.	
Du	ration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, Whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs	
	Date of written test/ interview: 08.02.2024Reporting Time: 09.00 A.M. to 10.00 A.M		



Dt: 25.01.2024

2. Name of the post	Project Technical Support III (Senior Technical Assistant)
Name of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of post	1 Post (UR)
Essential Qualification	Three years Graduate in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses) + Three years' experience OR
	Postgraduate in in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses)
Nature of Duties	 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Will be responsible for all field related activities that include screening and enrolment of study participants, taking consent, interviewing study participants, facilitating the required investigations, data collection and data entry. Ensuring retention of study participants by doing home visit/phone calls. Counseling the participants regarding the study procedures. Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Coordinator/ Principal Investigator. Willing to travel to various districts in Karnataka and otherstates for supervision, monitoring and data entry activities. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.
Age limit	Not exceeding 35 years.
Emoluments	 Consolidated salary Rs.28,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible. Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.
Duration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs
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3.	Name of the post	Project Technical Support III (Medical Social Worker)
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place	of posting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Numl	per of post	1 Post (UR)
Essen	tial Qualification	Three years Graduate in Social Science/ Social Work/ Sociology/ Medical Sociology/ Psychology/ Anthropology
		+ Three years experience.
		OR
		Post Graduate in Social Science/ Social Work/ Sociology/ Medical
		Sociology/ Psychology/ Anthropology.

4. Name of the post	Project Technical Support III (Field Investigator)
Name of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of post	1 Post (OBC)
Essential Qualification	Three years Graduate in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses) + Three years' experience OR
	Postgraduate in in Life Sciences/Clinical and Para Clinical Sciences (including Nursing and Allied courses)
Nature of Duties	 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Will be responsible for all field related activities that include screening and enrolment of study participants, taking consent, interviewing study participants, facilitating the required investigations, data collection and data entry. Ensuring retention of study participants by doing home visit/phone calls. Counseling the participants regarding the study procedures. Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Co-Ordinator/ Principal Investigator. Willing to travel to various districts in Karnataka andother states for supervision, monitoring and data entry activities. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.
Age limit	Not exceeding 35 years.

Emoluments	Consolidated salaryRs.28,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible.
	• Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.
Duration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project,
	whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project
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5. Name of the post	Project Technical Support II (Laboratory Technician)
Name of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of post	3 Posts (UR-1, OBC-2)
Essential qualification	12 th in Science + Diploma (MLT/DMLT) + Five Years Experiencein relevant subject /field.
Nature of Duties	 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Get trained in SOPs of NTEP and National Lab committee recommendations for Intermediate Reference Laboratories. Achieve necessary skills to perform CBNAAT, testing, sputum microscopy, C&DST and Blood tests using auto analyzer before Survey commencement. Perform safe opening of all sputum specimens received by IRL Use IT system (scanner and laptop) to ensure all entries of Each sample and its result is entered in the application. Inform the Survey Team & local DTO & STLS about the Instances of leakage, contaminations etc. suggesting action e.g., Repeat sample collection. Perform DNA extraction (following all steps of PCR) for Line Probe assay on all sputum sample received. Performing any other study related activities delegated by StudyCo-ordinator/ Principal Investigator.
Age limit	Not exceeding 30 years.
Emoluments	Consolidated salary Rs.20,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible. Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.
Duration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs
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6. Name	of the post	Project Technical Support I (Health Assistant)
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of post	ting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of p	oost	7 Posts (UR-3, OBC-2, SC-1, ST-1)
Essential qua	alification	10 th + Diploma (MLT/DMLT) + Two Years' Experience in relevant subject /field.
Nature of Du	ıties	 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Will be responsible for all field related activities that include screening camps, interviewing patients and health staffs, facilitating the IEC activities, data collection and data entry. Ensuring smooth conduct of regular health camps for detection of patients and coordinating the referral services. Coordinating with the health care workers, general practitionersand pharmacists for NTEP related activities. Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Co-ordinator/ Principal Investigator. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.
Age limit		Not exceeding 28 years.
Emoluments	5	 Consolidated salary Rs.18,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible. Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.
Duration		For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs
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7.	Name of the post	Project Data Entry Operator Grade B
Na	me of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Pla	ce of posting	Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of post		1 Post (OBC)
Essential qualification		Intermediate or 12th Pass in science stream from recognized board with DOEACC 'A' level from a recognized institute and/or 2 years' experience in EDP work in Government, Autonomous, PSU or any other recognized organization. A Speed test of not less than 8000 key depressions per hour (kmph) on computer

	• Entry of study related data collected from the field into the software / database	
	• Data verification and ensure data quality and accuracy.	
Nature of Duties	• To maintain entries in MS-office skills: Word, Excel, Power	
	point, Google documents: Google sheets, Google forms.	
	Perform any other study related activities delegated by Study	
	Principal Investigator/Co-investigator.	
	• Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.	
Age limit	Not exceeding 28 years.	
Emoluments	Consolidated salary Rs.18,000/- p.m.	
	• Daily allowance for field workdays as per ICMR rules.	
Duration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs	
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8.	Name of the Post	Senior Project Assistant (UDC)
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India -District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting		Anywhere in Karnataka.
Nur	nber of posts	1 Post (OBC)
Esse	ential qualification	12 th pass or equivalent from a recognized board with 5 years' experience of administrative work. OR Graduate in any discipline with 2 years' experience of administration work. AND A speed test of not less than 8000 key depressions per hour (kdph)on
		computer.
Nature of Duties		 Get trained in Protocol as well as SOPs and training manuals. Maintain books of accounts for survey expenditure. Assist PMU in preparing file noting for seeking approvals for expenditure of PMU and surveys teams. Monitor Field Survey Teams especially for administrative (including procurement and expenditure) matters. Ensure regular, timely report of expenditure for each field activity. Undertake supervisory visits for internal review of expenditure by survey teams. To maintain entries in MS-office skills: Word, Excel, Power point, Google documents: Google sheets, Google forms. Any other job as assigned by PI. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language
Age	limit	Not exceeding 28 years.
Emo	oluments	 Consolidated salary Rs.17,000/- p.m. Daily allowance for field workdays as per ICMR rules.

Duration	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project,	
	whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project	
	needs	
Date of written test/ interview : 09.02.2024		

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9.	Name of the post	Project Multi-Tasking Staff (Helper)
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting		Anywhere in Karnataka
Number of post		1 Post (OBC)
Essential qualification		High School or equivalent.
Nature of Duties		 Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states. Assist in establishing central survey site at the central place in cluster or near strategic location near SC / PHC / CHC / GH. Arrange drinking water, tea for meetings and staff membersetc. To assist the project related day to day activities. Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.
Age limit		Not exceeding 25 years.
Emoluments		 Consolidated salary Rs.15,800/- p.m. Daily allowance for field workdays as per ICMR rules.
Duration		For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs
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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES:

Reporting Time

- 1. All the Candidates should fill the application form in the prescribed format which can be downloaded from the following websites <u>www.nirt.res.in</u>, <u>www.icmr.nic.in</u>. Affix a color passport size **photograph** on the application form. Attach self-attested copies of all credentials in support of educational qualifications, age, caste/community, Aadhar Card.
- For walk-in selection: Candidates should bring the filled application along with photocopies of all the certificates to National Tuberculosis Institute (NTI), 8, Avalon, Bellary Rd, near Cauvery Theatre, Guttahalli, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560003 on the date and time mentioned above. Original Certificates of all these credentials should also be carried for verification.
- 3. <u>For Online selection</u>: Candidates interested in participating in the online process can scan the completed application form along with all the certificates into a single pdf file and send to the email address: <u>dlsshrnirt@gmail.com</u>. The last date for receiving online applications in email is 05.02.2024. Eligible/shortlisted candidates will be informed via email to join the online interviews. Selection will be subjected to verification of original certificates which will be scheduled on a later date.

- 4. Mere fulfilling the essential qualification does not guarantee the selection.
- **5.** For reserved category posts, candidates must produce their latest Caste Validity Certificate. OBC candidates must possess a latest valid non-creamy layer certificate. PWD candidates shall produce latest disability certificate issued by a Medical board of Government hospital with not less than 40% disability.
- 6. Age relaxation is admissible in respect of SC/ST/OBC candidates, Retrenched Government Employees, Departmental Candidates (including projects) and Ex-Servicemen in accordance with the instructions issued by the Central Government from time to time. Age concession to the extent of service rendered in other ICMR research projects will also be admissible for experienced and skilled persons.
- 7. Experience certificate should clearly state the nature of work during the period of employment.
- 8. No-Objection Certificate from the current employer (for Govt./AB/PSU Servants only).
- **9.** All posts are Contractual for the duration offered. The engagement may be renewed after every specific period subject to satisfactory performance and project requirement.
- **10.** The incumbents selected will have no claim for regular appointments under NIRT/ICMR or continuation of his/her services in any other project.
- **11.** TA/DA will not be paid by NIRT for attending the written test/ interview.
- **12.** The Director, ICMR-NIRT reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of posts or cancel the recruitment or re-advertise the posts, without assigning any reasons thereof, no further correspondence will be entertained in this regard.
- **13.** Any further information may be downloaded from ICMR-NIRT website which will be updated from time to time.
- **14.** Date of Walk-in Interview/Online Interview may be changed due to administrative reasons; hence, candidates are advised to check website before appearing for walk-in interview/online interview.

The Director /Selection Committee has the right to accept / reject any application without assigning any reason thereof.

Canvassing and bringing pressure in any form for short listing, interview and employment will be a disqualification and barred from selection process.

DIRECTOR