

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

Dt: 19.01.2024

Applications are invited from the eligible candidates up to 29.01.2024 till 4.00 p.m. for the following posts to be filled purely on temporary basis under ICMR-NIRT, Chennai.

1. Name of the post	Project Research Scientist II (Medical)
Name of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place of posting	Anywhere in Gujarat
Number of post	1 Post
Essential Qualification	<ol> <li>MBBS with Three years experience</li> <li>MBBS with MPH/PhD</li> <li>MBBS + Post Graduate Degree, including the intergrated PG degrees.</li> </ol>
Job specific requirements	<ul> <li>The candidates should read the book (available free of cost) before interview: Tuberculosis Prevalence Surveys- A handbook (https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/9789241548168)</li> <li>The candidates should complete the following courses and books (available free of cost) before joining: <ol> <li>NIDA GCP certification (https://gcp.nidatraining.org/)</li> <li>Ethics Review of Health Research (https://onlinecourses.swayam2.ac.in/aic21_ge28/preview)</li> <li>Systematic Screening for Tuberculosis disease (https://openwho.org/courses/TB-systematic- screening/items/yrweZpow3Y1JGUv4wkgor)</li> </ol> </li> <li>Should be well versed in using computers and file management</li> </ul>
	using MS-Office-word, power point and excel, and Google sheets, forms and docs.
Nature of Duties	<ul> <li>Get trained in the protocol of the study as well as SOPs and training manuals.</li> <li>Assist the Survey Project Management Unit in training &amp; sensitizations of various stake holders at various levels as well, as other preparatory activities for the survey</li> <li>Coordinate with Survey Team and local NTEP team in identification &amp; establishing survey site for each cluster.</li> <li>Review and report all chest X-Ray images as per survey protocol and SOP in a time bound manner.</li> <li>Identify other medical conditions as well as the triage by coordinating with the local health facilities as well as referral to higher centers as and when necessary.</li> <li>Establishing coordination and support from local health facilities</li> </ul>

Age limit	Not exceeding 40 years.
Emoluments	Consolidated salaryRs.80,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible.
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 tests/interview (Walkin or Online): 31.01.2024	

2.	Name of the post	Project Technical Support II (Laboratory Technician)
Nam	e of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place	e of posting	Anywhere in Gujarat
Num	ber of post	1 Post (ST)
Esse	ntial qualification	12 <sup>th</sup> in Science + Diploma (MLT/DMLT) + Five Years Experience in relevant subject /field.
Natu	re of Duties	<ul> <li>Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states.</li> <li>Get trained in SOPs of NTEP and National Lab committee recommendations for Intermediate Reference Laboratories.</li> <li>Achieve necessary skills to perform CBNAAT, testing, sputum microscopy, C&amp;DST and Blood tests using auto analyzer before Survey commencement.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Inform the Survey Team &amp; local DTO &amp; STLS about the Instances of leakage, contaminations etc. suggesting action e.g., Repeat sample collection.</li> <li>Perform DNA extraction (following all steps of PCR) for Line Probe assay on all sputum sample received.</li> <li>Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Co-ordinator/ Principal Investigator.</li> </ul>
Age	limit	Not exceeding 30 years.
Emo	luments	<ul> <li>Consolidated salary Rs.20,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible.</li> <li>Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.</li> </ul>
Dura	tion	For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project

3.	Name of the post	Project Technical Support I (Health Assistant)
Nam	ne of the Project	Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Place	e of posting	Anywhere in Gujarat
Num	nber of post	5 Posts (UR-2, OBC-1, SC-1, ST-1)
Esse	ential qualification	10 <sup>th</sup> + Diploma (MLT/DMLT) + Two Years Experience in relevant subject /field.
Natu	re of Duties	<ul> <li>Get oriented in requirements of the survey in respective states.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Ensuring smooth conduct of regular health camps for detection of patients and coordinating the referral services.</li> <li>Coordinating with the health care workers, general practitioners and pharmacists for NTEP related activities.</li> <li>Performing any other study related activities delegated by Study Co-ordinator/ Principal Investigator.</li> <li>Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.</li> </ul>
Agel	imit	Not exceeding 28 years.
Emol	uments	<ul> <li>Consolidated salary Rs.18,000/- p.m. + HRA as admissible.</li> <li>Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.</li> </ul>
Dura		For a period of Four Months or Completion of the project, whichever is earlier. If required will be extended as per project needs
Date	e of written tests/inte	erview (Walkin or Online): 31.01.2024

4	Name of the post	Project Data Entry Operator Grade B
Name of the Project		Strengthening the Monitoring of TB Elimination in India - District Level Sentinel Survey (DLSS)
Pla	ce of posting	Anywhere in Gujarat
Nu	mber of post	1 Post (UR)
Ess	sential 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 (kdph) on computer

	• Entry of study related data collected from the field into the software / database
Nature of Duties	<ul> <li>Data verification and ensure data quality and accuracy.</li> <li>To maintain entries in MS-office skills: Word, Excel, Power point, Google documents: Google sheets, Google forms.</li> <li>Willing to travel &amp; stay at various districts in Gujarat and other states for supervision, monitoring and data entry activities</li> <li>Perform any other study related activities delegated by Study Principal Investigator/Co-investigator.</li> <li>Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.</li> </ul>
Age limit	Not exceeding 28 years.
Emoluments	<ul> <li>Consolidated salary Rs.18,000/- p.m.</li> <li>Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.</li> </ul>
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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1 Post (SC)
12 <sup>th</sup> 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.
<ul> <li>Get trained in Protocol as well as SOPs and training manuals.</li> <li>Maintain books of accounts for survey expenditure.</li> <li>Assist PMU in preparing file noting for seeking approvalsfor expenditure of PMU and surveys teams.</li> <li>Monitor Field Survey Teams especially for administrative(including procurement and expenditure) matters.</li> <li>Ensure regular, timely report of expenditure for each fieldactivity.</li> <li>Undertake supervisory visits for internal review of expenditure by survey teams.</li> <li>To maintain entries in MS-office skills: Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Google documents: Google sheets, Google forms.</li> <li>Any other job as assigned by PI.</li> <li>Candidate should be able to speak in Regional/local language.</li> </ul>

Age limit	Not exceeding 28 years.
Emoluments	<ul> <li>Consolidated salary Rs.17,000/- p.m</li> <li>Daily allowance for field work days as per ICMR rules.</li> </ul>
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 tests/interview (Walkin or Online): 31.01.2024	

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES:**

- The Candidates send the filled application form in the prescribed format which can be downloaded from websites <u>www.nirt.res.in</u>, <u>www.icmr.nic.in</u> along with self-attested copies of all credentials in support of educational qualifications, age, caste/community, Aadhar Card and affixing a colour passport size photograph to send by email: <u>dlsshrnirt@gmail.com</u>. The last date for receiving applications is upto 29.01.2024 by 4.00 p.m.
- 2. Mere fulfilling the essential qualification does not guarantee the selection.
- **3.** 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.
- **4.** 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.
- 5. Experience certificate should clearly state the nature of work during the period of employment.
- 6. No-Objection Certificate from the current employer (for Govt./AB/PSU Servants only).
- **7.** All posts are Contractual for the duration offered. The engagement may be renewed after every specific period of time subject to satisfactory performance and project requirement.
- **8.** The incumbents selected will have no claim for regular appointments under NIRT/ICMR or continuation of his/her services in any other project.
- 9. TA/DA will not be paid by NIRT for attending the written test/ interview.
- **10.** 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.
- **11.** Any further information may be downloaded from ICMR-NIRT website which will be updated from time to time.
- **12.** 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