

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH IN TUBERCULOSIS  
(INDIAN COUNCIL OF MEDICAL RESEARCH)  
No.1, Mayor Sathyamoorthy Road, Chetpet, Chennai – 31**

Ref.No.NIRT/PROJECT/GHSA & CAMBRIDGE/2017

Dt: 14.6.2017

Applications are invited up to **3.7.2017** for the following posts to be filled in various projects implemented by this Institute, purely on contract/adhoc basis.

1. **Name of the Project: “Protecting and Improving Public Health Globally: Building Laboratory, Surveillance and workforce capacity to detect, respond to and prevent Drug Resistant TB in India**

Name of the post	Scientist 'C' (Medical) Project Coordinator
Place of posting	Chennai
Number of post	1 UR
Essential qualification	Post graduate degree (MD/MS/DNB) after MBBS with one year experience  OR Postgraduate diploma in Medical subjects after MBBS with two years experience  OR MBBS degree with 4 years experience in medical field.
Desirable Qualification	Doctorate or MPH degree or MD in public health from a recognized university for candidates with first class relevant degree. Additional Post-doctoral research/teaching experience in public health and clinical and operational research from recognized institute(s). Knowledge of Computer Applications or Data Management
Age limit	Not exceeding 40 years. Age relaxation as per GOI rules
Emoluments	Consolidated salary Rs.64,000/- p.m. + HRA
Nature of Duties	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Create actionable strategies that ensure the smooth and timely start-up, integration and quality execution of the project.</li> <li>2. Oversee day-to-day operations of outbreak and molecular Epidemiology part of the project.</li> <li>3. Supervise the data entry of information related to the biological materials into a proprietary computer database.</li> <li>4. Responsible for overall fiscal project management under the guidance of the PI.</li> <li>5. Ensure maintenance of all facility equipment's and SOPs. Co-ordinate with other Centers in the project for smooth financial and project management.</li> </ol>
Duration	1 year

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**2. Name of the Project: “Cambridge-Chennai Centre Partnership on Antimicrobial Resistant Tuberculosis**

Name of the post	Scientist ‘C’ (Non-Medical)
Place of posting	Chennai
Number of post	1 UR
Essential qualification	I class Master’s degree in Microbiology/Immunology/Biotechnology from a recognized University with 8 years’ experience OR II Class M.Sc + Ph.D degree in relevant subjects from a recognized University with 8 years’ experience
Desirable qualification	1. Hands on experience with culture and DST of Mycobacterium. 2. Infection studies with tissue culture cells. 3. Additional post-doctoral research/teaching experience in Mycobacteriology from recognized Institute(s). 4. Knowledge of Computer Applications or data management.
Age limit	Not exceeding 45 years. Age relaxation as per GOI rules
Emoluments	Consolidated salary Rs.45,954/- p.m
Nature of Duties	To perform and monitor culture and DST of mycobacterium cultures using liquid and solid cultures, cell line maintenance, Setting up infection studies, RT PCR for gene expression studies and Fluorescence in situ hybridization assay in clinical samples obtained in the study.
Duration	1 year

**General Instructions:**

1. Applications must be super-scribed with “**Name of the post applied**” and “**Name of the Project**” at the left top corner of the envelope and applications received after last date (due to Postal/ Courier delays) will not be considered.
2. Candidates are required to apply in the prescribed format with complete information and attachments.
3. Candidates are required to mention one valid E-Mail ID.
4. Any application without self-attested copy of relevant certificates / mark sheets / testimonials is liable to be rejected.
5. Additional sheets may be attached in the same format, wherever the space allocated is insufficient.
6. The applicant will be responsible for the authenticity of submitted information, other documents and photograph. Furnishing of false information and/or suppression/concealment of facts shall lead to rejection/cancellation of selection/recruitment.
7. Caste certificate of SC/ST/OBC-NCL should be on the prescribed proforma only issued by the competent authority as per Act / Orders of Government of India under which the same is recognized as SC/ST/OBC-NCL.
8. Reservation will be strictly as per Government of India norms.

9. The competent authority may fix the criteria for shortlisting the candidates higher than the prescribed essential qualifications as per recommendations of the internal screening committee as well as actual or specific requirements of the posts. Hence, mere fulfilment of essential qualifications and experience, requirements does not entail the candidates eligible to be called for written test.
10. In case of large number of applications received, competent authority has the right to set higher norms than the minimum. The shortlisting may be done based on academic performance and quality / quantity of relevant experience. Written test will be held for the selected shortlisted candidates. The list of shortlisted candidates eligible for further participation in the selection process shall be uploaded/displayed on the Institute's website / through post.
11. Venue and date will be intimated on the website.
12. Applicants are required to visit Institute website regularly.
13. Interim enquiries relating to any matter will not be entertained.
14. The competent authority reserves the right to reject any or all the applications without assigning any reason. No recommendation in this matter will be entertained.
15. The competent authority also reserves the right to increase / decrease the number of vacancies as per the requirement.
16. Original documents / certificates will have to be produced at the time of written test., for verification.
17. Canvassing in any form will lead to rejecting of application form.
18. No correspondence whatsoever will be entertained from the candidates regarding conduct and result of written test and reasons for not being called for interview or selection.
19. The decision of the competent authority will be final in the matter of selection.
20. No TA/DA will be paid to attend the written test/interview.
21. The incumbent selected will have no claim for regular appointment under ICMR or continuation of his/her services in any other projects.
22. Candidates having proficiency in the local language of the State and English will be preferred.

#### **How to apply:**

1. Interested candidates may apply on the prescribed application form, which may be downloaded from the website [www.nirt.res.in](http://www.nirt.res.in) / [www.icmr.nic.in](http://www.icmr.nic.in).
2. Application must be accompanied by non-refundable processing fee of Rs.100/- (Rupees One Hundred Only) in the shape of demand draft from any nationalized Bank in favour of Director, NIRT, Chennai. SC/ST, PH and women candidates are exempted from the payment of fee, on production of valid certificate.
3. Application forms complete in all respects along with self-attested copies of certificates / documents, should reach the Office of the Director, National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis (ICMR), No.1, Mayor Sathyamoorthy Road, Chetpet, Chennai- 600 031.
4. Incomplete application forms will not be entertained and the applications received after the due date will not be considered and rejected straightaway.

**DIRECTOR.**

