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Pratap Vihar, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh – 201009

ADVERTISEMENT FOR RECRUITMENT OF PROJECT STAFF

Advt. No.: SDCH/PHD/ICMR/2026/Y1-02 | Date: 30th October 2026

Applications are invited from eligible and motivated candidates under the ICMR-funded extramural research project:

"Development and Evaluation of a Peer-Led Tobacco Use Prevention Model Incorporating Stress Management and Refusal Skills among School Students in Ghaziabad: An Implementation Study"

- Funding Agency: Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi
- Sanction Order No.: EMTR/SG-DL/2026/07-00180
- Principal Investigator: Dr. Meena Jain, Professor, Department of Public Health Dentistry
- Total Project Duration: 36 Months (3 Years) [20.11.2026 to 19.11.2029]

1. Summary of Advertised Positions

Position Name	No. of Posts	Tenure / Duration	Emoluments (p.m.)	Max Age Limit
Project Research Scientist - I (Medical)	01	3 Years (36 Months) (Renewable annually based on performance)	₹87,100/- (₹67,000 + 30% HRA)	35 Years
Project Technical Support - I (Field Officer)	01	1 Year (12 Months) (Year 1 project sanctioned post)	₹23,400/- (₹18,000 + 30% HRA)	28 Years

2. Detailed Eligibility & Job Specifications

Post 1: Project Research Scientist - I (Medical) — [Tenure: 3 Years / 36 Months]

Position Tenure: 36 Months (3 Years). The appointment will be initially for 12 months in Year 1, extendable annually up to 3 years co-terminus with the project based on annual performance review and ICMR guidelines.
Consolidated Emoluments: ₹87,100/- per month (₹67,000/- base pay + 30% HRA as sanctioned by ICMR). Annual 5% increment applicable after completion of 2 years as per ICMR norms.
Upper Age Limit: 35 Years (Age relaxation applicable for SC/ST/OBC/PWD candidates and experienced candidates as per ICMR/GoI rules).
Essential Qualifications: MBBS / BDS / MVSc / M.Sc. with Ph.D. in Public Health, Community Medicine, or Life Sciences from a recognized university.
Desirable Qualifications: Master of Public Health (MPH) or MDS in Public Health Dentistry. Prior

research experience in digital health platforms, adolescent health, behavioral interventions, tobacco control, or implementation science.
Key Job Responsibilities: Responsible for overall scientific coordination across all 3 years of the project. Key duties include cultural adaptation of the peer-led tobacco prevention model, development of training modules, supervision of school baseline & follow-up surveys, digital communication platform coordination, data management & statistical analysis, scientific manuscript writing, policy brief preparation, and drafting the final implementation toolkit.

Post 2: Project Technical Support - I (Field Officer) — [Tenure: Year 1 / 12 Months]

Position Tenure: 12 Months (Year 1 project sanctioned post).
Consolidated Emoluments: ₹23,400/- per month (₹18,000/- base pay + 30% HRA as sanctioned by ICMR).
Upper Age Limit: 28 Years (Age relaxation applicable as per ICMR/GoI rules).
Essential Qualifications: 10th + Diploma (DMLT/ITI or equivalent) + 2 years' field experience in relevant health surveys/community projects, OR 3-year Graduate degree in Science / Health Sciences / relevant field + 1 year field experience.
Desirable Qualifications: Experience in conducting school-based health surveys, administering questionnaires to adolescents, and local familiarity with Ghaziabad schools and urban local bodies.
Key Job Responsibilities: Field visits to participating government and private schools in Ghaziabad, supporting student participant recruitment, questionnaire administration during baseline data collection, monitoring peer-led activities, field logistics management, and assisting the research scientist in data entry verification.

3. General Terms & Conditions (ICMR Guidelines)

1. Nature of Engagement: All posts are on a contractual basis, co-terminus with the project.
2. Tenure & Performance Review: The Project Research Scientist - I post is for the 3-year project duration, renewed annually based on satisfactory performance.
3. No Right to Regularization: Selected candidates shall have no claim for regular appointment or absorption at Santosh Dental College & Hospital, Santosh Deemed to be University, or ICMR.
4. Age Relaxation: Age relaxation up to 5 years is permissible for SC/ST/OBC/PWD candidates and candidates with prior experience working in Government Research Organizations as per ICMR rules.
5. Leave Entitlement: Contractual staff will be entitled to 1.5 days of paid leave per completed month of engagement as per ICMR project guidelines.
6. Selection Process: Shortlisted candidates will be invited for a written screening test and/or personal interview (in-person or online). No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
7. Application Deadline: Interested candidates must send their updated CV along with self-attested copies of educational qualifications, experience certificates, and age proof to drmeena.jain@santosh.ac.in within 10 days (10th November 2026) of publication.

4. Application Format

Candidates must submit their application in the format below along with self-attested supporting documents:

Applicant pic

1. Post Applied For: _____

2. Name of Candidate (in Block Letters): _____

3. Father's / Husband's Name: _____

4. Date of Birth & Age (as on deadline): _____

5. Gender & Category (UR/OBC/SC/ST/EWS): _____

6. Contact Address, Mobile No. & Email ID: _____

7. Educational Qualifications (10th onwards):

Exam Passed	Board / University	Year of Passing	Marks (%) / CGPA	Subjects / Specialization

8. Work / Research Experience (Position | Organization | Period | Major Duties):

Declaration: I hereby declare that all information furnished above is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that in the event of any information being found false or incorrect, my candidature/appointment is liable to be cancelled without notice.

Signature of Candidate: _____ Date & Place: _____