



All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Kalyani
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Advertisement for Vacancy in a Research Project

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for an Extramural (funded by DHR-GIA, Reference Number 2022-2104) research project entitled “Maternal serum trace element levels and the incidence of postpartum depression in anaemic and non-anaemic pregnant women residing in a rural area of West Bengal: A prospective cohort study.” at AIIMS Kalyani on a tenure basis.

Principal investigator: Dr. Amandeep Kaur, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine and Family Medicine.

Project details: Anaemia and postpartum depression are common and severely debilitating health issues which affect 63% and 22% of Indian mothers, respectively. In this research project, we plan to assess whether anaemia and iron depletion affect the maternal trace element levels (which share metabolic pathway with iron) in the body, which, in turn, cause alteration in the neurotransmitter levels, thus, contributing to the development of depression in the pregnant and lactating women. Duration of the project will be three years (20-03-2023 to 19-03-2026).

Details of Vacancy:

| S. No. | Name of Post | Number of posts & duration | Essential Qualification | Consolidated salary | Upper age limit |
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| 1. | Field Worker | 01 (For 36 months or completion of the project whichever is earlier) | 12 th pass in science subjects plus one year required experience in a recognized organisation or two years field experience in Government recognised organisation. *B.Sc. degree will be treated as three years' experience. | Rs.24462/- (consolidated) | Not exceeding 30 years (as on last date of application process) |
| 2. | Laboratory assistant | 01 (For 36 months or completion of the project whichever is earlier) | High School or equivalent with five years' experience in a related field from a Government Institution or recognized Institute or certificate of 01 year of training in the relevant area or ITI or National trade certificate of National council for vocational training and successful completion of ATS in relevant | Rs.21550/- (consolidated) | Not exceeding 28 years (as on last date of application process) |

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| | | | trade from a government recognized board. Intermediate with science subjects and B.Sc. degree will be treated as equivalent to two- and three-years' experience, respectively. | | |
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*Candidates who are residents of Nadia district (for more than 1 year), well versed in local language (Bengali) and has previous working experience in similar field are encouraged to apply. Those who have worked in similar project will be given preference.

| Job responsibility | |
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| Field Worker | Line listing of pregnant females in the study area, rapport building, administration of questionnaire, data entry and related works as assigned by Principal Investigator /other investigators of the Project. |
| Laboratory assistant | Blood sample collection & transport, serum separation, Haemoglobin testing and related works as assigned by the Principal Investigator /other investigators of the Project. |

Interview Process:

1. Eligible candidates may fill the attached application form. The filled-up application form along with certificate of age, qualification, experience should be emailed to dramandeepkaiims@gmail.com (all documents merged as a single PDF file in same order as given above).
2. The last date of submission of the application will be 15 days after the advertisement notice on the institute webpage (i.e., latest by 12o'clock midnight of 06.05.2023). Eligible candidates will be called for interview through email mentioned above. The email should have the heading mentioning the specific post applied for, like: "Application for the post of Field Worker/Laboratory Assistant for the DHR-GIA Project AIIMS Kalyani." The improper heading may lead to rejection of the application.
3. Application should be mailed to above email id on or before 06.05.2023. Any application received after the stipulated time will not be considered.
4. List of shortlisted candidates will be published on AIIMS Kalyani Website (<https://aiimskalyani.edu.in>) before the interview. No individual intimation will be sent by AIIMS Kalyani to applicants. Candidates are hence requested to follow up recruitment notices on the website periodically.
5. Date and Venue of interview will be published on AIIMS Kalyani website (<https://aiimskalyani.edu.in>).
6. The interview will be conducted through offline mode only. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the same.
7. Candidates should bring two photocopies of application form and supporting document along with original documents for verification at the time of interview.
8. The decision of selection committee further to approval of the Executive Director, AIIMS Kalyani will be final.
9. Result will be published on AIIMS Kalyani Website after the selection process is over and the same will be communicated to the selected candidate via e-mail.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. It is candidates' responsibility to ascertain and ensure their eligibility as per the prescribed qualification and experience. If any declaration given or information furnished by him/her proves

false or if he/she is found to have wilfully suppressed any material or information, he/she will be liable for removal from service and such other action as the Government/ ICMR may deem necessary. Even after qualifying in the selection process the candidate may be rendered disqualified at the time of document verification if he/she does not fulfil essential eligibility criteria.

2. Tenure: The assignments are purely on contract basis for a maximum period of 36 months or completion of the project whichever is earlier. These appointments will not vest any right to claim by the candidate for regular appointment or permanent absorption in AIIMS Kalyani/ICMR or continued contractual appointment.
3. Expiry of Contract: The contract will automatically expire on completion of 30 months or earlier in case of withdrawal of support by funding agency. The contractual appointment can be terminated at any time by either side by giving 30 days' notice or salary in lieu thereof.
4. Leave: The leave entitlement of the appointee shall be governed in terms of the DHR leave policy as amended from time to time.
5. Accommodation: No hostel or any other accommodation will be provided by the institute. No other allowance/facilities other than consolidated emoluments/salary shall be admissible.
6. Canvassing of any kind will lead to disqualification.
7. The prescribed qualification is minimum and mere possessing the same does not entitle any candidate for selection.
8. Applications incomplete in any aspect will be summarily rejected and no intimations / requests will be made to the candidate in this regard. Candidates who will be called for the final interview will be based on the complete discretion of the Screening Committee and no intimations will be given/ sent to the candidate in this regard.
9. Decision of the Selection Committee at AIIMS Kalyani regarding selection of candidates will be final and no representation in any manner will be entertained in this regard.
10. He/ She is expected to conform to the rules of conduct and discipline as applicable to the institute employees.

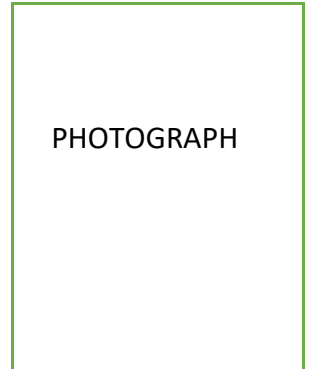
Dr. Amandeep Kaur
(Principal Investigator)
Assistant Professor,
Department of CMFM,
AIIMS, Kalyani

APPLICATION FORM

Study Title: “Maternal serum trace element levels and the incidence of postpartum depression in anaemic and non-anaemic pregnant women residing in a rural area of West Bengal: A prospective cohort study.”

Post Applied for:

1. Full name in block letters:
2. Guardian/Spouse Name:
3. Date of Birth:
4. Age:
5. Gender:
6. Permanent Address:
7. Present Address:
8. Contact Number:
9. Email id:
10. Details of Qualification:



| Sl. No | Degree | % of Marks | Year of passing | Board/University |
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11. Details of Experience:

| Sl. No | Designation | Name of Institute | From (date) – To (date) |
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12. Please attach Date of birth proof/Qualification/Experience/Any other important information as Annexures with this application form.

Declaration

I hereby declare that the information given above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. In the event of any information being found incorrect/false, my candidature/services are liable to be terminated.

Place:

Date:

Signature of the Candidate