



# NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH AND NEURO SCIENCES

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## NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from the eligible candidates, for filling up the various posts on **contract basis** in the **Ministry of Women & Child Development** funded project titled “**National Initiative & Integrated Resource for Child Protection, Mental Health, and Psychosocial Care**”, under Dr. Shekhar Seshadri, Sr. Prof. Dept. of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry and PI.

Name of the Post	<b>Project Officer – Child Protection Theme</b>
No. of Post	02 (TWO)
Essential Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Masters’ degree in Social Work/Psychology.</li><li>At least 3 years’ experience (post to essential qualification) in directly working with children, with a minimum of 1 year working in state child protection systems and/or child care institutions.</li><li>Strong understanding of the structure and workings of the child protection system, including knowledge of child laws applicable in the protection system, namely juvenile justice and child sexual abuse laws.</li><li>Knowledge of protection risks and emotional and behavioural consequences of children in vulnerable circumstances.</li><li>Training experience in child protection-related issues (such as with child protection functionaries).</li><li>Knowledge of research methodology, including the ability to conceptualize research studies.</li><li>Evidence of written work and documentation in the area of child mental health, and protection.</li><li>Strong English oral and written skills, with experience in coordinating and communicating with government and other systems/agencies.</li><li>Good working knowledge of oral Hindi and/or Kannada.</li><li>Willingness to travel within the country.</li></ol>
Desired knowledge/skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>PhD in Social Work/Psychology.</li><li>Experience in providing psychosocial interventions for vulnerable children in state child protection systems.</li><li>Oral/ working knowledge of at least 1 (Indian) regional language.</li><li>Experience and ability to develop social media/awareness materials.</li><li>Published papers in the area of child protection and/or psychosocial care.</li></ul>
Maximum Age Limit	35 years
Emoluments/ Salary	Rs.90,000/- per month (Consolidated).
Job Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Implement training programs across the country, for various stakeholders in the area of child protection and mental health, including development of training content and methodologies for online and in-person workshops.</li><li>Implement research activities, including designing studies, data collection, analysis, and report writing.</li><li>Coordinate with child protection agencies, namely state departments of Women &amp; Child Development/ Social Justice &amp; Empowerment/Police and other systems/agencies to communicate project mandate and set up training and research activities.</li><li>Work with other internal technical teams in a coordinated manner to develop integrate child protection components into mental health, education and law and policy issues.</li><li>Develop materials and conduct social media campaigns and other public awareness programs.</li></ul>
Location	Bangalore City/ NIMHANS
Duration of the Post	1 year (Initial appointment will be made for a period of six months and extendable based on the performance of the candidate)
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Name of the Post	<b>Project Officer – Education Theme</b>
No. of Post	02 (TWO)
Essential Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Masters' degree in Social Work/Psychology/Special Education.</li><li>At least 3 years experience (post to essential qualification) in directly working with children, with a minimum of 1 year working in <u>school settings</u>.</li><li>Strong knowledge of child and adolescent mental health disorders, including signs, symptoms and diagnostic criteria.</li><li>Knowledge and skills in therapeutic methods used with children and adolescents, particularly in <u>school counselling settings</u>.</li><li>Training experience in child mental health-related issues (with teachers/school counsellors/special educators/parents).</li><li>Knowledge of research methodology, including the ability to conceptualize research studies.</li><li>Evidence of written work and documentation in the area of child mental health, education and protection.</li><li>Strong English oral and written skills, with experience in coordinating and communicating with government and other systems/agencies.</li><li>Good working knowledge of oral Hindi and/or Kannada.</li><li>Willingness to travel within the country.</li></ol>
Desired knowledge/skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>PhD in Social Work/Psychology/Special Education</li><li>Experience working with children and teachers in government education systems.</li><li>Experience in working with children with disability (including areas of remedial education and inclusive education).</li><li>Oral/ working knowledge of at least 1 (Indian) regional language.</li><li>Experience and ability to develop social media/awareness materials.</li><li>Published papers in the area of child mental health/education/protection.</li></ul>
Maximum Age Limit	35 years
Emoluments/ Salary	Rs.90,000/- per month (Consolidated).
Job Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Implement training programs across the country, for various stakeholders in the area of education, including development of training content and methodologies for online and in-person workshops.</li><li>Implement research activities, including designing studies, data collection, analysis, and report writing.</li><li>Coordinate with education-related agencies such as state education departments/SCERT/NCERT/Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan/JNVs/ICDS and other systems/agencies to communicate project mandate and set up training and research activities.</li><li>Work with other internal technical teams in a coordinated manner to develop integrated child protection and mental health initiatives.</li><li>Develop materials and conduct social media campaigns and other public awareness programs.</li></ul>
Location	Bangalore City/ NIMHANS
Duration of the Post	1 year (Initial appointment will be made for a period of six months and extendable based on the performance of the candidate)
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Name of the Post	<b>Project Officer – Mental Health Theme</b>
No. of Post	02 (TWO)
Essential Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Masters' degree in Social Work/Psychology.</li><li>At least 3 years' experience (post to essential qualification) in directly working with children, with a minimum of 1 year working in clinical settings, such as hospitals/ departments of psychiatry/child guidance clinic.</li><li>Strong knowledge of child and adolescent mental health disorders, including signs, symptoms and diagnostic criteria.</li><li>Knowledge and skills in therapeutic methods used with children and adolescents.</li><li>Training experience in child mental health-related issues (with counsellors/mental health professionals/parents).</li><li>Knowledge of research methodology, including the ability to conceptualize research studies.</li><li>Evidence of written work and documentation in the area of child mental health, and protection.</li><li>Strong English oral and written skills, with experience in coordinating and communicating with government and other systems/agencies.</li><li>Good working knowledge of oral Hindi and/or Kannada.</li><li>Willingness to travel within the country.</li></ol>
Desired knowledge/skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- PhD in Social Work/Psychology.</li><li>- Experience working with children and functionaries in government systems and/or vulnerable children in state child protection systems.</li><li>- Oral/ working knowledge of at least 1 (Indian) regional language.</li><li>- Experience and ability to develop social media/awareness materials.</li><li>- Published papers in the area of child mental health/ protection.</li></ul>
Maximum Age Limit	35 years
Emoluments / Salary	Rs.90,000/- per month (Consolidated).
Job Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Implement training programs across the country, for various stakeholders in the area of child and adolescent mental health and protection, including development of training content and methodologies for online and in-person workshops.</li><li>• Implement research activities, including designing studies, data collection, analysis, and report writing.</li><li>• Coordinate with health-related agencies such as District Mental Health Program, Centres of Excellence, and tertiary mental health care facilities and other allied health systems/agencies to communicate project mandate and set up training and research activities.</li><li>• Provide tele-mentoring services to child care agencies, on managing individual children with mental health problems.</li><li>• Work with other internal technical teams in a coordinated manner to develop integrate mental health components into education, protection and law and policy issues.</li><li>• Develop materials and conduct social media campaigns and other public awareness programs.</li></ul>
Location	Bangalore City/ NIMHANS
Duration of the Post	1 year (Initial appointment will be made for a period of six months and extendable based on the performance of the candidate)
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Eligible candidates fulfilling all criteria may apply using the link for above mentioned posts.

The application should be duly filled and the supporting documents as listed below are required to be uploaded,

- A covering letter (of at least 1 full page) explaining eligibility for the position, in accordance with the essential and desirable criteria mentioned above i.e. justifying which of these criteria you possess and describing your work with children.
- Resume/CV  
\*(Please note: applications with cover letters that do not detail out these two aspects will not be considered, even if a CV is submitted).
- Please do NOT send degree certificates/testimonials or any other document at this stage.
- In the wake of the COVID-19 crisis, all work and related travel will be in accordance with health advisories put out by the Government of India and/or State Governments.
- The candidate would need to make his/her own arrangements for quarantine period and as well as during the service at project employment.
- If a candidate is selected, may be required to join duty within a week (from the date of offer issued).

Eligible candidates will be shortlisted. **Written/skill test cum interview will be conducted & the details will be communicated to the shortlisted candidates.** The last date for receipt of applications is **03.11.2021**. Applications received later will not be entertained.

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