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DATE: -15.05.2026

NOTIFICATION

NIMHANS is conducting a **Walk in Selection** for filling up the post of “**Junior Research Fellow & Project Research Associate -1**” on a contract basis for the Project Entitled “Shedding light on the dark side of pregnancy and childbirth: Elucidating the determinants of perinatal anxiety and stress related disorders” funded by **Wellcome Trust**, under **Dr Prabha S Chandra** Senior Professor of Psychiatry & Director Principal Investigator, NIMHANS, Bengaluru - 560 029.

Name of the post:	Junior Research Fellow
No. of post:	02 (Two)
Essential Qualification / Work Experience:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Masters in Psychology with minimum one-year experience in research settings. OR• M.Phil in Psychiatric Social Work / Clinical Psychology• Proficiency in Kannada and Urdu (Spoken, reading and written) is mandatory. Full functional proficiency in English is essential
Desirable Experience:	Experience of working in community settings and with women & families.
Emoluments/Salary:	Rs. 40,000/- PM Consolidated
Maximum Age Limit:	35 years
Duration of Post:	Initial Appointment will be made for a period of 6 months and renewable every 6 months based on performance of the candidate till the end of the project

Name of the post:	Project Research Associate -I
No. of post:	01 (One)
Essential Qualification / Work Experience:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ M.Phil in Psychiatric Social Work / Clinical Psychology with 2 years post-M. Phil research experience.▪ Proficiency in Spoken and Written Kannada, Hindi and Urdu is Mandatory. Full professional proficiency in English is essential.
Desirable Experience:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supervisory experience in research studies.• Experience with statistical analysis and scientific writing• Project administration
Emoluments/Salary:	Rs. 60,000/- PM Consolidated
Maximum Age Limit:	45 years
Duration of Post:	4 years (Initial appointment will be made for 1 year, which can be extended based on performance)

Desirous candidates who fulfil the eligibility criteria mentioned above are advised to appear for the Walk-in-cum-Written Test with their **resume** and **original** testimonials, along with a set of self-attested **photocopies**.

Date & time: 30/05/2026 @ 10:30AM

Venue: Lecture Hall-1, 1st Floor, Old Admin Building, NIMHANS, Bangalore –560029

Note:

- Candidates are required to register their names **30 minutes** before the commencement of the written test/interview.
- No **TA/DA** will be paid for attending the written test/interview.
- Candidates currently working in projects (Extramural/Intramural) at NIMHANS must produce a No Objection Certificate (**NOC**) from their Principal Investigator.
- The candidate should have scored a **minimum of 50%** in the written examination (Whenever written examination is indicated) to qualify for the skill test/interview. For Direct Interview the candidate should score at least 50% Marks in the interview.
- The Institute reserves the right to select a suitable candidate. Possession of the prescribed essential qualifications alone does not guarantee selection.

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