



State Centre of Excellence –Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCoE- SAM)

बाल एवं शिशु रोग विभाग

Department of Pediatrics

अखिल भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान संस्थान, रायपुर, छत्तीसगढ़

All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Raipur (CG)

AIIMS/PED/SCoE/2021/ 409

Date: 19 August 2021

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR WALK IN INTERVIEW FOR THE POST OF FIELD INVESTIGATOR ON CONTRACTUAL BASIS IN STATE CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE OF SEVERE ACUTE MALNUTRITION(SCOE-SAM), DEPARTMENT OF PEDIATRICS AIIMS, RAIPUR, CHHATTISGARH-492099.**

Applications are invited for **Direct interview** from the eligible candidates for the post of Field Investigators under the project entitled: “Effectiveness of community-based treatment programs to treat children aged 6-59 months with uncomplicated severe acute malnutrition using alternative energy dense foods: A multicentric prospective study.” in a State Centre of Excellence for Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCOE-SAM) under Department of Pediatrics, AIIMS, Raipur, Chhattisgarh, for a period of 11 months purely on contractual basis as per below mentioned details:

Date of Interview: - 27 August 2021 Time:-10A.M. (the candidates are requested to reach the venue before 9.30 A.M for scrutiny of documents)

Place of Interview: - Department of Pediatrics, D-1, Fourth Floor, New hospital building, AIIMS, Raipur, C.G

Post designation	No of vacancy	Nature of post	Consolidated fixed Remuneration
Field Investigator	02(two)-UR	Contractual (11 months)	18,000/month

**Essential educational qualification:** Medical Social Worker/Bachelor’s degree in Health sciences/Nutrition/Anthropology/GNM/ANM/Social work/Sociology from a recognized university. 1-2 years work experience in community health/health Care services from a recognized institution will be given preference in selection.

**Desirable:**

- Knowledge of local language, written and spoken is mandatory.
- Basic computer proficiency
- Experience of conducting community based interviews and data collection work
- Preference will be given to those who have already worked in health and/or nutrition related programs.
- Preference to Medical Social Worker with prior experience of field work.

**Age Limit:** Not exceeding 35 years

**Duration:** 11 months or co-terminus with the project.



State Centre of Excellence –Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCoE- SAM)

बाल एवं शिशु रोग विभाग

Department of Pediatrics

अखिल भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान संस्थान, रायपुर, छत्तीसगढ़

All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Raipur (CG)

AIIMS/PED/SCoE/2021/409

Date: 19 August 2021

### ***Nature of Duties:***

Field investigator will be responsible for the overall study related field activities. This will include identification and conducting anthropometric and body composition assessments of children with severe acute malnutrition (SAM) at different time points, conducting interviews with caregivers, coordinating with frontline health and nutrition workers for keeping records of enrolled children, ensuring quality of data collection and other additional work assigned by Principal Investigator/ Co-PI of the study from the state.

**Note: Minimum 20 days/month travel is required to the study sites.**

### **Role of Field investigator**

- Identification of children with SAM by anthropometric assessment using WHZ <-3 criteria
- Enrolment of the child in this study based on inclusion/exclusion criteria
- To take informed consent from the parents for the sub-sample of children who will be assessed for body composition
- Data collection of the child including details of the child and incidences of morbidity using a questionnaire, and measurement for weight, height/Length, skinfold thickness (triceps and subscapular), dietary assessment and BIA (only in sub-sample) at the time of baseline and exit
- Administration of questionnaire for consumption of locally produced energy dense food, weight, height/Length and skinfold thickness (triceps and subscapular) with all enrolled children at 6 weeks, 12 weeks and 16 weeks/exit
- Monthly follow up of discharged children for anthropometry (height & weight)
- Co-ordinate with the local staff including ANM and AWW for enrollment and follow-up of children
- Make sure that all the instruments being used in the study are regularly tested for accuracy
- Data entry in the mobile phone based app
- Ensure quality of data collection
- Ensure safe keeping of the instruments
- Report issues/concerns/errors to the SCoE and NCoE
- Any other role assigned by the SCoE and NCoE related to the study.

### **General Information to the Candidate:**

- Shortlisted candidate should bring self-attested photocopies, eligibility qualification mark sheets, degrees, experience certificate, qualifying degree registration with statutory council (if applicable) and other relevant testimonials at the time of interview
- All information / updates pertaining to this advertisement including result, joining etc will be displayed on the AIIMS , Raipur website which is [www.aiimsraipur.edu.in](http://www.aiimsraipur.edu.in)



State Centre of Excellence –Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCoE- SAM)

बाल एवं शिशु रोग विभाग

Department of Pediatrics

अखिल भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान संस्थान, रायपुर, छत्तीसगढ़

All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Raipur (CG)

AIIMS/PED/SCoE/2021/ 409

Date: 19 August 2021

- No individual intimation may be sent by the AIIMS Raipur to applicants. It will be the responsibility of applicants to keep abreast of the developments by visiting institute website
- No TA/DA will be paid for attending interview
- **Candidate has to join within one week of declaration of result.**
- Any attempt to unduly influence the selection process will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant

### Terms and Conditions

It is candidates' responsibility to ascertain and ensure their eligibility as per the prescribed qualification and experience. Any misinformation detected at any stage will make the candidate liable for legal action. Permission to appear in the selection process does not approve the eligibility of the candidate. Even after qualifying the selection process the candidate may be rendered disqualified at the time of document verification if he / she do not fulfil essential eligibility criteria.

**Tenure:** The assignments are purely on contract basis for the period specified above. This appointment will not vest any right to claim by the candidate for regular appointment or Permanent absorption in AIIMS Raipur or UNICEF or for continued contractual appointment. Candidates have no right to claim permanent employment based on this job.

**Expiry of Contract:** The contract will automatically expire on completion of period specified above until it is renewed with mutual consent for the decided period. The contractual appointment can be terminated at any time by either side by giving 30 days' notice or salary in lieu thereof.

**Accommodation:** No hostel or any other accommodation will be provided by the Institute

### Leave rule:

Candidate will be entitled to have 10 days leave (includes all kinds of leaves) in a year on pro-rata basis.

No separate medical leave or any other leave permitted.

Leave encashment and carryover of leave for tenure will be not being admissible.

The candidate who is already in government service shall submit "No Objection Certificate" from the present employer at the time of interview.

Canvassing of any kind will lead to disqualification.

Private practice of any type is prohibited.



State Centre of Excellence –Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCoE- SAM)

बाल एवं शिशु रोग विभाग

Department of Pediatrics

अखिल भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान संस्थान, रायपुर, छत्तीसगढ़

All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Raipur (CG)

AIIMS/PED/SCoE/2021/409

Date: 19 August 2021

He / She is expected to conform to the rules of conduct and discipline as applicable to the institute employees

The decision of the competent authority regarding the selection of the candidate will be final and no representation will be entertained in this regard.

The candidate should not have been convicted by any Court of Law.

In case any information given or declaration by the candidate is found to be false or if the candidate has willfully suppressed any material information relevant to his appointment, he/she will be liable to be removed from the service and any action taken as deemed fit by the appointing authority



*A. K. Singh*

**Head of Department and Project Director**  
**State Centre of Excellence for Severe Acute Malnutrition (SCOE-SAM)**  
**Department of Pediatrics,**  
**AIIMS, Raipur, Chhattisgarh.**