

Department of Virology
Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research
Sector 12A, Chandigarh-160012

No. MPS/VZV/EQAS/64

Date: 17.09.2026

Recruitment Notice

Application are invited in the prescribed format attached herewith for the following temporary contract positions for ad-hoc research project entitled **“Enhancing Infectious Disease Quality: External Quality Assurance Program for Serological Testing of Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV) Immunoglobulin M (IgM) under the National Health Research Program (NHRP) on one Health [PI: Dr. Mini P Singh, Prof., Virology] at Dept. of Virology, PGIMER, Chandigarh** through written exam/personal discussion. The candidates should visit the institute website i.e. www.pgimer.edu.in for the eligibility list and the date of interview/written test as no separate intimation regarding the same will be sent.

The application in the prescribed format as attached in Annexure along with the certificate of age, caste, qualification, and experience should reach us in hard copy on or before 28.09.2026 by 05:00PM positively. The application along with all documents should be addressed and sent to Dr. Mini P Singh, Professor, Virology, VZV EQAS-Group Leader, COVID-19 Testing Lab cum Depot Near Blood Donation Centre, under ramp of Advanced Trauma Centre, PGIMER, Chandigarh, India-160012.

Vacancy notification and details of educational qualification and other requirements for temporary contractual positions

Name of the post	Project Technical Support -II
Number of Post	One
Essential Qualification	12th in Science + Diploma (MLT/ DMLT / Engineering or equivalent) + Five Years post-qualification Experience in relevant subject / field OR Three Years Graduate degree in Life Sciences/Microbiology/Biotechnology/Medical Laboratory Technology or relevant subject / field + Two years' post-qualification experience in relevant subject
Desirable Qualification	-Master's degree in Life Sciences/Microbiology/Biotechnology -Experience in Laboratory with respect to handling human samples -Experience in performing serological assays

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Age limit	Not exceeding 28 Years (Relaxable up to 3 years for OBC & 5 years for SC/ST candidates)
Expected Salary	INR. 20,000/- + HRA (as per rules)
Contract period	Till 28.02.2027 which may be extended further as per extension of the project. However, the appointment will be co-terminus with the project.
Selection Procedure	Written test & Interview
Tentative Date & time & Venue of written test	Will be communicated later on PGI official website

Note: Qualification must be from **recognized Board/University**

The appointment to the respective contract posts will be initially up to 28.02.2027 which may be extended further as per extension of the project. However, the appointment will be co-terminus with the project.

The terms & conditions for the posts are as follows:

1. Only applications submitted either by post or by hand before the last date will be considered. No other mode will be entertained.
2. Age, Qualification, Experience etc., will be reckoned as on the last date of receipt of application.
3. Mere fulfilling the essential qualification does not guarantee selection.
4. The appointment can be terminated with one-month notice from either side without assigning any reason.
5. Since the post is purely temporary, the incumbents selected will have no claim for regular appointments in PGIMER, Chandigarh and in any ICMR institutes.
6. Benefits of provided funds, CCA, Leave Travel Concession, Medical Claim etc. are not applicable. HRA will be provided as per the rules of the funding agency/ fund received.
7. The experience will be counted only after completion of essential educational qualification.
8. Persons already in regular time-scale service under any Government Department/ Organisations are not eligible to apply.
9. Any canvassing by or on behalf of the candidate or bringing political or other outside influence with regard to selection shall be a disqualification and such candidates will not be considered.

17/02/2024
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10. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the screening test/interview. No individual intimation will be given for the interview and the candidates should check the institute website for eligibility list and dates of test/interview.
11. Screening test/ interview will be held in-person ONLY at PGIMER Chandigarh. Online mode of interview will not be conducted.
12. The applicants are advised to visit our website regularly for any updates and changes in the recruitment.

General Instructions:-

1. The Candidates found eligible, will be called to attend the Written test and interview and they are required to be present at the venue in time as mentioned in the eligibility list posted at the website.
2. The offer of engagement will be subject to verification of original certificates as per the advertisement.
3. No calculators, log tables, communication devices like mobile phone, Tablet/iPad etc., are allowed inside the Examination/Interview Hall.
4. Requests for re-evaluation of answer sheets will not be entertained.
5. Candidates who resort to malpractice of any kind will immediately be sent out of the Examination Hall.


Dr. Mini P Singh
Professor, Virology
PI-Project


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(Annexure-1)

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of Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV) Immunoglobulin M (IgM) ”

Application Form

Post Applied for : _____

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passport
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photograph

1. Name of the Applicant (*in full block letters*): _____

2. Father's/Guardian's/Husband's Name: _____

3. Date of Birth: _____ (*dd/mm/yyyy*)

4. Category: Gen _____ SC _____ ST _____ OBC _____

(*OBC candidate should provide valid recent OBC certificate)

5. AGE (*as on 28.09.2026*): Years: _____ Months: _____ Days: _____

6. Address for Communication:


Associate Professor
Department of Virology,
PGIMER, Chandigarh

Mobile No *: _____ Email*: _____

* - Mandatory

7. Educational/Technical Qualifications

(From 10th or equivalent onwards, self-attested copies to be enclosed):

Examination passed	Year of passing	University/ Board	Division/ Class	% of marks	Subjects

8. Experience: (from recent)

S. No.	From	To	Duration	Proof Submitted

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9. List of Publications: Fill the table below and also attach the list.

	National	International
Indexed		
Non Indexed		

10. DECLARATION:

I do hereby declare that the above information furnished by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Place: _____

Date: _____

(Signature of the Applicant)

List of Enclosures:

1. DOB Certificate
2. Qualification certificate , marksheets
3. Experience Certificate
4. Any other supporting document/ certificate


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