

**International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai (Deemed University),  
Project: Maternal and Neonatal Health (MNH) Exemplar Study, India**

Seeking the following positions for a collaborative project between the International Institute for Population sciences (IIPS), Mumbai and University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, CA funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Applications are invited for in person interview on job contract/temporary basis till the funding is available or till the given appointment period, whichever is early for the following position.

<b>Position</b>	<b>No. of positions</b>	<b>Qualifications</b>	<b>Remuneration (Consolidated)</b>
Research Officer	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> Master in Population Studies / Master degree in Statistics/Bio-statistics &amp; Demography/Health Statistics</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in analysing large scale survey (quantitative) data and project report/thesis preparation. Past work on Small Area Estimation related to maternal and child health would be additional advantage. Preference will be given to those having experience working in Python</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Essential qualifications may be relaxed by the selection committee in case of a candidate found exceptionally suitable otherwise.</p>	INR 50,000.00/ per month (subject to qualification and experience)
Senior Research Officer	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> Master in Population Studies with one-year experience / Master degree in Statistics/Bio-statistics &amp; Demography/Health Statistics with one years' experience of working in Maternal and Child Health; and Small Area Estimation related Research Projects.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in analysing large scale survey (quantitative) data and project report/thesis preparation. Past work on Small Area Estimation related to maternal and child health would be additional advantage.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Essential qualifications may be relaxed by the selection committee in case of a candidate found exceptionally suitable otherwise.</p>	INR 60,000.00/ per month (subject to qualification and experience)
Junior qualitative researcher	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> Master degree in Public Health, Social Sciences, Population Studies, Biostatistics &amp; Demography, Health Systems, Health Services Management, Health Administration or Similar Subjects Familiarity with the structure of the Indian government health systems and rural administrative systems Analytical skills with experience in qualitative data analysis software (e.g., NVivo, Atlas.ti) Strong written and verbal communication skills, including comfort communicating with government officials Experience in conducting qualitative focus group discussions and interviews, key informant interviews Experience working collaboratively in multidisciplinary research teams, and field studies</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> At least two years of experience engaged with the government health systems in India focusing on maternal and child health</p> <p>Fluency in English, Marathi, &amp; Hindi</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Essential qualifications may be relaxed by the selection committee in case of a candidate found exceptionally suitable otherwise.</p>	INR 50,000.00/ per month (subject to qualification and experience)

Senior qualitative researcher	Three	<p><b>Essential:</b>  Master degree in Public Health, Social Sciences, Population Studies, Biostatistics &amp; Demography, Health Systems, Health Services Management, Health Administration or Similar Subjects  At least five years' experience engaged with the government health systems in India  Strong familiarity with the structure of the Indian government health systems and rural administrative systems  Fluency in Hindi and English  Strong analytical skills with experience in qualitative data analysis software (e.g., NVivo, Atlas.ti)  Strong written and verbal communication skills, including comfort communicating with government officials  Experience in conducting qualitative focus group discussions and interviews; key informant interviews  Experience working collaboratively in multidisciplinary research teams, and field studies</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b>  PhD degree in Public Health, Social Sciences, Population Studies, Biostatistics &amp; Demography, Health Systems, Health Services Management, Health Administration or Similar Subjects  At least two years of experience conducting qualitative focus group discussions and interviews, key informant interviews focusing on maternal and child health  At least two years of experience working with qualitative data analysis software (e.g., NVivo, Atlas.ti)</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Essential qualifications may be relaxed by the selection committee in case of a candidate found exceptionally suitable otherwise</p>	INR 75,000.00/ per month (subject to qualification and experience)
Qualitative Consultant	One	<p><b>Essential:</b>  Master degree in Public Health, Social Sciences, Population Studies, Health Systems, Health Services Management, Health Administration or Similar Subjects  Demonstrated ability to manage a research team conducting over 50 qualitative interviews and focus groups  At least 10 years' experience engaged with the government health systems in India  Strong familiarity with the structure of the Indian government health systems and rural administrative system  Fluency in Hindi and English  Strong analytical skills with experience in qualitative data analysis software (e.g., NVivo, Atlas.ti)  Strong written and verbal communication skills, including comfort communicating with government officials  Experience in conducting qualitative focus group discussions and interviews, key informant interviews focusing on maternal and child health  Experience working collaboratively in multidisciplinary research teams and field studies</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b>  PhD degree in Public Health, Social Sciences, Population Studies, Health Systems, Health Services Management, Health Administration or Similar Subjects  At least 5 years of experience conducting qualitative focus group discussions and interviews, key informant interviews  At least 5 years of experience working with qualitative data analysis software (e.g., NVivo, Atlas.ti)</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Essential qualifications may be relaxed by the selection committee in case of a candidate found exceptionally suitable otherwise.</p>	INR 1,30,000.00/ per month (subject to qualification and experience)

The shortlisted candidates may attend interview walk-in person on **May 27, 2024 at 11.00 AM in NFHS committee room** at International Institute for Population Sciences, Govandi Station Road, Deonar Mumbai-400 088. **No TA/DA will be paid for attending interview.**

The position is full time and employed purely on contract basis in the MNH Study for the period of five months or for the given appointment period, whichever is early subject to the availability of fund. Selected candidates will report to the Principal Investigators of MNH Study.

For any further queries on the project, please contact the project coordinators at [mnhexemplars@iipsindia.ac.in](mailto:mnhexemplars@iipsindia.ac.in)

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