



# All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Rishikesh- 249203

## Recruitment Advertisement for Extramural Project Titled “Comparison of efficacy of oral modafinil in improving cognition in adolescents with intellectual disability aged 10-18 years: a double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled trial ”

Applications are invited for filling up of following post under extramural funded research project titled “Comparison of efficacy of oral modafinil in improving cognition in adolescents with intellectual disability aged 10-18 years: a double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled trial” funded by Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi, under the principal investigator, Dr Prateek Kumar Panda, purely on temporary basis, as per the below mentioned details.

**Start date of receiving application:** 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026

**Last date of receiving applications:** 15<sup>th</sup> March 2026 (5:00 PM)

**Date of Interview:** Will be communicated on AIIMS, Rishikesh website

**Venue of interview:** Department of Pediatrics, AIIMS, Rishikesh

S.No.	Name of the Post	Qualification	Upper age limit	Monthly emoluments
1.	Project Associate-I (vacancy-1)	Master's Degree in any subject related to medical science (like psychology or psychiatry) or life science from a recognized university or equivalent  (OR) Bachelor's degree in Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent	35 years	a) INR 31,000/- + HRA to Scholars who are selected through (a) National Eligibility Tests - CSIR-UGC NET, including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or GATE (need to be valid on the date of interview)  b) INR 25,000/- + HRA for others who do not fall under any of the above categories

Filled application form, with all necessary documents supporting the qualification of candidate and other informations, need to be mailed by E- mail to [prateek.pedia@aiimsrishikesh.edu.in](mailto:prateek.pedia@aiimsrishikesh.edu.in)

### **Terms and Conditions**

1. Method of recruitment may be through Written Examination or Interview or both.
2. The selected candidate will have to join within 5 days of the declaration of the result, failing which the offer letter shall stand automatically cancelled.
3. This is not a permanent position with AIIMS Rishikesh.
4. The post is purely on a contractual basis. The initial contract will be for one month, as only partial funds for the first year have been received. Subsequently, the contract may be extended up to one year or until completion of the project, whichever is earlier, subject to satisfactory performance of the candidate and receipt of funds from the funding agency.
5. No claim for any regular position at AIIMS Rishikesh shall be entertained.
6. Employee Performance Indicators will be applicable.
7. Candidates must bring a hard copy of the completely filled application form at the time of interview.
8. Incomplete applications or applications received after the due date will not be considered.
9. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
10. Experience should have been obtained after acquiring the minimum essential qualification.
11. Qualification, experience, and other terms and conditions may be relaxed or altered at the discretion of the Director, AIIMS Rishikesh / Recruitment Committee.
12. No allowances or facilities other than the emoluments mentioned shall be admissible.
13. The decision of the Recruitment Committee will be final.
14. Submission of incorrect or false information at any stage of the selection process will lead to disqualification of the candidature.
15. If the performance of the appointee is found unsatisfactory by the Principal Investigator, the appointment may be terminated at any time without prior notice or compensation.
16. The appointee may leave the position by serving one month's prior notice. In case of a shorter notice period, an amount equivalent to one month's salary must be deposited for issuance of a relieving certificate.
17. Extension of the contract will be based on the performance of the Project Associate and availability of funds.
18. Candidates may be shortlisted based on their qualifications and information provided in the application form. Only shortlisted candidates may be called for the interview.
19. Leave will be governed as per the rules applicable to contractual employees of AIIMS Rishikesh.
20. AIIMS Rishikesh reserves the right not to fill the position if no suitable candidate is found.
21. The selected candidate need to adhere to the dress code/uniform required for project staff at AIIMS, Rishikesh

**Principal Investigator**

**AIIMS Rishikesh**