JAWAHARLAL INSTITUTE OF POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (JIPMER)

Dhanwantri Nagar, Puducherry-6

RESEARCH MANPOWER RECRUITMENT

Project ID: ICMR/2026/02804 Date: 6/11/2026

Advertisement for Recruitment to Project Nurse-III

Applications are invited from eligible candidates to work on the following post(s) on a contract basis in a research project funded by ICMR at the Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education and Research (JIPMER), Puducherry, as per the details below.

The last date for submission of complete applications by email is **25.11.2026, up to 5:00 PM**.

Name of post (number)	Project Nurse-III – **4 posts**
Likely duration	33 months
Consolidated remuneration	As detailed below
Project title	Optimizing Feeding Safety in Growth-Restricted Very Preterm Infants with Abnormal Antenatal Doppler (SAFE-FEED Trial): Splanchnic Oxygenation-Guided versus Protocol-Based Feed Advancement - A Multicenter Randomized Controlled Trial
Funding Agency	ICMR
Project investigator (PI)	Dr. Usha Devi. R
PI's department	Neonatology

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S. No.	Name and number of the post	Qualification	Age limit (years)	Consolidated remuneration
1	Project Nurse-III (4 posts)	A. Essential: B.Sc. Nursing from a recognized institution, Valid registration with State Nursing Council or Indian Nursing Council Willingness to work in shifts, including night duties to ensure 24 × 7 study coverage. B. Desirable: Clinical research experience or experience in neonatal intensive care unit (NICU) preferably for at least 6 months; proficiency in Tamil and English.	30	₹28,000 per month + HRA as admissible

Nature of work/responsibilities and expectations

Project Nurse-III - 4 posts

- Screening eligible very preterm infants for participation in the SAFE-FEED trial.
- Assisting with participant enrolment and obtaining written informed parental consent in accordance with the approved protocol and delegated responsibilities.
- Performing study-related assessments and recording baseline maternal, antenatal, and neonatal information.
- Supporting implementation of protocol-based feeding procedures in coordination with the treating clinical team.
- Applying sensors and performing NIRS monitoring according to the study protocol.
- Recording the study parameters/clinical data at specified monitoring time points.
- Monitoring study participants for protocol-defined outcomes and promptly communicating relevant clinical findings to the treating team.
- Maintaining accurate and timely case record forms, screening logs, enrolment logs, monitoring records, and other study documentation.
- Ensuring adherence to the approved study protocol, standard operating procedures, infection prevention measures, and participant confidentiality requirements.
- Coordinating with the study investigators and clinical team to ensure completion of scheduled study procedures and assessments.
- Must work in shifts, including night duties, to provide 24 × 7 study coverage.
- Performing other duties related to the project as assigned by the Principal Investigator.

Eligible and interested candidates may email the filled application form (attached), along with CV and supporting documents (scanned in one pdf) to the

Email ID: neosafefeedjipmer@gmail.com

Notes

1. **Applications not in the prescribed format will not be processed or accepted.**
2. Please mention the name of the post applied for in the email subject line. Email subject line: "Application for PN-III – SAFE-FEED Trial"
3. The PDF file should be named as:
   "Candidate name_Post-name_year_application".
   e.g."***James_PN-III_2026_application".***
4. *The last date for submission of complete applications* by email is **25/11/2026**
5. For those wishing to apply for two or more different posts, a separate application form must be filled in for each post and scanned and sent with the necessary enclosures in separate emails.

Applicants will be shortlisted based on the details furnished in the application, CV, and the documentary proof provided. The list of eligible candidates will also be displayed on the JIPMER website. The final selection will be based on CV, application, and written test and in person interview.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

After the evaluation of the application form, the recruitment process will be as follows:

a. **Written test**
b. **Interview**

Topics for evaluation/syllabus: Neonatal nursing care, care of preterm and growth-restricted infants, enteral feeding practices and feeding protocol implementation, infection prevention and control, patient monitoring and documentation, research-related nursing responsibilities, and recognition and reporting of adverse events.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. This position is *purely on contract basis for an externally sponsored project, and the person engaged will have no claim to any regular post in JIPMER at any time*. Further, the position is only for the duration of the project and based purely on external funding support for the project.
2. The engagement may be extended or curtailed at discretion of the Project Investigator.
3. Qualification and experience should be in a relevant discipline/field and in a reputed institution/organization. The experience should have been gained *after acquiring the essential qualification.*
4. Qualification, experience, other terms, and conditions may be relaxed/ altered at the discretion of the Principal Investigator.
5. Valid email ID and mobile number are compulsory.
6. Consolidated salary of the post may vary from time to time. No other allowance/facilities other than consolidated salary shall be extended.
7. Submission of wrong or false information at any stage during the process of selection or canvassing of any kind will lead to disqualification or even termination if detected after the person has been engaged.
8. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for a written test and/or interview. Decision of the Project Investigator will be final. If the number of applications is very large, more stringent criteria than those specified above may be used to determine eligibility.
9. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
10. Incomplete applications and applications that are not in the prescribed format and those not fulfilling the essential criteria above are likely to be summarily rejected. Candidates may attach their CVs with the application form. *However, applications with CV alone and without the prescribed form and certificates will be rejected*.

Interviews for the post may be conducted in person or via videoconferencing, at the discretion of the Principal Investigator. In the latter case, it will be the individual candidate's responsibility to ensure access to a suitable device (computer/ laptop/ mobile) with audio and camera facilities, and an adequate internet connection.

Date and time of interview will be notified one week in advance.

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APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF PROJECT NURSE- III (PN-III)

For the Project: SAFE-FEED Trial

Print in A4 size paper and fill in with Block Letters with BLUE PEN

Applicant's name		Affix your recent passport size photo (Do not staple)
Father's name		
Date of birth dd/mm/yyyy)		
Age on last dates for application	___ y, ___ mo, ____ d	
Sex (male/female/other)		
Married/unmarried		
Nationality		
Religion		
Whether SC/ST/OBC		(please attach proof)
Communication address (including PIN)		
Mobile number		
Email ID		

Have you ever been convicted by a court of law or is any criminal case / disciplinary action/vigilance enquiry pending against you? If yes, provide/attach details.		
Language proficiency	Converse	
	Read	
	Write	

Educational Qualifications: *(Enclose self-attested photocopies)*

Qualifications (from SSLC/Matriculation onwards)		**Board/University**	**Year of Passing**	**% Marks**	**Subjects**
1	Tenth or equivalent				
2	Higher Secondary				
3					
4					
5					
6					

Details of Previous Employment (if any): *(Pls attach PDFs of proof of work)*

	Employer	**Designation**	**From (date)**	**To (date)**	**Duration (yrs, mos, days)**	**Nature of duties**
1						
2						
3						

A. Please describe your previous work experience in up to 500 words

B. Any other relevant information: _____

Please provide contact information /email and telephone number of your previous employer whom we can contact regarding your previous/ current work. *(Please inform and the persons you list below that they may be receiving calls from us regarding this position, and obtain their permission to mention their names)*
I accept enquiries about my previous work with my earlier employer(s): Yes / No
Contact information of previous employer(s):

Name	Designation	Company / Organization Name	Phone	Email ID

Check List: (Please tick against those enclosed)

All Certificates must be self-attested and attached in the following order:

Proof of Identity (Copy of Aadhaar card/ Voter ID / Passport /Driving License	
Certificate in support of age (Tenth equivalent / High School Certificate)	
Degrees/Diplomas	
Experience certificates	
Any others (if relevant; specify)	
Proof of prior research experience, if any	

DECLARATION BY THE APPLICANT

Application for the post of: (PROJECT NURSE -III)

I, _____, wish to apply for the above contract post in an extramural research project, and hereby declare that all the statements made in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if any information is found false, incorrect or ineligible and detected before or after the selection process, my candidature or employment will be terminated. Further, I declare that I have gone through the terms and conditions of the appointment. I will abide by the same and I understand that through applying, qualifying or engagement on this position, I will have no claim against any regular position at JIPMER.

Place: (Signature of the Applicant)
Date NAME (in block letters)