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1. PLEASE NOTE THE IMPORTANT DATES:

Website Link opening date for online registration for filling up of online application MKCL RecruitLive/ICMR-NIRRCH/ICMR websites https://nirrch.recruitlive.in/ , www.nirrch.res.in and www.icmr.nic.in .	16 th October 2023 at 4.00 PM
Last date/closing date for online registration & submission of online applications	5 th November 2023 till 11.59 PM
Last date of depositing fees by on-line payment	5 th November 2023 till 11.59 PM
Schedule for Computer Based Test (CBT)	25 th and 26 th November, 2023

All the above dates are tentative and in case of any situation arising beyond control, these dates may be changed at any time with discretion of the Competent Authority. Information about such changes, if any, will be given on the MKCL RecruitLive, ICMR-NIRRCH, Mumbai and ICMR Hqrs websites. Candidates are advised to frequently visit above mentioned websites for information regarding the corrigendum/addendum published for this recruitment process and changes in the schedule, if any.

2. DETAILS OF VACANCIES / PAY LEVEL, AGE LIMIT & RESERVATION ARE AS UNDER:

Name & details of the post	Categories & Numbers of Vacancies*						
	UR	SC	ST	OBC	Total number of tentative vacancies	PwBD**	ESM
Technical Assistant (Group-B, Level-6 Rs. 35400-112400 of 7 th CPC Pay Matrix plus allowances	12	02	03	05	22	01 (a-VH) 01 (b-HH) 01 (c-OH)	00

as admissible under the Govt. rules) Age Limit: - Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time							
Technician- 1 (Group-C, Level-2 Rs. 19900-63200 of 7 th CPC Pay Matrix plus allowances as admissible under the Govt. rules) Age Limit: - Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time	12	03	01	05	21	01 (b-HH) 01 (c-OH)	02
Laboratory Attendant- 1 (Group-C, Level-1 Rs. 18000-56900 of 7 th CPC Pay Matrix plus allowances as admissible under the Govt. rules) Age Limit :- Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time	17	00	03	11	31	02 (a-VH) 01 (d&e-Oth.)	03

Abbreviations:

UR=Un-reserved, SC=Scheduled Caste, ST=Scheduled Tribe, OBC=Other Backward Classes, PwBD=Persons with Benchmark Disability, ESM=Ex-Serviceman, VH=Vision Handicapped, HH=Hearing Handicapped, OH=Orthopedically Handicapped, Oth.=Others

- * The number of vacancies (including reserved vacancies) for the above posts are tentative and may increase or decrease or even become NIL if need arises without any further notice or assigning any reason thereof. The decision of Director, NIRRCH will be final in this regard.
- ** The PwBD candidates applying for the above-mentioned post shall be eligible for the benefit of reservation/concessions, if they are suffering from not less than 40% of the relevant disability. The candidate selected against the vacancy reserved for PwBD will be adjusted against the category (UR/SC/ST/OBC) from which he/she belongs.

3. ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS

I) **TECHNICAL ASSISTANT (GROUP-B, LEVEL-6 RS. 35400-112400 OF 7TH CPC PAY MATRIX):**

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (SW)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Social Worker)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	4
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: SC (1), ST (1), OBC (1), UR (1) Horizontal: PwBD [1 = a (VH) - 1 post]
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three-year Bachelor's degree in Social Science/ Sociology / Social Work from govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (LS)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Life Sciences)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	6
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: SC (1), ST (1), OBC (2), UR (2) Horizontal: PwBD [2=b(HH) - 1 post and c(OH) - 1 post]
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Life Sciences from a govt. recognized University or 1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Medical Lab Technology (B.Sc-MLT) from govt. recognized University or 1 st class Engineering/ Technology degree in Biotechnology from a govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (DIET)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Dietician)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time

6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Nutrition and Dietetics or Food Science or Food and Nutrition from govt. recognized University
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Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (PH)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Public Health)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Public Health or Anthropology or Population Studies from govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (BI)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Bioinformatics)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Bioinformatics from govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (CIV)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Civil)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	3
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: ST (1), UR (2)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three years diploma in Civil Engineering from a govt. recognized Institute with 2 years experience in relevant field or 1 st class Engineering/ Technology degree in Civil from a govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (IT)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Computer Science/ Information Technology)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	<p>1st class three year Bachelor's degree in Information Technology/ Computer Science/ Computer Application from govt. recognized University</p> <p>or</p> <p>1st class three years Engineering Diploma in Information Technology/ Computer Science Engineering from a govt. recognized Institute with two years experience in a relevant field</p> <p>or</p> <p>1st class Engineering / Technology degree in Computer Science / Information Technology from govt. recognized University</p>

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (EL)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Electrical)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	<p>1st class three years Engineering Diploma in Electrical Engineering from a govt. recognized Institute with two years experience in a relevant field</p> <p>or</p> <p>1st class Engineering/ Technology degree in Electrical Engineering from govt. recognized University</p>

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (MEC)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Mechanical)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: OBC (1), UR (1)

5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three years Engineering Diploma in Mechanical Engineering with two years experience in relevant field or 1 st class Engineering/ Technology degree in Mechanical Engineering from govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (E&I)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Electronics/ Instrumentation)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three years Engineering Diploma in Electronics & Telecommunication/Electronics/ Instrumentation/Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering with two years experience in a relevant field or 1 st class Engineering/ Technology degree in Electronics & Telecommunication/Electronics/ Instrumentation/Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering from govt. recognized University

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TA (HS)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technical Assistant (Home Science)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: OBC (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 30 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	1 st class three year Bachelor's degree in Home Science from govt. recognized University

II) TECHNICIAN-1 (GROUP-C, LEVEL-2 RS. 19900-63200 OF 7TH CPC PAY MATRIX)

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (LAB)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician -1 (Laboratory)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	13
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: SC (3), ST (1), OBC (3), UR (6) Horizontal: PwBD [2=b(HH) - 1 post and c(OH) - 1 post]
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one year Diploma in Medical Laboratory Technology (DMLT) from govt. recognized institution

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (EL)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician-1 (Electrical)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: OBC (1), UR (1) Horizontal: ESM=1 post
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one year Diploma in Electrical Engineering from govt. recognized institution

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (MECH)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician-1 (Mechanical)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: OBC (1), UR (1) Horizontal: ESM=1 post
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one year Diploma in Mechanical Engineering from govt. recognized institution

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (E&I)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician-1 (Electronics/ Instrumentation)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one year Diploma in Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering/ Electronics Engineering / Instrumentation Engineering / Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering from govt. recognized institution

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (IT)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician-1 (Computer Science/ Information Technology)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (2)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one year Diploma in Computer Science Engineering/ Information Technology Engineering from govt. recognized institution

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	TECH (CIVIL)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Technician-1 (Civil)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 28 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	12 th or Intermediate pass in Science subjects with 55% marks and at least one-year Diploma in Civil Engineering from govt. recognized institution

III) LAB ATTENDANT-1 (GROUP-C, LEVEL-1 RS. 18000-56900 OF 7TH CPC PAY MATRIX):

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA (RAC)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Refrigeration and Air Conditioning)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: OBC (1), UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI in Mechanic Refrigeration and Air Conditioning or trade certificate in Mechanic Refrigeration and Air Conditioning issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA(CARP)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Carpenter)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI as Carpenter or trade certificate in Carpenter issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA (WELD)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Welder)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI as Welder or trade certificate in Welder issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA(EL)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Electrician)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	2
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: ST (1), UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI as Electrician or trade certificate in Electrician issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA (PL)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Plumber)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI as Plumber or trade certificate in Plumber issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA (MS)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1 (Mason)
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	1
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: UR (1)
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus ITI as Mason or trade certificate in Mason issued by govt. agencies

Sl. No.	Details of posts to be filled	
1	Post Code	LA(LAB)
2	Disciplines /Branches	Lab Attendant-1
3	Number of tentative vacancies*	23
4	Category (Reservation)	Vertical: ST (2), OBC (10), UR (11)

		Horizontal: PwBD [3= a(VH) - 2 posts and d & e(Other) - 1 post] Horizontal: ESM=3 posts
5	Age Limit	Between 18 to 25 years and relaxations as per DoPT guidelines issued from time to time
6	Essential Qualifications (Educational and Other Qualifications)	10 th Pass with 50% marks in aggregate from recognized board plus one year working experience in Govt. recognized / approved / registered lab/animal facility

4. CONDITIONS FOR SEEKING AGE-RELAXATION, RESERVATION ETC.:

- i) Reservation and Age relaxations for SC/ST/OBC/PwBD/Ex-Serviceman candidates will be provided as per DoPT/Govt. of India guidelines issued time to time.
- ii) The OBC candidates who belong to "Creamy Layer" are not entitled for concession admissible to OBC category and such candidates have to indicate their category as General. The OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates are required to submit requisite certificate in prescribed format of Government of India, from a competent authority. Further, OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates will have to give a self-undertaking indicating that they belong to OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) category at the time of joining, in case selected. The upper age limit shall be determined as on the closing date for submission of online application.
- iii) Date of birth as recorded in the Matriculation/Secondary Examination Certificate only will be accepted for determining the age and no subsequent request for change will be considered or granted.
- iv) Permissible relaxation of upper age limit as per for claiming age relaxation as on last date of receipt of application is as under: -

Sr. No.	Category	Age relaxation permissible beyond the Upper age limit
01	SC/ST	5 years
02	OBC	3 years
03	PwBD	10 years
04	PwBD + OBC	13 years
05	PwBD + SC/ST	15 years
06	Central Govt. Civilian Employees who have rendered not less than 3 years regular and continuous service as on closing date for receipt of application.	5 years (For Group B posts) Up to 40 years of age (Up to 45 years of age for SC/ST) (For Group C Posts)
07	Widows, divorced women and women judicially separated from their husbands and who are not re-married.	Up to 35 years of age (Up to 40 years of age for SC/ST) (For Group C Posts)
08	Ex-Serviceman	3 years after deduction of the military service rendered from the actual age as on the closing date.

09	Disabled Defence Service Personal (Who while serving in the Armed Forces of Union was disabled in operation against the enemy or in disturbed areas)	3 Years
10	Disabled Defence Service Personal (SC/ST) (Who while serving in the Armed Forces of Union was disabled in operation against the enemy or in disturbed areas)	8 Years

- v) OBC applicants not covered under the Creamy Layer, as per the Standing Instructions of the Government of India as amended from time to time, seeking age-relaxation, reservation, etc. shall invariably submit the requisite Certificate as per format. Further, he / she should not fall in creamy layer on the crucial date.
- vi) SC/ST applicants seeking age-relaxation, reservation, etc. shall invariably submit the requisite Certificate from the competent authority (certifying that their Caste/Sub-Castes/Communities are approved by the Government of India under SC & ST Category) as and when called by the ICMR-NIRRCH otherwise their claims for reservation etc. shall not be considered.
- vii) Age relaxation to divorced women (subject to submission of proof) shall be given as per the instructions of Government of India.
- viii) Ex-serviceman applicants seeking age-relaxation, reservation, etc. shall invariably submit the requisite Certificate as per (Annexure-IX) from Competent Authority.
- ix) Govt. Civilian Employees (Central / State / UT / Autonomous / PSU / Statutory body etc. organizations) should have rendered not less than 03 (three) years continuous service on regular basis (and not on ad-hoc / project contract basis) as on the closing date of receipt of applications of the Notice and should remain in Government Service holding civil post in any of the above offices till the candidate receives Offer of Appointment from the ICMR-NIRRCH against the current advertisement. For claiming the benefit of age relaxation, they shall invariably submit, the requisite certificate from the Competent Authority as per prescribed format (Annexure - II) and also submit a declaration as and when called for by the ICMR-NIRRCH, otherwise their claims for age-relaxation shall not be considered. Further, they would require furnishing "NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE" & "VIGILANCE CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE" from their EMPLOYER at the time of VERIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS as per prescribed format (Annexure - III), failing which their candidature is liable to be cancelled at that very stage or at any stage of recruitment process.
- x) **NOTE:** Candidates should note that in case a communication is received by ICMR-NIRRCH from their employer withholding permission to the candidate applying for or appearing in the Test at any stage of recruitment process, their applications shall be rejected and candidature shall be cancelled.

- xi) A person seeking appointment on the basis of reservation must ensure that he/ she possesses the appropriate original caste/ community/ disability certificate and submit in the formats attached as and when called for by ICMR-NIRRCH, otherwise their claims for age-relaxation, reservation etc. shall not be considered. The crucial date for this purpose will be the closing date for receipt of online applications. Candidates may also note in respect of the above that, their candidature will remain provisional till the veracity of the concerned document(s) is verified by the Appointing Authority. Candidates who wish to be considered against vacancies reserved/or seek age-relaxation must submit requisite certificate from the competent authority, in the prescribed format at the time of Document Verification. Otherwise, their claim will not be entertained and their candidature/applications will be considered under General (UR) category.
- xii) The age relaxation for reserved category applicants is admissible only in the case of vacancies being reserved for such categories. The reserved category applicants, who apply against unreserved vacancies, will get age relaxation to the extent it is available to UR category candidates i.e. no age relaxation would be available to SC/ST/OBC candidates applying for unreserved vacancies.
- xiii) **Candidates working in ICMR projects continuously shall also be eligible for age relaxation up to five years provided he/she has entered into the project service within the prescribed age limit for the post for which they are applying.** Such candidates should submit No Objection Certificate in the prescribed format (Annexure-I) from ICMR institute where they are working.
- xiv) For Person with Benchmark Disability:**
- a. Reservation of the posts for the Persons with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) and the nature of disabilities admissible are indicated against each category of post in the table below.
 - b. Only those Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) who are having benchmark disabilities (40% or more) are eligible for fee concession, age-relaxation and for reservation, wherever applicable.
 - c. Relaxation in upper age limit is admissible to Person with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) subject to production of certificate Disability Certificate issued by the competent authority i.e. Medical Board duly constituted by the Central or the State Government. Certificate issued by the Medical Practitioner, Hospital or any other Institution will not be considered. The physical disability of finally selected candidates would be ascertained by a Medical Board specifically constituted for this purpose.
 - d. They shall invariably submit the requisite Certificate as and when called for by the ICMR-NIRRCH, otherwise, their claim for PwBD status will not be entertained.

e. The details of PwBD reservation are as under:

Name of post	PwBD (a, b, c, d & e)	Reservation Categories
Technical Assistant (Social Worker)	01 (a-VH)	LV- Low Vision
Technical Assistant (Life Science)	01 (b-HH) 01 (c-OH)	D- Deaf, HH- Hard of Hearing OA- One Arm, BA-Both Arm, OL-One Leg, CP-Cerebral Palsy, LC- Leprosy Cured, Dw- Dwarfism, AAV-Acid Attack Victim
Technician- 1 (Lab)	01 (b-HH) 01 (c-OH)	D-Deaf, HH-Hard of Hearing OL-One Leg, CP-Cerebral Palsy, LC-Leprosy Cured, Dw- Dwarfism, AAV- Acid Attack Victim
Lab Attendant- 1 (Lab)	02 (a-VH) 01 (d&e-Oth.)	B-Blind, LV-Low Vision d- (ASD-Autism Spectrum Disorder (M-Mild, MoD-Moderate), SLD- Specific Learning Disability, MI-Mental Illness) e- (MD- Multiple Disabilities includes- B-Blind, LV- Low Vision, D- Deaf, HH- Hard of Hearing, OA-One Arm, OL-One Leg, OAL-One Arm and One Leg, Dw- Dwarfism, AAV- Acid Attack Victim, ASD-Autism Spectrum Disorder (M-Mild, MoD- Moderate), SLD-Specific Learning Disability, MI- Mental Illness)

Abbreviations:

VH=Vision Handicapped, HH=Hearing Handicapped, OH=Orthopedically Handicapped, Oth.=Others

5. SELECTION CRITERIA:

- i) Eligible candidates will be required to appear in an online Computer Based Test (CBT), information for which will be provided in the Admit card.
- ii) The Computer Based Test (CBT) is being held for the posts with same educational qualifications. The candidate who has applied and selected for more than one post is required to indicate his post-wise preference very carefully at the time of document verification. Option exercised at the time of document verification will be final.
- iii) After the Computer Based Test (CBT) and Document verification wherever applicable, the NIRRCH will draw up the Merit List for each post.
- iv) The candidates applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission at all stages of the examination will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. If, on verification, at any time before or after the examination, it

is found that they do not fulfill any of the eligibility criteria and falsified information if submitted, their candidature for the examination will be cancelled by the NIRRCH.

6. ONLINE COMPUTER BASED TEST (CBT):

- i) The online test will be in English and Hindi except for General English section. Duration of test will be 90 minutes. The total number of MCQ type questions will be 95. One mark shall be awarded for each correct answer and negative mark of 0.25 for each wrong answer except for exam under Lab Attendant category. Questions shall be asked on General English, Quantitative Aptitude, General Awareness, General Intelligence and Reasoning, and Branch/Specialization/Trade (Only for Technical Assistant and Technician-1 posts).
- ii) Final merit List shall be prepared out of 100 marks (95 marks for CBT/MCQ and 05 marks for experience after obtaining essential qualifications).
- iii) **Answer once given cannot be changed later by the candidate during the CBT.**
- iv) **Pattern of Examination is as follows:**

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Syllabus MCQ Type Questions consisting of:-	No. of Questions	Marks	Remarks
1	Technical Assistant (Social Worker, Life Sciences, Dietician, Public Health, Bioinformatics, Civil, Computer Science/ Information Technology, Electrical, Mechanical, Electronics/ Instrumentation, Home Science)	Section A General Intelligence and Reasoning	20	20	Total duration will be 90 minutes. One mark shall be awarded for each correct answer. There will be a negative marking, for every wrong answer, 0.25 marks will be deducted from the total marks.
		Section B General Awareness	10	10	
		Section C Quantitative Aptitude	20	20	
		Section D General English	15	15	
		Section E Trade/Branch/ Specialization related	30	30	
		Total	95	95	
2	Technician-1 (Laboratory, Electrical,	Section A General Intelligence and Reasoning	20	20	Total duration will be 90 minutes.
		Section B	10	10	

	Mechanical, Electronics/ Instrumentation, Computer Science/ Information Technology, Civil)	General Awareness			One mark shall be awarded for each correct answer. There will be a negative marking, for every wrong answer, 0.25 marks will be deducted from the total marks.
		Section C Quantitative Aptitude	20	20	
		Section D General English	15	15	
		Section E Trade/Subject related	30	30	
		Total	95	95	
3	Laboratory Attendant -1 (Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Carpenter, Welder, Electrician, Plumber, Mason, Animal Attendant)	Section A General Intelligence and Reasoning	25	25	Total duration will be 90 minutes.
		Section B General Awareness	20	20	
		Section C Quantitative Aptitude	25	25	One mark shall be awarded for each correct answer. No negative marking.
		Section D General English	25	25	
		Total	95	95	

- v) A maximum of **five (05) marks for Post Essential Qualification** research/Lab/field experience in any Government recognized /approved/ registered Institution or Organization, will be added to the marks scored by the candidate in the CBT (out of 95) as mentioned below:

Relevant Experience	Marks
>1 and upto 2 years	1
>2 and <4 years	2
>4 and <6 years	3
>6 and <8 years	4
>=8 years	5

- vi) Period of experience shall be determined as on the closing date for submission of online application.
- vii) Applicants should upload the certificates indicating their work experience.
- viii) Experience Certificate (Work Experience) as applicable, should be issued by the

competent authority of the Government recognized/ approved/registered Institution or Organization and must be clear with Name, Designation, Salary/pay scale drawn, period of work experience (From-to), nature of duties performed etc. by the candidate. Kindly note that only the experience(s) obtained after acquiring the ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION will be taken into consideration

- ix) At any stage of document verification, if it is found that candidate does not possess requisite experience/ has provided forged experience certificate, his candidature/appointment will be cancelled.
- x) ICMR-NIRRH will not undertake detailed scrutiny of applications for the eligibility and other aspects at the time of Computer Based Test and, therefore, candidature will be accepted only provisionally. The candidates are advised to go through the requirements of educational qualification, experience, age etc. as per the requirements of the post/category, they wish to apply for and satisfy themselves that they are eligible for the post(s). Copies of self-attested supporting documents along with print out of the online application form can be sought at the time of scrutiny stage from the shortlisted candidates for the said stage of scrutiny as per selection procedure and at the time of document verification. When scrutiny of documents is undertaken at any stage of the recruitment process, if any claim made in the application is not found substantiated, the candidature will be cancelled automatically and the ICMR-NIRRH's decision shall be final.
- xi) Shortlisted candidates in merit list including those in waiting list who have been declared eligible by ICMR-NIRRH, where ever prescribed, would be called to appear personally for document verification with originals on a day and time to be intimated to them through a notice on the websites. Accordingly, candidates whose certificates in support of their age, educational qualification and experience, etc. are in order would be finally selected for these posts on merit basis.
- xii) Any falsification/unavailability/misleading information will lead the candidate ineligible for appointment.
- xiii) Please note that the CBT for different types of posts in each category may be held on the same day. Applicants are advised to choose only those posts that match his/her qualifications with those specified under the essential qualifications.

7. PROVISION OF COMPENSATORY TIME AND ASSISTANCE OF SCRIBE:

- i) In case of persons with benchmark disabilities (PwBD) in the category of blindness, locomotor disability (both arms affected-BA) and cerebral palsy, the facility of scribe is provided, if desired by the candidate.
- ii) In case of remaining categories of persons with benchmark disabilities (PwBD)the

provision of scribe will be provided on production of a certificate at the time of examination to the effect that the person concerned has physical limitation to write, and scribe is essential to write examination on his behalf. The certificate should be from the Chief Medical Officer/ Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent of a Government health care institution as per proforma at **Annexure-IV (B)**. However, this would be provided only according to instructions issued in this regard by Govt. of India issued time to time.

- iii) The facility of scribe will also be provided to PwD candidates having disability less than 40% and having difficulty in writing in pursuance to OM No. 29-6/2019-DD-III dated 10.08.2022 issued by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. The facility will be provided on production of certificate as per **Annexure-IV (D)**.
- iv) The facility of scribes/ passage reader will be provided to the PwBD/ PwD candidates only if he has opted for the same in the online application form. The candidate will have the discretion of opting for his own scribe or to avail the facility of scribe provided by the Institute. Appropriate choice in this regard will have to be given by the candidate in the online application form.
- v) In case a candidate opts for his/ her own scribe, the qualification of the scribe should be one step below the qualification of the candidate taking the Test. The candidates with benchmark disabilities opting for own scribe shall be required to submit details of the own scribe as per proforma at **Annexure-IV(A) & IV (E)**. The candidates with disabilities (PwD) eligible for scribe as per Para 7 (iii) and opting for own scribe shall be required to submit details of the own scribe at the time of examination as per proforma at **Annexure-IV (C) & IV (E)**. In addition, the scribe has to produce a valid ID proof in original at the time of Test. A photocopy of the ID proof of the scribe signed by scribe should also be submitted. In case, subsequently if it is found that the qualification of the scribe is not as declared by the candidate, then the candidate shall forfeit his/ her right to the post and claims relating thereto.
- vi) If a candidate opts for his/her own scribe, in that case, that scribe should not be a candidate of this examination. If a candidate is detected as assisting another PwBD/ PwD candidate as scribe in the examination, then the candidatures of both the candidates will be cancelled.
- vii) **A compensatory time of 30 minutes** will be provided to the persons who are allowed use of scribe as described at Para 7 (i), 7 (ii) and 7 (iii) above.
- viii) Candidate with benchmark disability (40% or more) not availing the facility of scribe will also be given **Compensatory time of 30 minutes** over and above prescribed time of test.
- ix) Candidate with disability less than 40% and having difficulty in writing and not availing the facility of scribe will also be given **Compensatory time of 30 minutes**

over and above prescribed time of test.

- x) The PwBD candidates who have availed the facility of Scribes/ Passage Reader and/ or compensatory time must produce relevant documents for the eligibility of scribe/ compensatory time, during the conduct of Computer Based Test, and/or as and when called for by the ICMR-NIRRH and also at the time of Document Verification. Failure to produce such supporting documents will lead to cancellation of their candidature for the Examination.
- xi) One eyed candidates and partially blind candidates who are able to read the normal Question Paper set with or without magnifying glass and who wish to write/ indicate the answer with the help of magnifying glass will be allowed to use the same in the Examination Hall and will not be entitled to a scribe. Such candidates will have to bring their own magnifying glass to the Examination Hall.
- xii) No attendant other than the scribe for eligible candidates will be allowed inside the examination hall. No change in the scribe will be permitted after submission of the details of the scribe to ICMR-NIRRH.

8. HOW TO APPLY (PROCEDURE OF APPLICATION)

- i) Eligible and interested candidates would be required to apply online through “MKCL RecruitLive website”: <https://nirrh.recruitlive.in/>
- ii) No other means/ mode of application will be accepted. Their registration will be provisional as their eligibility will be verified only in case they are shortlisted and called for Document verification. Mere issue of Admit card shall not imply acceptance of candidature.
- iii) Before registering their applications on the portal, the candidates should possess the following:
 - a) E-mail ID and Mobile no., *which should remain valid for at least one year.*
 - b) It will be Truly Online registration process hence it is advisable to have stable internet connection.
 - c) The computer used for registration should have Camera and Mic.
 - d) During the registration process, a candidate photograph and video will be taken. Hence it is advised to have well-dressed/combed hair before moving ahead with the registration process.
 - e) Candidates are advised to have Aadhaar Card ready during registration process to avoid the incorrect data entry activity. Candidate must be cautious while filling up registration details.
 - f) Candidates are advised to use Chrome Browser for filling the application form. Unblock the pop-ups before starting the registration process.

The registration process involves following steps:

Step 1: Filling up of Registration Form for URN Generation

- Go to “MKCL RecruitLive website”: <https://nirrch.recruitlive.in/>
- Read the General Instructions carefully.
- Click on the Radio Button showing your agreement about you have successfully read the General Instructions.
- Fill up all the required fields till Unique Registration Number is generated.
- Ensure the information provided is correct and then submit.

Step 2: Profile Building

- Login with Unique Registration Number as Username
- Start Building the Profile by entering valid information in all fields.

Step 3: Application for Post

- Login with Unique Registration Number as Username
- Apply for the Post from Advertisement Management Menu under Advertisement Dashboard link for the post/s you wish to apply for.

Step 4 : Payment

- Login with Unique Registration Number as Username
- Click on “Make Payment” which will take you to Payment Gateway, which has been authorized to collect the application fees/processing charges on behalf of ICMR-NIRRH.
- Once the payment is made, Candidates should retain a photocopy of their e-receipt and Registration Slip as they can be asked to produce the same for reference, at any stage of selection process.
- Fees once paid will not be refunded under any circumstances. Candidates are therefore requested to verify their eligibility before paying the application/processing fees and to fill in the payment details carefully.
- Failed Transaction amount will be automatically refunded to same A/c from which payment was originally made, within 15 working days.
- Candidates will have to make payment separately for each post.

Step 5 : Admit Card Generation and Downloading

- Login with Unique Registration Number as Username
- Kindly click on Download Admit Card from Exam Management Menu
- Responsibility of receiving, downloading and printing of admit card/any other information shall be of the candidate.

Important Instructions:

- Applicants should upload necessary documents regarding Work Experience, Educational Qualifications, Caste Certificates, PwBD certificate etc. while filling the application.
- ICMR-NIRRCH will not be responsible for any loss of email sent, due to invalid/wrong email ID provided by the candidate or for delay/non receipt of information if a candidate fails to access his/her mail/website in time.
- All correspondence with candidates regarding the CBT will be done only on the registered e-mail ID provided by candidate.
- The exam will be held in Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR) Only.
- Information regarding exam credentials will be provided through email. The intimation other than the above i.e. result of CBT, final selection result etc. will be given through notice on ICMR/ICMR-NIRRCH/MKCL RecruitLive websites.
- Candidates are not required to send any document to ICMR-NIRRCH.
- Candidates will be allowed to appear in the Online Computer based Test only if they possess the valid Photo Admit Card which will be available for downloading from the MKCL RecruitLive website and prescribed original photo identity card.

9. APPLICATION FEE:

- i) Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD)/SC/ST/Women: Exempted from payment of fee.
- ii) For all others: Rs. 300/- for General and OBC male candidates.

Note: Applications received without the prescribed fee shall not be considered and summarily rejected. No representation against such rejection will be entertained. Fee once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances nor will it be adjusted against any other examination or selection.

Mode of payment:

The candidates can deposit the above application fee through online payment gateway available at the APPLICATION PORTAL using credit/debit card/Net Banking/UPI etc.

10. VERIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS:

The shortlisted candidates on the basis of the merit in the CBT would be called for verification of the documents; the list of the eligible candidates would be displayed on the websites. The information thus furnished by the candidates in their applications will be verified by ICMR-NIRRCH with reference to the original documents during the Document Verification or even thereafter. In such verification of documents, if it is found

that any information furnished by the candidate in the application is wrong or misleading, his / her candidature will be rejected forthwith, at any stage during recruitment process or thereafter the selection. The candidates should ensure that they have furnished correct information in the application form. The candidates would be required to furnish the following documents at the time of verification:

- i) Print out of the online application form.
- ii) Matriculation/Secondary Examination Certificate or an equivalent Certificate for Age proof.
- iii) Final Mark sheet/ Degree/Diploma certificates as a proof of meeting educational qualification.
- iv) Caste Certificate in the prescribed format of Government of India, if applicable (Annexure-VI, VII).
- v) PwBD certificate in the prescribed format of Government of India, if applicable (Annexure-VIII).
- vi) Candidates who are Govt. Civilian Employees (Central / State / UT / Autonomous / PSU / Statutory body etc. organizations) and requires age relaxation, should submit a certificate from his/her Employer in the prescribed format (Annexure- II)
- vii) **Candidates who are Govt. Civilian Employees (Central / State / UT / Autonomous / PSU / Statutory body etc. organizations) should submit 'No Objection Certificate' & 'Vigilance Clearance Certificate' from the respective Office/Department in prescribed format (Annexure -III).**
- viii) Candidate working in ICMR funded projects, who requires age relaxation, should submit an experience certificate in the prescribed format (Annexure-I).
- ix) Experience Certificate/s for candidates claiming marks for experience or having essential criterion.
- x) In case of candidates belonging to OBC category, certificate should specifically contain the clause that the candidate does not belong to "creamy layer section". OBC certificate for the purpose of age relaxation will mean "PERSONS OF OBC CATEGORY NOT BELONGING TO CREAMY LAYER" as defined in DOPT'S guidelines. The closing date for receipt of application will be treated as the date of reckoning for OBC status of the candidate and also for assuming that the candidate does not fall in the Creamy layer on the reckoning date. The candidate should furnish the relevant OBC certificate in the prescribed format (Annexure-VII). OBC candidates must, therefore, at the time of document verification furnish valid and updated OBC certificate which should specifically include the clause regarding "Exclusion from Creamy Layer" and furnish the declaration in the prescribed format (Annexure- VII), in order to get age relaxation.
- xi) Any other document as applicable.

11. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- i) All the posts carry all India transfer liability. The selected candidates may be posted at any of the Institute/Centre under the control of ICMR. The selected candidates will be given offer of appointment with directions to report at ICMR-NIRRCH, Mumbai. No TA/DA shall be provided for joining the post.

- ii) Candidates possessing the required essential qualification from Govt. recognized Universities or Institutes will only be eligible to apply. The term departmental candidates mean those candidates who are currently working as permanent employees with Central/State/UT Government or Central/State autonomous organization including ICMR.
- iii) While applying, the candidates should enter their full name as it appears on the matriculation/secondary school certificate.
- iv) The outstation candidates will have to make their own arrangement to stay as per the schedule of the examination. No TA/DA will be given to any candidates for appearing the examination.
- v) If the candidate wishes to apply for more than one post, the candidate should apply for the visible post in his/her login.
- vi) Court of jurisdiction for any dispute will be at Mumbai.
- vii) Candidates are advised to regularly visit ICMR/ICMR-NIRRCH websites for updated information on the selection process. Any corrigendum/addendum/errata in respect of the above advertisement shall be made available on our website. No further press advertisement will be notified.
- viii) Canvassing in any form or bringing political or other outside influence with regards to selection/recruitment shall be considered as disqualification for employment in the ICMR-NIRRCH.
- ix) No enquiries/correspondence shall be entertained.
- x) The decision of the Competent Authority of ICMR-NIRRCH in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the applications, penalty for false information, mode of selection, conduct of examination(s) allotment of examination centers, selection will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry/correspondence will be entertained in this regard.
- xi) The recruitment process can be cancelled/terminated/suspended without assigning any reasons. The Decision of Director, ICMR-NIRRCH in all matters will be final and no appeal will be entertained.
- xii) Candidature of the candidate will be cancelled for the following reasons:
 - a. Incorrect information or misrepresentation or suppression of material facts.
 - b. For carrying prohibitive items to the Examination premises / Hall.
 - c. Non-production of original certificates at the time of Document Verification.
 - d. Candidates who are found in an inebriated condition in the Examination Hall.
 - e. Any other irregularity such as unruly behavior or creating nuisance to disturb the other candidates or disrupt the examination.

- xiii) Merely appearing for the CBT or/and fulfilling the essential qualification or/and success in the examination confers no right of appointment unless it is satisfied after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that the candidate is suitable in all respects of appointment to the service/post.
- xiv) All posts are with all India transfer liability under the Council.
- xv) Call Center Number 7066951951. Call between 10.00 AM to 06.00 PM on Monday to Saturday except Holidays.

Sd/-
Director
ICMR-NIRRH