

(An Autonomous Institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India)

NCR Biotech Science Cluster, 3rd Milestone, Faridabad – Gurugram Expressway, P.O. Box No. 04, Faridabad - 121001

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- 1. Translational Health Science and Technology Institute (THSTI) is an autonomous Institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. The institute is an integral part of the interdisciplinary NCR Biotech Science Cluster located at Faridabad, and is designed as a dynamic, interactive organization with the mission to conductinnovative translational research and to develop research collaborations across disciplines and professions to translate concepts into products to improve human health.
- 2. THSTI has built several inter-institutional collaborations and connectivity with industrysupported by well-trained teams of research and laboratory staff. This foundation has helpedpursuit of thematic research programmes which can be broadly categorized as, (a) Infectiousdiseases and Immunology (b) Maternal and Child Health, (c) Non-communicable disease (d) Multidisciplinary clinical and translational research. These will be strengthened by four corefacilities viz. Small Animal Facility, Data Management Centre, Biorepository and Bioassay Laboratory that will serve not only the research programmes of THSTI, but also the National Capital Region Biotech Science Cluster and other academic and industrial partners.
- 3. This recruitment is to fill up the vacancies for project positions at Clinical Development Services Agency (CDSA) center. CDSA is a niche center of THSTI established to facilitate development of affordable healthcare products for public health diseases. It is the only public Centre in the country created with a mandate to support and nurture cost-effective, high quality, not-for-profit technology-based preclinical and clinical product developmentas well as support clinical research conducted by public agencies. It works towards development of an eco-system for training and learning and work with public sector institutions, and small and medium enterprises (SME) to translate innovative technologies into medical products for public good.

The main objectives of CDSA are:

- a) As an academic Clinical Research Unit, to undertake & provide end -to- end clinical study support for investigators and SMEs in study planning, set up, conduct: project management, monitoring, data management, safety reporting, analysis and report writingz.
- b) Build research capacity and capability through high quality training in the area of clinical development/trials and regulation.
- c) Support and strengthen clinical research environment in the country.
- Regulatory science and policy support: provide tools and approaches to support researchers, regulators, health policy makers & industry

Applications are invited from eligible candidates to fill up the following positions:

1 Name of the post	Quality Manager
(No. of post) Name of the	(01) (GARBH -INI)
project	(Critical)
Emoluments	Up to Rs 83,080/-
Age	Up to 45 years
Employment	Contractual
Duration	Upto 31 May 2024 (can be extended further)
Location	CDSA, THSTI, NCR, Biotech Science Cluster, Faridabad
Minimum	Essential qualification:
Educational	MBBS/ BDS/ Allied health degree
Qualification and Experience	OR
Experience	 Master's degree in life sciences or pharmacy or public health or healthcare or other related discipline OR
	Post graduate degree in a health-related discipline
	Essential work experience:
	• 5 or more years of experience in clinical project management and/or
	clinical trial/ study monitoring.
	 Experience of clinical trial or public health project management in a recognized organization/institute (academic clinical trials unit, CRO, pharmaceutical, biotechnology, or device company).
	Desirable qualification and work experience:
	 Postgraduate degree in public health or a PhD in a health-related discipline
	 Experience of clinical trial or public health project management in a recognized organization/institute (academic clinical trials unit, CRO, pharmaceutical, biotechnology, or device company). Demonstrable experience of line management, project management
	 Ability to understand, explain and communicate project concepts using standard tools and templates
Job Profile	 The Quality Manager is responsible for the oversight, management and operational execution of assigned clinical studies and trials. Ensure high-quality standards on delivery of key tasks with adherence to project timelines and deliverables. Understand the requirements and frameworks of the various regulatory bodies such as DBT, ICMR, HMSC etc, and guide the project conforming to those requirements. Responsible for the establishment of quality assurance procedures and time points across various aspects of the overall project functioning. Prepare a risk assessment and mitigation plan for the study and,
	 ensure its implementation. Establishment of procedures to ensure adherence to trial protocols and administrative requirements.

- Develop project specific and protocol specific training or as requested.
- Monitoring the trial progress to ensure compliance with and adherence to the project plan and to identify, evaluate and rectify problems.
- Work with the Investigators to ensure that the trial is meeting its targets, is producing meaningful output and to predict and plan any changes that warrant requests to changes in protocol, funding, or timelines.
- Development, approval, and distribution of study-related documents including Case Report Forms (CRF's), study protocols, study manuals, and other study tools to investigational sites and review committees.
- Work with data management and other departments to track progress, milestones and the challenges.
- Communicate to team members the scope of work, timeline and project goals, technical information or update.
- Provide guidance and operational area training for project team members and staff as required
- Responsible for the training, task allocation and evaluation of the performance of the study monitors.
- Any other assignments with the Clinical Portfolio Management team, based on project deliverables or exigencies.

Required skills

- Ability to work independently with minimal guidance as well as collaboratively within a team setting.
- Leadership skills that include the ability to build effective project teams, ability to motivate others, delegate, drive and timely/quality decision-making
- Business/ Operational skills that include a commitment to quality management and problem-solving.
- Effective communication skills that ensure the provision of timely and accurate information to stakeholders. Proficient in English, Strong written and oral communication skills.
- Proficient in computer literacy in Excel, Word, PowerPoint, and Access.
- Good writing skills, including the ability to develop and deliver presentations, prepare technical reports, manuscripts, monitoring plans and SOPs.
- Comprehensive understanding of Indian Clinical Trials Regulations, ICH and CDSCO Good Clinical Practice
- Knowledge of regulations and guidelines pertaining to the conduct of clinical trials/ studies on human subjects.
- Personal qualities that include the ability to gain trust and confidence with a variety of clients, good learning ability, managerial courage, ability to prioritize workload, action-oriented and flexible to accommodate in changing environment.
- Influencing skills including negotiation and teamwork.
- Interested candidates fulfilling the criteria may walk-in for a written test/skill test/interview on 04th January 2024 @10:30 AM at THSTI, NCR Biotech Science Cluster,3rd Milestone, Faridabad-Gurugram Expressway, Faridabad 121001. (Note The candidate must report by 09:00 AM to be interviewed otherwise the candidate will not be interviewed by the Selection Committee).
- ➤ Note: Outstation candidates can send their request for an online interview through email: HR.CDSA@THSTI.RES.IN. one day prior to the interview with the updated CV/Qualification and

experience certificate. Their candidature will be subjected to the approval of the appropriate authority. The request of Delhi/NCR Candidates for online Interviews will not be entertained.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS: -

- a) This is short-term positions and extension will be granted subject to satisfactory performance of the incumbents and tenure of the project for which they are selected. Those appointed to these positions will not have any claim for regularization of their employment.
- b) All educational, professional and technical qualification should be from a recognized Board/University.
- c) The experience requirement specified above shall be the experience acquired after obtaining the minimum educational qualifications specified for the post.
- d) The age limit, qualification, experience and other requirements may be relaxed at the discretion of the competent authority, in case of candidates who are otherwise suitable. In case candidates are not found suitable for the posts notified, they can be offered lowerpost / lower emoluments on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.
- e) Age and other relaxations for direct recruits and departmental candidates: 1. By five years for candidates belonging to SC/ST communities. 2. By three years for candidates belonging to OBC communities. 3. For Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PWBD) falling under the following categories: (i) UR ten years, ii) OBC 13 years (iii) SC/ST 15
 - 4. Age is relaxable for Central Government servants up to five years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government, from time-to-time. 5. Thereis no upper age limit for the Institute employees who are treated as departmental candidates. 6. For Exservicemen up to the extent of service rendered in defense forces (Army, Navy & Air force) plus 3 years provided they have put in a minimum of 6 months attested service.
- f) All results will be published on our website and all future communications will be only through email.
- g) In case a large number of applications are received, screening will be done to limit the number of candidates to those possessing higher/relevant qualification and experience.
- h) With regard to any provisions not covered in this notification, the bye laws of THSTI / Govt. of India rules / guidelines shall prevail.
- i) Canvassing in any form will be a disqualification.
- j) You are requested to bring 2 passport size photograph & one set of photocopy of your education/qualification certificate/documents along with the originals at the time of interview.

"Government strives to have a work force which reflects gender balance and women candidates are encouraged to apply"

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