



F.No. NIIRNCD/Academic/2023-24

TWO-MONTHS INTERNSHIP / OBSERVERSHIP PROGRAMME

ICMR - National Institute of Implementation Research on Non-Communicable Diseases (formerly Desert Medicine Research Centre), Jodhpur is a permanent research Institute under the aegis of Indian Council of Medical Research, Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India.

ICMR-NIIRNCD, Jodhpur invites applications from eligible Undergraduate and postgraduate students for Internship Training for a period of 2 months. This program provides structured research exposure in the field of Non-Communicable Diseases, Public Health, Epidemiology, Implementation Research, Biostatistics, Laboratory Sciences, Nutrition, Social & Behavioral Sciences, and Biomedical Research.

Internship Programme details are given below:

Duration	02 (two) months
Number of seat(s)	20 (Twenty) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 15 seats – Public Health & Allied Subjects (Public Health, Epidemiology, Biostatistics, Social & Behavioral Sciences, IT, etc.)• 05 seats – Life Sciences, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Biochemistry, and related disciplines
Eligibility criteria	Undergraduate and Postgraduate students in above mentioned disciplines from any recognized institute in the relevant fields.
Session	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 01 May to 30 June 2026• 01 August to 30 September 2026 <i>*The Applicants must choose one of the above sessions.</i>
Fees for training program	₹ 5,000/- Consolidated (non-refundable)

APPLICATION PROCESS

Interested candidates are required to submit a formal application for the Internship/Observership Program on academic-niirnecd@icmr.gov.in as per the guidelines outlined below:

- 1) The candidate must submit the duly filled Registration Form, attested and endorsed by the Head of the Institution/Department.
**Applications without official endorsement/attestation will not be considered.*
- 2) Along with the registration form, applicants must include:
 - A brief Curriculum Vitae (CV)
 - Statement of Purpose (SOP) indicating research interest and motivation





Selection Process

- 1) All submitted applications will undergo screening and scrutiny to assess eligibility, academic merit, and relevance to NIIRNCD research domains.
- 2) Candidates who meet the eligibility criteria and are shortlisted will be required to appear for an interview/interaction as part of the selection process.
- 3) Final selection will be based on overall merit and availability of guides/project slots.
- 4) Selected candidates will be informed via email only.

Important Dates

Session : May to June 2026	Session : Aug to Sept 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Last date of Application: 19.04.2026• Interview / Selection process: 3rd week of April• Result Declaration: 3rd week of April• Programme Commencement: 1st week of May	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Last date of Application: 19.04.2026• Interview / Selection process: 2nd week of July• Result Declaration: 3rd week of July• Programme Commencement: 1st week of August

Terms & Conditions

- 1) Admission and selection of Research Supervisor will be at the discretion of the Competent Authority of ICMR-NIIRNCD, Jodhpur.
- 2) The number of seats may be increased or decreased at any stage with the approval of the Competent Authority of ICMR-NIIRNCD, Jodhpur.
- 3) Students are required to strictly comply with all Institute rules, regulations, prescribed timings, and safety guidelines.
- 4) ICMR-NIIRNCD will retain full intellectual property rights over the project work.
- 5) Students must present their project before the Academic Committee at the end of training for feedback and approval.
- 6) No financial support, stipend, hostel, boarding, or lodging facilities will be provided; students must arrange their own stay.
- 7) ICMR-NIIRNCD, Jodhpur hereby reserves all rights, including the right to modify, suspend, or terminate the program at its discretion.

Contact Information

For any further queries related to this program, please contact:

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Application form for Internship/Observership Program 2026

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1.	Name (in block letters)																	
2.	Internship Session	May to June <input type="checkbox"/> August to September <input type="checkbox"/> <i>*The Applicants must choose one of the above Sessions</i>																
3.	Father's name																	
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6.	Gender	Male/Female/Others																
7.	Nationality																	
8.	Permanent Address																	
9.	Mobile/Phone Number																	
10.	E-mail ID																	
11.	Course/degree (with branch/subject) currently pursuing:																	
12.	Name of the institute in which you are currently pursuing the above course/degree																	

13. Academic Qualifications: -

Sr. No.	Examination passed	Board/University /Institution	Year of passing	Marks obtained & %	Major subjects (Stream)
1.	10 th class				
2.	12 th class				
3.	Graduation				
4.	Post-graduation				
5.	Other qualifications, if any				

14. Statement of purpose (in not more than 500 words)- In a separate Sheet

I hereby declare that the information furnished above is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place: _____

(Signature of Applicant)

Date: _____

Name: _____

Recommendations of the Head of the Institute:

Seal & signature of the Head of the Institute