

भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान अनुसंधान परिषद स्वास्थ्य अनुसंधान विभाग, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिकीर कल्याण मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

Indian Council of Medical Research

Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health
and Family Welfare, Government of India

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Office Memorandum

Subject: - Governing Council Members of ICMR - reg.

Sl.No.	Constitution of Governing Council as per Memorandum of Association ICMR	Name of Members	Terms of the member
	OFFICIAL MEMBERS		
1	The President	Shri Jagat Prakash Nadda, Hon'ble Union Minister of Health & Family Welfare, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India	Not Applicable
2	1st Vice President	Shri Prataprao Jadhav, Hon'ble Union Minister of State, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India	Not Applicable
3	2nd Vice President	Dr. Rajiv Bahl, Secretary, Deptt. of Health Research & Director-General, ICMR	Not Applicable
4	The Secretary, Deptt. of Health & Family Welfare	Ms. Punya Salila Srivastava, Secretary, Deptt. of Health & FW	Not Applicable
5	The Secretary, Deptt. of AYUSH, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Shri Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha Secretary, Deptt. of AYUSH	Not Applicable
6	The Secretary, Deptt. of AIDS Control, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Does not exist. Merged with MoH&FW	Not Applicable
7	The Director General, Armed Forces Medical Services, Ministry of Defence	Surgeon Vice-Admiral Arti Sarin, Director-General, Armed Forces Medical Services & Sr. Col. Commandant, Ministry of Defence,	Not Applicable
8	The Secretary, Deptt. of Scientific & Industrial Research & Director General, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research	Dr. N Kalaiselvi Director General CSIR & Secretary, DSIR, Deptt. of Scientific & Industrial Research, Ministry of Science & Technology, CSIR	Not Applicable



9	The Secretary, Deptt. of Agricultural Education and Director General of Indian Council of Agricultural Research	Dr. Mangi Lal Jat, Secretary, Department of Agricultural Research and Education & Director-General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research	Not Applicable
10	The Director General, Dte General of Health Services, Ministry of Health Family Welfare	Dr. Sunita Sharma Director-General of Health Services (OIC), Directorate General of HealthServices,	Not Applicable
11	The Financial Advisor, Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health &Family Welfare,	Shri. Hoveyda Abbas, AS & FA, MoH&FW	Not Applicable
12	Joint Secretary, Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Ms. Anu Nagar, Joint Secretary to GOI, Department of Health Research,	Not Applicable
13	The Scientist H working in the Headquarters/Institutes/Centres of ICMR	Dr. Sanghamitra Pati Additional Director General, ICMR	Not Applicable
14	The Senior Financial Advisor, ICMR	Ms. Manisha Saxena, IRS Senior Financial Advisor, ICMR	Not Applicable
15	One Scientist 'G' working in the Headquarters of ICMR nominated by the President	Dr. R.S. Dhaliwal, Scientist G and Head NCD, ICMR, Hqrs. (Retirement Date: 31 July 2026)	Not Applicable
16	Senior Deputy Director General, (Administration), ICMR	Ms. Manisha Saxena, IRS Sr. Dy. Director General (Admin.), ICMR, Hqrs.	Not Applicable
17-18	Two Directors of Institutes/Centres/Units of ICMR nominated by the President for a term of three years so that the number of such nominees does not exceed five years.	Dr. Manoj.V. Murhekar, Director, NIE, Chennai Dr. Sheela Godbole, Director, ICMR-NITVAR (NARI), Pune	For three years
19	Drug Controller General (India) Central Drugs Control Organization, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Dr. Rajeev Singh Raghuvanshi, DCG(I) Central Drugs Control Organization, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Not Applicable
	NON OFFICIAL MEMBERS	Scientific Advisory Board Members	
20	All Members of the Scientific Advisory Board	Dr. Rajiv Bahl, Secretary, Deptt. of Health Research & Director-General, ICMR	Not Applicable
21		Dr. Sunita Sharma Director General of Health Services, Directorate General of Health Services, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-110011.	Not Applicable



22	Dr. Anurag Agrawal,	17.01.2023 to
	Dean, Bio Sciences and Health	16.01.2026
	Research,	(three years)
	Trivedi School of Biosciences,	
	Ashoka University, Sonepat,	
	Haryana.	
23	Dr. Anuradha Chowdhary,	17.01.2023 to
	Prof, Medical Mycology,	16.01.2026
	Department of Medical Mycology,	(three years)
	Vallabhbhai Patel Chest Institute, University of Delhi	
24	Dr. Mitali Chatterjee,	17.01.2023 to
	Professor of Pharmacology,	16.01.2026
	Institute of Postgraduate Medical	(three years)
	Education & Research (IPGMER),	(
	Kolkata, India.	
25	Dr. Govind K. Makharia,	17.01.2023 to
	Professor, Dept. of	16.01.2026
	Gastroenterology and Human	(three years)
	Nutrition, AIIMS, New Delhi.	
26	Dr. Rajesh Sagar,	17.01.2023 to
	Professor, Dept. of Psychiatry,	16.01.2026
	AIIMS, New Delhi	(three years)
27	Dr. Soumya Swaminathan,	17.01.2023 to
	(Chairperson, SAB)	16.01.2026
		(three years)
28	Dr. D. Prabhakaran,	17.01.2023 to
	Director, Centre for Chronic	16.01.2026
20	Disease Control, New Delhi	(three years)
29	Dr. Nikhil Tandon,	17.01.2023 to
	Professor and Head, Department of	16.01.2026
	Endocrinology and Metabolism, AIIMS, New Delhi.	(three years)
30	Dr. Amita Aggarwal,	17.01.2023 to
	Prof and Head, Clinical	16.01.2026
	Immunology and Rheumatology,	(three years)
	Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate	
	Institute, Lucknow	
31	Dr. Shinjini Bhatnagar,	17.01.2023 to
	Prof. of Eminence. Ph.D.	16.01.2026
1.0	(Pediatrics), ICMR Chair	(three years)
32	Dr. Vishwajeet Kumar,	17.01.2023 to
di di	Founder at Community	16.01.2026
	Empowerment Lab Lucknow, Uttar	(three years)
	Pradesh	(unce years)
33	Surgeon Vice-Admiral Arti	Not Applicable
	Sarin,	
	Director-General, Armed Forces	
	Medical Services &Sr. Col.	
	Commandant, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi-110011.	



Scientist H or G working in ICMR for Member Secretary of SAB	Dr. Sanghamitra Pati Additional Director General, ICMR	Not Applicable
Two persons nominated for a term of five years by the President in recognition of valuable services rendered for furtherance of the objectives of ICMR as laid down in the Memorandum of Association	Dr. Narendra K Arora Executive Director, The INCLEN Trust International, F-1/5, 2nd Floor, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase-I, New Delhi-110020	30.05.2025 to 29.05.2030 (five years)
	Dr. Renu Swarup Former Secretary, Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology, New Delhi, India	
Two eminent Non Medical Scientists (one of whom will be lady scientist) to be nominated by President	Dr. Shubha Tole, Professor, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai Dr Yogesh S. Shouche, National Centre for Microbial Resource, National Centre for Cell	17.01.2023 to 16.01.2026 (three years)
Three eminent medical scientists (one of whom will be a lady scientist) to be nominated by the President	Dr. Ganesan Venkatasubramanian, Professor of psychiatry, National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences, Bangalore (NIMHANS)	17.01.2023 to 16.01.2026 (three years)
	Dr. Neeta Singh, Professor, Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology, AIIMS, New Delhi	
	Dr. Sanjeev Mishra, Vice Chancellor, Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical University, Lucknow.	
One representative to be elected by the Rajya Sabha	Dr. Ajeet Madhavrao Gopchade, MP. Amruthpath Hospital, Director Lane, Near Railway Station, Nanded, Maharashtra-431601	Till the membership of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha ceased.
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43-44	Two representatives to be elected by the Lok Sabha	Dr. Sambit Patra, MP. HIG 348, Kalinga Bihar, Bhubaneswar, Odisha -751019 Shri Shafi Parambil, MP. Parambil House, Ongallur-2, Kondurkara Palakkad, kerala- 679313	Till the membership of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha ceased.
45-47	Three representatives elected by the Medical Faculties of Universities	Prof. Rama Shanker Dubey, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Gujarat, Ghandinagar, Gujarat. Prof. Sat Prakash Bansal, Vice Chancellor Central University of Himachal Pradesh Prof. (Dr) Jaya SM, Vice Chancellor, Bangalore University	17.01.2023 to 16.01.2026 (three years)
48	One representative of National Medical Commission	Dr. Vijaya Lakshmi Nag, National Medical Commission Coordination Division, Pocket-14, Sector-8, Dwarka, New Delhi	17.01.2023 to 16.01.2026 (three years)
49	One representative of Dental Council of India	Dr. Sanjay Tewari, Principal, Govt. Dental College, Medical Campus, Rohtak-124001, Haryana	17.01.2023 to 16.01.2026 (three years)

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Jagdish Rajesh Assistant Director General (Admn.)

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- 2. All Directors/Directors-In-Charge of ICMR Institutes/Centres.
- 3. All Divisional Heads
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- 5. Dr. M.S. Chalga, Sci-D with request to upload the same in ICMR website