

Two Research Assistants

Situation Analysis of Nutritional Status and Supportive Nutrition Care of Childhood Cancer Patients at the National Cancer Institute - Maharagama

Situational analysis of the nutritional status and supportive nutrition care of childhood cancer patients at the National Cancer Institute – Maharagama is planned as a component of a project aiming to improve the nutritional status of children affected with cancer. This project is coordinated by the National Cancer Control Programme in collaboration with the National Cancer Institute of Sri Lanka under the WHO Global Initiative of Childhood Cancer (GICC).

The details of the requirement are mentioned below.

No. of Research Assistants	2
Time period	About 4-6 weeks (during the months of May – June 2024)
Required Qualifications	Pre-intern medical graduates (Preference will be given to those who are residing near the National Cancer Institute -Maharagama)
Tasks to be performed	Data collection through an interviewer-administered questionnaire Brief clinical assessment through anthropometric measurements (Under the supervision of Consultant Paediatric Oncologist & Consultant Clinical Nutrition Physician)
Allowance	Task-based (per childhood cancer patient – completion of questionnaire & anthropometric measurement)

Applicants are requested to send their curricular vitae on or before 18.05.2024 to the following address, 'Director, National Cancer Control Programme, 555, Public Health Complex, Elvitigala Mawatha, Colombo 05' or email to nccpmohsl@gmail.com with the heading "Research Assistant – Situation Analysis of Nutritional Status of Childhood Cancer Patients".

Short-listed applicants will be called for a brief interview. The selected candidates need to be available to commence the task immediately

Further details

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