



Released By	HRD – Head Office	Job Title	Junior Medical Microbiologist
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Reference No.	LSHO/HRD/REC/42	Location	Hyderabad

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LEPRA INDIA, **Blue Peter Public Health Research Centre (BPHRC)** is established in 1999 with its state-of-art facility is recognized as Scientific, Industrial & Research Organisation (SIRO) by Govt of India. BPHRC has 3 research divisions i.e. Microbiology, Clinical & Epidemiology and Immunology & Molecular Biology. Each division is headed by a Group leader who takes up the activities like Training of Ph.D. students and garnering extramural research funds, besides research work.

Applications are invited from candidates with research flair for Junior Medical Microbiologist position.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES

- Support the Group leader in preparation of progress reports and other relevant documents of the division
- Assisting in overall supervision of the laboratory activities
- To carry out any other responsibility assigned from time to time
- Laboratory work in interdisciplinary areas of Leprosy, TB & HIV/AIDS.
- Laboratory training, performing and monitoring diagnostic, culture and drug susceptibility tests.
- Maintain the clinical & lab records and Coordinate procurement of all scientific equipments, laboratory reagents and etc.
- Collect blood and other clinical specimens for research studies as per protocols.
- Coordinate DOTS-plus activity including logistics management (specimen collection kits, issue of the reports, maintaining the registers etc.,)
- Support in development of research proposals, data management and analysis.

Qualification & Experience

The aspirant should be a Ph.D in Medical Microbiology/ M.Sc Microbiology with 3 - 5 years relevant experience. Must posses thorough knowledge on theory and practical work of TB Microbiology to establish new techniques. S/he should be skilled in Clinical Microbiology with good writing and communication abilities. Preference to the candidates worked on research proposals and publications.

Compensation: 2.4 lakhs per anum (inclusive of all benefits)

Interested candidates please forward the application to hrd@leprahealthinaction.in through the format downloaded from www.leprasociety.org careers column. Specify the Reference Number in subject line.

You can also post/ courier your application to: Department of HRD, LEPRA Society, Plot No – 17, Krishnapuri Colony, West Marredpally, Secunderabad – 500 026, Andhra Pradesh, India. Please mention the Reference Number on the envelope.

Tentative Date of written test & Interview: **19th February 2010.**

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