JAWAHARLAL INSTITUTE OF POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (JIPMER)

Dhanwantri Nagar, Puducherry-6

RESEARCH MANPOWER RECRUITMENT FORMS

REC-05-Selection for Written/ Interview Notification format

Department of Psychiatry

No: JIP/PSY/KOMET/2026-01 Date: 08.10.2026

(Recruitment notice dated 23.09.2026)

List of Candidates Eligible for Further Evaluation for the Post of "Project Technical Support-III (Data Manager)" in project titled "*A randomized, double-blind, active placebo-controlled trial of efficacy and safety of adjunctive oral ketamine vs oral midazolam in major depressive disorder (KOMET trial)*"

A total of 14 applications were received. Of these, 12 applicants were found eligible, as shown below. The eligible candidates should appear for further evaluation as per the details below. They are expected to attend this evaluation in person.

No TA/DA will be provided to appear in the selection process.

Candidates deemed eligible for further evaluation:

1	Medhun Chakravarthy
2	Avantika S
3	Venkatesan
4	S. Saranya
5	Balakumaran T
6	Brinda M
7	Vasanth S
8	Jessiya Beegam
9	Resmi Raj A R
10	Pavithra Sree
11	Vedhagiri
12	Nishanthini

The following candidates were found ineligible for the reasons mentioned against each:

Sl. No.	Name	Reason for rejection
1	N Arthi	Essential qualification not met
2	J. Revathi	Essential qualification not met

Details of further evaluation

- Written test (60 multiple choice questions) and/or interview will be conducted on **16.10.2026 at 8:30am** (reporting time) at **Exam hall-1, Fourth floor, JIPMER ACADEMIC CENTER (near Women and Children's Hospital)**

- Based on the written test, candidates will be shortlisted for an interview which will be held at 1 45pm in Dept of Psychiatry.
- Candidates who have applied for multiple posts (PTS-III [Research assistant/Data Manager] and PRS-I) and found eligible will have to attend written test for all posts, separately.

Written test syllabus: *The written test will cover advanced data management principles and data entry workflows for clinical research; multi-site REDCap database structure, programming validation checks, and data query management; techniques for physical and electronic source-document auditing; data security architecture, access controls, and participant confidentiality protocols; Microsoft Excel functionalities; and basic principles of data management within RCTs.*

Interview areas: *The interview will evaluate technical competency in designing data validation logic and clearing discrepancies across partner institutions; methods for preparing periodic recruitment summaries and data quality reports; practical familiarity with statistical software packages (SPSS, R, Stata, or equivalent); readiness and strategy for executing periodic data quality assurance audits during institutional travel; and problem-solving skills related to database security breaches or data loss prevention.*

Special Instructions: Please report on time for verification and test. **Latecomers may not be permitted to attend the written test and will not be allowed any extra time for the test**. No cell phones allowed during exam. **To bring all original certificates of educational qualifications and experience for verification.**
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