

## **Vision Research Foundation – Recruitment Notification**

The **Vision Research Foundation (VRF)** invites applications from highly motivated Indian nationals for the position of **Project Technical Support – III** in an **ICMR-sponsored research project** at the **Department of Nanobiotechnology, VRF, Chennai**.

### **Project Details:**

- **Title:** *Developing and Enhancing an Antifungal Peptide Drug Conjugate Against Antimicrobial-Resistant Ocular Fungal Pathogens in a 3D In Vitro and In Vivo Model*
- **Funding Agency:** Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Government of India
- **Principal Investigator:** Dr. J. Narayanan, Ph.D., Principal Scientist, Department of Nanobiotechnology, VRF, Chennai

### **Position Details:**

- **Designation:** Project Technical Support – III
- **Number of Positions:** 01
- **Project Duration:** 3 years (initially for one year, extendable up to three years)
- **Fellowship:** As per ICMR norms
- **Eligibility Criteria:**
  - **Educational Qualification:** M.Tech or M.Sc. in Life Sciences
  - **Experience:** Minimum **one year** of research experience in **peptide synthesis, drug conjugation, nanomaterial synthesis, characterization, animal cell culture, and molecular biology**
  - **Preference:** Candidates with **CSIR/GATE/UGC-NET** qualifications will be given preference

Interested candidates should submit their applications via **email** or **hard copy**, including the following documents:

1. **Cover Letter**
2. **Comprehensive CV** (including contact details, educational qualifications, relevant experience, publications, and current status)
3. **Two Reference Letters**
4. **Photocopies of Educational Certificates, Experience Certificates, and Publications (if any)**

**Application Deadline: February 23, 2025**

- **Email ID for Submission:** [drnj@snmail.org](mailto:drnj@snmail.org)
- **Contact Information:** Please provide a valid **mobile number** for communication
- **Selection Process:** Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for written test /an interview

This is a **temporary position** with an initial appointment of **one year**, extendable up to **three years** based on project requirements and performance.