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"Interview (Hybrid Mode)", Advt. no. NABI/6(54)/2017-AHF-2023

Advertisement for Laboratory Animal Veterinarian (Full-time on Contract) at theAnimal Experimentation facility at NABI

National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute (NABI), Mohali, is an autonomous R&D Institute under Government of India, Department of Biotechnology. The institute is a state of the art facility in globally competitive and translatable research areas at the interface of agricultural biotechnology, food processing and nutritional sciences. NABI is in process of developing "Animal Experimentation Facility" to carry out small scale efficacy and safety rodent studies in the field of food and nutrition research. NABI is seeking Laboratory Animal Veterinarian (Full Time on Contract).It is envisioned that the Laboratory Animal Veterinarianwill work with the NABI team to help in maintaining state of the art Animal Experimentation facility.

Iob Title: Laboratory Animal Veterinarian (LAV) (Full Time on Contract)

Required Educational Oualification:

- Master's Degree in Veterinary Science in any of the following disciplines *viz*, (Veterinary Pathology, Veterinary Microbiology, Veterinary Pharmacology, Veterinary Medicine or Veterinary Surgery) with valid Registration issued under IVC or
- Bachelor's Degree in Veterinary Science with 01 year of experience in managing Laboratory Animal facility in any Reputed Research Institute/Lab/company.

Key responsibilities of the selected candidate will include:

- LAV should develop protocols to ensure that the clinical and preventive health programs should be implemented effectively in the Animal Care Facility.
- LAV should provide orientation to new students/animal users in proper use of Animal facility and explain the SOPs of Animal Care Facility.
- LAV should be able to manage, coordinate and supervise the individual job duties of a team of animal facility care takers and housekeeping staff.
- LAV should train the new students/animal users/animal care takers/support staff in proper care and humane handling of laboratory animals.
- LAV should assist Facility in-Charge in the process of import and export of live laboratory animals, quarterly animal health monitoring programs (in SPF animal colonies), organizing animal ethics committee meetings and record keeping as per CPCSEA guidelines (GOI).

Desirable Experience:-

- Handling, breeding and maintenance of laboratory animals, particularly inbred strains. Preference will be given to applicants with experience with transgenic/knockout animals.
- Research experience using laboratory animals is desirable.
- Experience in health monitoring and genetic monitoring techniques.
- Good Knowledge of CPCSEA guidelines.

<u>Age limit:-</u> 50 years (relaxation is admissible in case of SC/ST/OBC/women as pergovernment of India instructions).

Emoluments: Rs. 47,000/- per month. Salary negotiable for deserving candidate.

Engagement: The engagement will be purely on temporary basis and will be initially for a period of eleven months from date of joining. The tenure will be extended before the completion of eleven months only once for another eleven months based on satisfactory work comments received from reporting officer.

How to apply:

- All interested candidates should send completely filled application form (single adobe pdf file) available on institute website through email till **14-08-2023** on email id **recttscholarnabi@gmail.com**
- Candidates opting physical mode of interview should also send their application forms and documents till **14-08-2023**.

Kindly note the following important points

1. Kindly don't send the hardcopy of the advertisement form.

2. Incomplete application forms and applications that are not in proper format may be summarily rejected.

3. The applications should be submitted strictly as per the prescribed format that can be downloaded from the NABI website.

4. Kindly send complete filled application form through email only.

5. Kindly don't send any document with application form. Candidates will be provisionally shortlisted on the basis of information given in the application form. All the document related to eligibility i.e. Age, Educational Qualification, Experience etc. (in original) will be verified at later stage before issuing the offer/award letter.

6. Application form, updated CV/resume and a mandatory one-page cover letter must be submitted.

7. No application form will be accepted after due date i.e. **14.08.2023 (05:00 PM)**.

8. Eligible candidates will be informed via e-mail for interview schedule.

9. Candidates should ensure that information mentioned in the application form is accurate. Once the application form is submitted no further request regarding any changes / information in the application form will be considered.

10. Eligible candidates will be interviewed through video conferencing mode by duly constituted selection committee.

11. Any changes in the last date for submission of application form, procedure for selection, important points etc. shall be available only in NABI website. Interested candidates may kindly see the NABI website before applying for the same.

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