## **NOTICE**

## Centralised Interview Process for PhD Admissions - August 2025 Session AcSIR-ICMR Faculty of Medical Research

With reference to the notice published on the AcSIR website dated **2nd June 2025**, regarding the **centralised interview system** for the **August 2025 session**, the candidates are advised to make a note of the following points:

- 1. A dedicated portal for submitting the preference for ICMR institutes has been developed
- 2. The link of the portal and login credentials for filling the preference on the portal along with instructions will be shared soon with the candidates on their registered e-mail IDs.
- 3. All the candidates are instructed to fill preferences for all the ICMR institutes. It is mandatory, to fill at least 3 preferences.
- 4. Moreover, if the candidate changes their institute preference from those that have been submitted earlier in their original application, the choices filled by them on the preference filling portal will be considered as final.
- 5. The last date for filling the preferences through the portal is  $22^{nd}$  June, 2025.
- In Order to assist Candidates in understanding the revised process, a webinar will be conducted by the Dean's Office, FMR on upcoming Friday i.e. 13<sup>th</sup> June 2025 at 3 pm. The webinar link will be shared shortly via email.
- 7. The interviews are tentatively scheduled to be held in second week of *July 2025*. Final dates and related updates will be announced on the official websites of ICMR and AcSIR.
  - a. Intimation will be sent to the shortlisted applications through email as well.
  - b. Applicants are advised to regularly check the ICMR and AcSIR websites and their emails for further updates/ notifications.
- 8. Submission of the preference form does not guarantee admission any of the institute. Seats will be allotted on the basis of interview score, choice of institutes furnished by the candidates, and acceptance by the institutes.
- 9. Candidates are advised to adhere strictly to the timelines and instructions to avoid disqualification or limited consideration in the admission process.

For any clarification or assistance, candidates may contact the designated helpdesk email (deanoffice.medres@acsir.res.in & admissions@acsir.res.in).

**NOTE:** Above-mentioned centralised interview system for AcSIR-ICMR Faculty of Medical Research shall have no impact on the admission to AcSIR PhD program under the Faculty of Medical Research at other AcSIR associated Research Institutes.