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AN EXCITING OPPORTUNITY IN AUTISM RESEARCH PROGRAMME

WALK-IN INTERVIEW

Position Overview

Role: Community Facilitator

Number of Position: 01 (One)

Project: NAMASTE

Location: Porvorim, Goa, India

Reports to: Senior Intervention Facilitator

Time: Full time (5 days a week)

Remuneration: INR 22,000 – 25,000 Per Month

Grade: G3 – Entry-Level/Support

About Sangath

Sangath (www.sangath.in) is one of India's leading mental health research non-profit organisation. It was founded in 1996 with its headquarters in Goa; major hubs in Delhi and Bhopal, and programme sites in many parts of the country. Sangath's mission and expertise lies in developing and evaluating mental health interventions to be delivered through existing public systems. Its major thematic areas are: Child development and disability; adolescent health; mental disorders; and ageing. Sangath was awarded the prestigious MacArthur Foundation International Prize for Creative and Effective Institutions in 2008 and the WHO Public Health Champions Award for India in 2016. It has completed a number of randomized controlled trials for mental disorders in India, including the only two autism trials in the country.

About the Project

Neurodevelopment and Autism in South Asia Treatment and Evidence (NAMASTE) is an exciting new program which will be implemented by Sangath, an Indian not-for-profit working in the field of public health research for over 25 years. NAMASTE will aim to design and implement a flexible evidenced pathway towards universal health coverage for children with Autism, through a programme of research, training and capacity building across India, Sri Lanka and Nepal.

NAMASTE is the result of a 10-years collaboration, Sangath, and the University of Manchester that have carefully adapted the 'Parent-mediated Autism Social Communication Intervention for non-Specialists Plus (PASS Plus)', which has shown real-world effectiveness in two initial randomised trials, with large-scale evaluation now within the New Delhi health system. NAMASTE will leverage Sangath's extensive experience with digital training and supervision, which can support both health workers and researchers. NAMASTE will also be collaborating with the World Health Organisation's 'Caregiver Skills Training' (CST) for more general neuro-disability. Care pathway components will include a novel, flexibly staged, digitally enabled, detection protocol (for neurodevelopmental difficulties and autism); combined with a complimentary and evidenced intervention protocol consisting of CST training for general delays and the PASS Plus intervention for autism. In each region and at each stage, community partners and co-applicants will help co-design awareness materials and advise on tool and protocol development.

Registered Office Address

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About the Role

Sangath is looking for a motivated and well-organized Community Facilitator to deliver evidence-based interventions to families of children with developmental delays and disabilities.

The ideal candidate is expected to:

Roles & Responsibilities

- Undertake comprehensive training in the intervention.
- Deliver the intervention to assigned families in the community, adhering to established guidelines and protocols.
- Provide support to non-specialist workers in delivering the intervention sessions.
- Coordinate and conduct sensitization activities in the community as required for the project.
- Maintain accurate and detailed clinical records for supervision, research, and reporting purposes.
- Adhere to ethical standards and ensure compliance with all relevant policies and procedures.
- Report to the Senior Intervention Facilitator of the project, providing regular updates on progress, challenges, and achievements.
- Participate actively in all Sangath activities, particularly those organized by the Child Development Group (CDG).

Qualifications & Experience

Essential Criteria

- Minimum graduate in any discipline.
- Fluency with local languages (Marathi, Konkani and Hindi), both written and spoken.
- Freshers are encouraged to apply.
- Computer literate.
- Good interpersonal and communication skills.
- Willing to independently travel to North Goa District for field work.

Desirable Criteria

- Experience of working with young children.
- Ability to ride a 2-wheeler (with a valid license).

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How to Apply / Walk-in Interview Details

Interested candidates are invited to attend a **Walk-in Interview** for the position of Community Facilitator, NAMASTE programme.

- **Date:** 12th June 2026
- **Time:** 10:00 AM – 12:30 AM
- **Venue:** Sangath, 451(168), Bhatkar Waddo, Socorro, Bardez, Porvorim, Goa – 403501

Candidates should bring along

- A copy of their updated Resume
- One passport-size photograph
- A copy of Aadhaar and PAN card
- Original and photocopies of their educational and experience certificates

For queries, please contact: **Ms. Preeti Dabale** at preeti.dabale@sangath.in | **+91-8287102811**

Equal Opportunity

Sangath is an equal-opportunity employer committed to building a diverse and inclusive team. We value all employees, regardless of gender, caste, religion, disability, or sexual orientation, and encourage applicants from all backgrounds to apply. For this position, we strongly encourage applications from people with disabilities, and these applications will be prioritized given the participatory nature of the project.

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