



## Fellowship Openings for Biochemistry at Tata Medical Center

Tata Medical Center (TMC), Kolkata is a state-of-the-art tertiary Comprehensive Cancer Care Center established to serve the needs of society in the eastern part of India. It is a philanthropic initiative from the House of Tata. Its mission is to promote Prevention, Early Diagnosis, Treatment, Rehabilitation and Palliation and Research for cancer patients.

The Hospital, with a capacity of 183 beds will serve all sections of the Society. 50% of the beds are earmarked for free or subsidized treatment for the underprivileged sections of society. The Institution's objective is to excel in service, education and research.

To fulfil the above objectives TMC invites applications for the position of Fellows in the following specialties:

### 1. Fellowship in Biochemistry

**Qualification:** MD/DNB in Biochemistry from an MCI recognized organization.

Candidates who have already passed their MD examination can only apply. Applications will not be accepted from candidates who are yet to obtain their degree.

Duration of Fellowship: One Year; extendable on a yearly basis upto three years.

The remuneration will be commensurate with years of experience and comparable to the best institutes in the country.

### **\*\*Introduction to the Department**

The department of Biochemistry is an integral part of Tata Medical Center and provides 24 x 7 Clinical Biochemistry services to the institute. It is equipped with state of the art instruments for analysis of metabolic panels, tumor markers, hormones, serum electrophoresis, immunofixation electrophoresis, nephelometry, and high performance liquid chromatography and tandem mass spectrometry services. The department is involved in various academic activities such as seminars and CMEs. It is the recipient of a DBT grant and provides research supports to clinical departments as well. There is a strong involvement with various oncology departments in interpretation of reports and clinico-chemical correlations. It has also taken part in national and international conferences and fellowships. The department is accredited by NABL as per the ISO 15189:2012. The department will provide an excellent opportunity for combined on-hands training in clinical biochemistry and research experience.

## **Fellowship specifics for Biochemistry**

1. On-hands training in dry chemistry systems.

- Diagnostic use of routine metabolite analysis or metabolic panels in various disciplines of oncology.

2. Analysis of tumor markers and other immunoassays (ELFA/CLIA techniques)

- Importance in serial monitoring, prognosis and assessment of effectiveness in therapy

3. Laboratory quality management

Extensive training in :

- Conduct of internal audits
- Evaluation of internal and external quality assurance programmes
- Developing standard operating procedures
- Management of laboratory processes
- Inventory management

4. Participation in Clinical rounds, Multidisciplinary meetings, Seminars

5. Chance to work in Department of Biotechnology funded project

6. On-hands experience in liquid chromatography-tandem mass spectrometry systems

7. Training in therapeutic drug monitoring

The fellow will be required to authorize results and assist the consultant in day to day activities of the department. He/She shall have the opportunity to present posters in national conferences and draft papers for publication.

\*For more details about the job positions, qualifications, eligibility and application forms, please click on the positions above.

### **Please Email or Post applications to:**

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