



National Model Centre for Occupational Health Services

Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited

Tiruchirappalli-620 014

The National Model Centre for Occupational Health Services, BHEL, Tiruchirappalli (an ILO/UNDP/Government of India project) has been a pioneer in the establishment of occupational health services at the place of employment. In its more than 30 years of existence, the Model Centre has passed on the expertise to many industries in India and has equipped many medical professionals in industries with the knowledge of occupational health.

The National Model Centre for OHS has an array of functional units of international excellence in occupational hygiene, occupational toxicology, occupational pulmonology, occupational medicine, etc.

The laboratories in these functional units have been equipped with the latest state-of-the-art technology. The instruments are constantly updated to suit the industry's requirements.

The Model Centre's professional staff are well qualified and have been trained as ILO Fellows in various disciplines of occupational health in Europe and America.

The Centre has a rich in-house experience in epidemiology, industrial hygiene, ergonomics, etc., based on Indian conditions.

This is the first instance of an industry-based course in occupational health in India, conducted exclusively by well experienced faculty who have been involved in running OHS at the place of employment for more than 30 years.

About the course

The Associate Fellow of Industrial Health (AFIH) course is approved by the Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India and the examination will be conducted and certificates will be issued by DGFASLI (Directorate General Factory Advice Service & Labour Institutes), Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India.

Course content

Theoretical inputs will cover the following areas:



Occupational health, occupational medicine, health promotion, health screening, toxicology, ergonomics, occupational physiology, psycho-social factors in industry, psychological guidance and counselling, legislations in occupational health, communications, productivity and occupational health, training programmes and health education, health information systems, ILO radiographs of pneumoconiosis, occupational diseases causation, clinical features, diagnosis and

prevention and surveillance of work environment using industrial hygiene methods.

Practicals will involve carrying out health screening procedures such as vision screening, spirometry, conducting field studies in industrial hygiene, toxicological experiments, etc.



Project work at work place will be required to be carried out. At the end of the programme, candidates will be required to make a presentation on the same.

Industrial visits to important sectors in chemical, coal, oil refining, tanning, fabrication and paper manufacturing will be an important part of the curriculum.

Eminent faculties in occupational health and allied areas handling the classes will be an added advantage of this programme.

Eligibility for admission

- 1. MBBS Degree from an Institution fully recognised by the Medical Council of India.
- 2. Completion of Internship.
- 3. Permanent Registration with the State Medical Council/Medical Council of India.
- 4. Minimum one year experience as full time medical officer in Occupational Health related work in an industry or 2 years in general practice after the date of completion of internship.

Duration of the course

December 1, 2012 to February 28, 2013 (Examination will be held in the 1st week of March 2013).

Mode of selection

Interested candidates should apply in the prescribed form.

Applicants working in Govt./Public Sector undertakings/Autonomous Bodies, etc., should apply through proper channel. Applications, complete in all respects, along with attested photo copies of certificates should be sent to the Course Coordinator, AFIH Course.

Last date for receipt of application is October 20, 2012. Incomplete or ineligible applications will be summarily rejected. Results of selection will be intimated individually in the last week of October 2012.

AFIH is the statutory qualification for employment as a Factory Medical Officer (especially in hazardous industries anywhere in India).

Reservation

As per Government rules.

No. of seats

Restricted to 25 only.

Fee

Course fee for the full programme is Rs.25,000/- which is payable in full by Demand Draft in favour of 'Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd', and payable at Tiruchirappalli, along with the application. Course fee is fully refundable up to 17th November, 2012. Thereafter 25% deduction will be made towards administrative charges till 30th November, 2012. after which no refund will be allowed.

Accommodation

Limited shared hostel-type accommodation is available on separate payment. Candidates will have to make their own food arrangements (large number of hotels are available nearby).

Mode of application

Interested candidates may fill in the application form downloaded from the BHEL corporate website www.bhel.com and send it to us along with DD and enclosures by October 20, 2012.



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION IN A.F.I.H. (2012)

i) Please do not enclose original certificates

ii) All information should be written in CAPITAL LETTERS only LAST DATE: 20.10.2012

Affix passport size photo

1.	Name	:
2.	Sex (Male/Female)	:
3.	Date of Birth	:

Designation & Employer's Address (if employed)

5. Contact Details

Address with Pin Code

Telephone Numbers (Must)

e-mail ID (Must) :

6. Qualifications (MBBS, P.G. Degree/Diploma, etc.)

Examination	Institution	Year of Passing	% of marks	Class	Date of Completion of Internship

7. Do you belong to SC/ST/OBC? : Yes/No (If yes, attach attested copy of the certificate)

8. Experience (Attach certificate from the employer)

Name & Address of Employer	Post Held	Period & Duration of Experience	Whether Industry is Hazardous Industry

9. Attach 'No Objection Certificate' if employed :

10. Details of Payment:

DD Number and Date :
Drawn on Bank and Branch :

I hereby solemnly certify that the information given above are true and correct.

Place: Applicant's Signature

Date:

List of Enclosures:

- 1. Attested photo copies of MBBS Degree Certificate, Internship Certificate and State Medical Council/MCI Registration Certificate.
- 2. SC/ST/OBC Certificate, if applicable.
- 3. Experience Certificate
- 4. Sponsorship Certificate, if applicable.
- 5. Demand Draft for Rs. 25,000/-



For more information, please contact:

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