



NABL Fellowship Programme

Build competence. Understand accreditation.
Strengthen India's quality ecosystem



LEARN

Standards & systems



APPLY

Live assignments



EXPERIENCE

Lab & field exposure



DELIVER

Capstone project

Who is the fellowship for?

NABL is a constituent board of the Quality Council of India and accredits laboratories engaged in testing, calibration and medical testing. The fellowship is envisioned as an entry point for young professionals who want to understand how confidence in laboratory results is built, assessed and sustained.

Ideal Applicant

Young science and engineering professionals seeking structured exposure to laboratory accreditation and quality systems.

Candidates interested in laboratory operations, technical competence, standards, assessment and conformity assessment.

Applicants with an analytical mindset and willingness to work across technical, operational and stakeholder-facing assignments.

Professionals at the beginning of their careers who can commit to the complete 12-month fellowship

Eligibility Criteria

QUALIFICATION

Master's in Science in Chemistry /Physics/Biology/Geology OR
Bachelor's in Engineering/Technology OR
DCP/MD (Pathology/Microbiology)

EXPERIENCE

Minimum 2 years of work experience in a laboratory or relevant industry

AGE

Below 30 years of age

Other administrative requirements, if any, will be as specified in the official NABL notification.

Selection Process

Psychometric Assessment

Assessment of behavioural and work-style attributes

Background Verification

Verification of the Shortlisted Candidate



Aptitude Test

Analytical, quantitative and logical reasoning



Technical Round of Interview

Analytical, quantitative and logical reasoning





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Month fellowship structure

A one-year immersive learning journey

Designed to introduce early-career professionals to laboratory quality, technical competence, accreditation systems and applied quality improvement.

A month-wise module plan across key NABL functions, with direct involvement in activities and structured training / events.

The rotation gives fellows exposure to core accreditation operations as well as assessor systems, competence management, committee processes and cross-board activities.



What a fellow takes away

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Intended benefits

Practical understanding of accreditation and how laboratory competence is demonstrated.

Ability to read standards and translate requirements into evidence, systems and controls.

Exposure to laboratory operations, assessment logic, documentation and quality improvement.

Stronger skills in analytical thinking, technical writing, data interpretation and problem-solving.

Mentoring and professional exposure to NABL experts and the wider quality-infrastructure ecosystem.

A portfolio ready capstone project and, subject to programme rules, a certificate of successful completion.

Programme features

12-month cohort-based fellowship.

Structured foundation and technical modules.

Dedicated mentor / review touchpoints.

Hands-on assignments using real quality-system problems.

Laboratory / field exposure, wherever operationally feasible.

Interaction with assessors, laboratories, regulators and industry stakeholders.

Capstone project and final presentation.

Potential career relevance across laboratories, quality, standards, regulatory, accreditation and conformity-assessment roles.

DURATION

12 months

STIPEND

40,000 per month

LOCATION / MODE

On-site (QCI Headquarters, New Delhi)

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