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Government of India
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
(Department of Health Research)

2nd Floor, IRCS Building
Red Cross Road, New Delhi
Dated the 17th August 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject - Inviting Expression of Interest (EOI) from Resource centres for upgradation to Resource Hubs- Regd

The undersigned is directed to inform that Health Technology Assessment India, Department of Health Research is inviting Expression of Interest from HTA Resource Centres for upgradation to Resource hubs 2026-27.

2. The Format for application for Expression of Interest (EOI) is attached herewith
3. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl: as above



(Vahboi Singsit)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To,
Principal Investigators of all HTA Resource centres.

Copy to:

1. Sr PPS Secretary, Department of Health Research, New Delhi
2. PPS to Joint Secretary, (MS), Department of Health Research, New Delhi
3. Dr Balu, Scientist-C for uploading on the website



**Department of Health Research
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
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**Expression of Interest (EoI)
for
Upgradation of Resource centre to
Resource Hubs**

Date of Issue: 17th August 2026

INVITATION for EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

1. This is an invitation from Department of Health Research for submission of Expression of Interest from HTA Resource centres under the scheme of Human Resource and capacity development for upgradation to Resource hubs.
2. HTAIn DHR intends to establish few more Resource Hubs across India in the year 2026-27
3. The Resource hubs will be responsible for
 - A. Evidence Generation**

Conduct HTA studies as per HTAIn priorities.
Generate context-specific evidence for policy decisions.
 - B. . Capacity Building**

Train researchers and programme managers.
Develop local HTA expertise.
Support postgraduate training and research.
 - C. Stakeholder Engagement**

Engage policymakers.
Engage healthcare providers.
 - D. Reporting**

Submit study progress reports.
Share outputs with Regional Hubs and Secretariat
4. Criteria for selection of the Resource Hubs:
 - Resource centres with experience in conducting HTA studies
 - The Resource centres should have conducted training programs/workshops on HTA
 - Additional Activities
5. Interested Resource centres having required capability, experience and resources to undertake the upgradation to a resource hub may submit their application by mail to Department of Health Research.
6. The Application format is placed at Annexure-1
7. Schedule for Invitation of EOI is given below :-

Sl. No.	Item of Information	Information
1.	Nodal Officer	Smt. Vahboi Singsit , Undersecretary DHR
2.	Contact Details of Nodal Officer	v.singsit@nic.in 011-23736901
3	Last date for submission	31 st August 2026

Application format

Sr. No.	Basic Requirement	Specific Requirements	Documents Required
1.	Eligibility	i) years experience as resource Centre	Relevant document with Annual Progress report
2.	HTA studies undertaken	Not less than 2 HTA studies to be completed	Details about the studies completed
3.	Technical Capability	Must have conducted workshops/State Sensitization meetings	Copy of the relevant documents
4.	Publications	publications in Peer reviewed journals	Publication list with impact factors
5	Implementation of Studies	HTA studies implemented by the State/Central Governments	Proof of implementation and progress

8. The scanned copies of documents in pdf version to be sent by mail

Short Listing Criteria

DHR will shortlist Centres who meet the QUALIFICATION CRITERIA mentioned in this Invitation to Expression of Interest and a Committee **will select the resource Hub.**