

NABH QUALITY CONNECT GRANTS 2024

The Program is for healthcare quality professionals who are keen to establish new initiatives with innovative thinking and changemaking in the field of healthcare quality and patient safety.



Eligibility

NABH encourages applications from all of the following (but not limited to) clinical practitioners, healthcare/ hospital administrators, quality managers, innovators working in any NABH accredited hospital across India, public health experts in the domain of quality and patient safety and students/ interns pursuing MHA/ MBA (Hospital/ Healthcare management) etc.

Those who have already published their works in the field of healthcare quality and patient safety between 01/01/2023 to 15/08/2024 OR whose works are already ongoing on this subject OR who have innovative ideas to carry out research and publication on this subject can apply for this grant and submit their proposal.

**LAST DATE TO APPLY:
15TH AUGUST, 2024**



Opportunities & Expectations

The selected candidates will be expected to produce at least one publication that impacts or highlights frugal innovation in the area of healthcare quality and patient safety in India. Innovative ideas in rural, frugal resource challenged settings will be given priority. The successful candidates are expected to disclose and acknowledge the grant in work when published.



Grant amount

Grants ranging from

Rs. 25,000/- to Rs. 50,000/-

shall be provided by NABH to 5 selected projects which are selected for the program. The grant amount to the respective projects will be decided by the Screening Committee after submission of the proposal, shortlisting presentation and virtual interview.



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Introduction

National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers which is commonly abbreviated as NABH is a constituent board of the Quality Council of India which has been setup in the year 2005 to establish and operate accreditation, certification and empanelment programs for hospitals, health care organizations and engaging in healthcare quality and patient safety education with the objective of enhancing health system & promoting continuous quality improvement and patient safety to create an ecosystem of quality in healthcare.

QCI celebrated its 25th Anniversary in the year 2022 and to amplify the message of quality in healthcare, NABH under the guidance of QCI had undertaken several initiatives as a contribution to the silver jubilee celebration. One of these initiatives is NABH Quality Connect Grants for supporting research, development and publication in healthcare quality and patient safety.

NABH Quality Connect Grants 2024 program is for the healthcare quality professionals who are keen to establish new initiatives with innovative thinking and changemaking in the field of healthcare quality and patient safety. This program is designed and created to support these professionals to take their strategic, operational, thought leadership and innovative skills to the next level. Grants ranging from Rs. 25,000/- to Rs. 50,000/- shall be provided by NABH to 5 selected projects which are selected for the program. The grant amount to the respective projects will be decided by the NABH Research Committee after submission of the proposal, shortlisting, presentation and virtual interview.

NABH, the national accreditation body of India established for focused approach of quality assurance in healthcare and patient safety shall sponsor 5 candidates on 17th September every year (World Patient Safety Day) through the same process.



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Opportunities and Expectations

The selected candidates will be expected to produce at least one publication that impacts or highlights frugal innovation in the area of healthcare quality and patient safety in India. Innovative ideas in rural, frugal resource challenged settings will be given priority.

The selected candidates are also expected to bring new ways of thinking and innovative ideas for improving the quality of patient care, reduce harm, patient centered outcomes and frugal ideas for making a direct impact on the healthcare quality system in India. The successful candidates are expected to disclose and acknowledge the grant in work when published.

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Those who have already published their works in the field of healthcare quality and patient safety between 01/01/2023 to 15/08/2024 **OR** whose works are already ongoing on this subject **OR** who have innovative ideas to carry out research and publication on this subject can apply for this grant and submit their proposal.

Amount of Grants

- Grants ranging from Rs. 25,000/- to Rs. 50,000/- shall be provided by NABH to 5 selected projects which are selected for the program.
- Rs 25,000 shall be awarded for selected publications which have been published in the past two years.
- Rs 50,000 (up to) will be awarded for ongoing or proposed studies where justifiable expenses have been proposed.
- The grant amount to the respective projects will be decided by the NABH Research Committee after submission of the proposal, shortlisting, presentation and virtual interview.



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Process

- Every year advertisements calling for applications will be announced.
- The interested candidates can apply and submit the application form on the provided e-mail address
- The screening of all the applications shall be done by the NABH Research Committee.
- The selected candidates shall be communicated and called for presentation of their proposal and virtual / offline interview.
- The results will be announced on NABH website by 7th September and Grants will be awarded on the World Patient Safety Day i.e. 17th September, every year.

Application

Applications will be accepted until 15th August 2024.

PDF attachments you will be required to upload include the following. Please consider this information carefully and ensure your attachments meet these requirements:

1. Prefix, name, designation, organization, detail address, city, state, pin code, contact number, email id, qualification, date of birth.
2. A current resume or C.V.
3. Title of your proposal
4. Abstract of the project (not more than 1000 words)
5. A personal statement that responds to the following questions. Responses to each question should be at least 150 words; the personal statement should not exceed 500 words total.
 - a. What is the research you propose to conduct/ already conducted? Please
 - i. describe the problems you are trying/ tried to solve;
 - ii. outline the methods which might inform your research; and
 - iii. tell us about the public interest and/or the communities you aim to serve through your work.
6. How does your personal background inform and influence your research?



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Applicants should ensure that their names are included on each page of their application materials.

Interested candidates shall fill the application form and send the required documents to gc@nabh.co before 15th August, 2024. The selected candidates shall be informed and called for presentation of their proposal and virtual interview. The candidates/ projects that are not selected shall not be informed or communicated by NABH.

For more information:

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