

# ICRC VOCATIONAL TRAINING CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

The International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) Physical Rehabilitation Program is opening applications for vocational training program for people with physical disabilities, who have undergone through physical rehabilitation services in one of the ICRC supported Physical rehabilitation center (PRC's).

The purpose of the initiative is to provide skills to persons with physical disabilities to facilitate their formal/self-employment prospects. To that end, a collaboration with the Government Advance Technical Training Center, Hayatabad will be set to facilitate the vocational training opportunities for selected candidates under selected trades.

**LAST DATE TO APPLY: FEBRUARY 29, 2024**

After the selection process, a contract will be signed with participants which will indicate their commitments for a training as per mutual terms and conditions specified by the ICRC and Government Advance Technical Training Center.

## WHAT WILL BE COVERED BY ICRC?

The ICRC will cover tuition and transportation fee as per the mutually agreed terms and conditions. All other costs related to the training shall be responsibility of the applicant.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Participants will be selected as per the criteria given below:

- The minimum and maximum age of participants is 18 and 40 years old respectively.
- Participants above 40 years old might be included, on a case-by-case assessment.
- Participants are men and women with physical disabilities who received rehabilitation services from one of the ICRC supported PRCs and belong to District Peshawar. No discrimination based on gender is made.
- The selection of the participants for the vocational training is subject to the findings of a multi-disciplinary team assessment i.e., Physical ability, willingness, and educational qualification for a desired training.
- The choice of a vocational training program is subjected to socio-cultural context as well as participants interest.
- The choice of the vocational training program is made upon availability and in accordance with the person's expectations in terms of both self and formal employment opportunities.

- For each vocational training program, applicants must fulfil a minimum required criteria specified by TEVTA, such as duration, level of education, gender, attendance, and physical abilities.
- Participants are willing to enrol and complete the program within the given timeframe.
- Priority will be given to applicants who in addition to fulfilling above mentioned criteria, have also socio-economic vulnerability.
- The priority will be given to the persons affected by weapon, mine or other situation of violence.
- The program is open to all nationalities.

People who meet the above eligibility criteria are encouraged to apply to the vocation training program.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Application form and a copy of the instructions for the vocational training is available with the following focal persons at PIPOS and PCP. Interested eligible candidates may contact the focal persons for a hard copy of the application form or in case of any question or assistance required while filling the form.

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- Candidates must submit photocopies of academic certificates as well as computerized national identity card (CNIC)/Identity document with the application.
- Candidates must submit the complete applications to the designated focal persons.
- Deadline to submit a complete application form is February 29, 2024.
- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Only short listed candidates will be contacted for further process.

