

## Vacancy for the Post of Counsellor (Part Time) - Mumbai

<b>Name of Post</b>	Counsellor (Part Time)
<b>Advertisement Number</b>	Tiss-Sukoon/09-2022/02
<b>No. of Posts</b>	01
<b>Location</b>	Mumbai
<b>Last Date of Application</b>	15/11/2022
<b>Remuneration</b>	14,000-16,000 per month

### About TISS

The Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) was established in 1936 and is a deemed university fully funded by the University Grants Commission, Government of India. TISS offers over 50 Master's Degree programmes from its Mumbai, Tuljapur, Guwahati and Hyderabad Campuses. Masters' programmes are offered in a range of socially relevant interdisciplinary areas of Social Work, Social Sciences, Health, Management, Labour Studies and Habitat Studies. TISS is a research university with M.Phil. and Ph. D. programme and basic and applied research in a range of areas. A high degree of freedom and autonomy shape the positive work ethos and creativity in the Institute facilitating strong linkages between education, research, field action and Dissemination.

### About Sukoon

Sukoon is a field action project of the School of Human Ecology at the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, and provides psycho-social services to litigants approaching court settings for matrimonial disputes. Sukoon also conducts primary research with family courts across Maharashtra. The current project provides psychotherapeutic services to individuals and couples in distress and to promote their overall emotional wellbeing. Sukoon is currently operational in 6 centers in Mumbai, 2 centers in Aurangabad and one center each in Ahmednagar and Yavatmal.

Sukoon is inviting applications for the post of Counsellor (part-time). The job profile is as follows:

### Qualifications

The candidate should have completed M.A. in Counselling/Clinical Psychology along with a minimum 2 years' experience of working as a Counsellor. Preference will be given to those candidates who have additional qualifications such as having completed specialized courses in Couples and Family Therapy or demonstrating direct experience of working as a couples/family

therapist. Preference will also be given to candidates who have an experience of working in legal settings. The candidate should have proficiency in English, Hindi and Marathi.

### **Job Responsibilities**

1. This position will entail working with individuals and couples who are currently undergoing matrimonial disputes at courts in Mumbai. The Counsellor will provide individual, couples and family counselling and also be responsible for documentation of the work.
2. The counsellor will be required to travel across different courts in Mumbai.
3. The counsellor will also be responsible for conducting group counselling and/or workshops for the key stakeholders of the court system.
4. The job also entails liaising with the respective Court officials such as Marriage Counsellors and Judges for referrals.
5. Documentation of the work conducted at these centres in the form of reports is expected.

**Duration:** The appointment for the post is for 1 year which can be renewed in the following year. The counsellor (part-time) will work for 2 full days at the Courts. Additionally, the counsellor may also be required to travel to TISS for meetings and training as scheduled.

**Joining Date:** 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2022

Desirous candidates may send their résumé to [sukoon.tiss@gmail.com](mailto:sukoon.tiss@gmail.com) before 15/11/2022 with a subject line “Application for the post of Counsellor - Mumbai”. Shortlisted candidates will be called for an interview.

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