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Applications are invited for constitution of a panel of Counsellors (01 Child Counsellor and 02 General Counsellors) in District Mediation & Conciliation Centre of District Legal Services Authority, Ambala.

Eligibility Criteria : As per norms prescribed by NALSA/HALSA.

Important Instructions:

- The number of posts may increase based on future requirements.
- The engagement shall be purely on contractual basis and may be extended or terminated as per guidelines.
- The application form, duly filled and signed, along with self-attested copies of all relevant documents, must reach the office of the District Legal Services Authority, Ambala latest by 10.09.2026 (before 5:00 PM)
- Applications received after the due date and time shall not be considered.

The detailed notification, eligibility conditions and application format are available on official website of District & Sessions Courts Ambala i.e. <https://ambala.dcourts.gov.in>.

Dated: 12.08.2026


District & Sessions Judge
-cum-Chairperson,
District Legal Services Authority,
Ambala

Terms & Conditions/Qualification for empanelment of Child Counsellor & General Counsellor is as under:

Sr. No	Nomenclature of the post	Qualification and Experience	Age	No. of Counsellors to be engaged	Honorarium
1	Child Counsellor	Master's Degree in Sociology/Social Work/Psychology. (Preference shall be given to law graduates who have requisite experience of working with NGOs and in the field of Child and matrimonial counseling.	Not exceeding the age of 62 years, subject to condition of upper age limit be relaxed by the Competent Authority in case deserving candidate.	01(One)	Rs.2,000/- per sitting (Subject to 30 sitting per month)
2	General Counsellor			02(Two)	

WORK PROFILE OF CHILD COUNSELLOR

The Child Counsellor would do counseling of children and parents in matters of custody including joint custody/shared parenting. The Child Counsellor would assess whether the parents will be able to co-operate and generally agree concerning important decisions affecting the welfare of the child. He/She would also assess whether each of the parents is willing and able to facilitate and encourage a close and continuing relationship between the child and the other parent. The Child Counsellor would also assess whether the parents are able to jointly design and implement a day to day care-plan that fosters stability. The Child Counsellors would also assess the child's existing relationship with each parent, siblings and other persons who may significantly affect the child's welfare. He/She would also do counseling of children in cases/matters affecting the children.

WORK PROFILE OF GENERAL COUNSELLOR

The General Counsellors would do counseling in matrimonial disputes, matters relating to women and children, senior citizens etc. Many complaints are received from senior citizens on accounts of family disputes. The General Counsellors would help couples to understand the source of their conflicts and try to resolve them. They would help address and resolve the issues that couples may not realize are the core of their problems. They would analyze the behavioral patterns of couples and identify those who leads the conflict, in order to get resolved the disputes.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Selection shall be made on the basis of interview/interaction. Knowledge, experience and expertise in relevant field shall be assessed during the course of interview/interaction. The District Authority shall reserve the right to shortlist the applications on the basis of the criteria fixed by the Authority.

HOW TO APPLY

The Candidates are required to submit their application form to the office of Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Ambala. The addresses

of the office of Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Ambala is as under:-

**District Legal Services Authority,
ADR Centre, Near District Courts Complex,
Ambala.**

Helpline : 0171-2532142

Email : dlsaambala2@gmail.com

DOCUMENTATION

The candidates are requested to submit the application form (Annexure A) along with the self attested copies of documents i.e. ID Proof, Proof of Date of Birth, Certificates of Educational Qualification (Matric and above), Experience certificates and other relevant documents relied upon.

AGE

A candidate must not exceed the age of 62 years as on the last date of receipt of application and must be a citizen of India. However, the condition of upper age limit may be relaxed by the competent authority in case of deserving candidate.

LAST DATE TO APPLY

The last date for submission of application is 10.09.2026 till 05.00 PM.

Note: Any application received after the last date shall not be entertained under any circumstances. The office of District Legal Services Authority shall not be responsible for any kind of delay including of postal/courier services.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

1. No TA/DA will be payable to the candidates for appearing in the interaction/interview.
2. All announcements regarding the empanelment process will be made on the official website of the District Judicial Court, Ambala as well as through the office of District Legal Services Authority, Ambala.
3. The candidates are advised to keep on visiting the official website of the District Judicial Court of the District Ambala and also to get in touch with the office of the District Legal Services Authority, Ambala.
4. Offices of the District Legal Services Authority, Ambala shall not be responsible for any kind of lapse on the part of candidate as to missing any information posted by the authority regarding empanelment related announcements.