

# IRCCS ISMETT

is issuing a call for applications for the following fixed-term position:

## 1 Nutritionist (Ref. Nu/22 TD)

ISMETT (Istituto Mediterraneo per i Trapianti e Terapie ad Alta Specializzazione) is a multi-organ transplant center and high-specialty hospital established by means of an international not-for-profit public-private partnership between the Region of Sicily, Ri.MED Foundation, and UPMC (University of Pittsburgh Medical Center), which is responsible for its operational management. The Italian Ministry of Health has acknowledged ISMETT as a government-approved research hospital or Istituto di Ricovero e Cura a Carattere Scientifico (IRCCS) in the area of “End-stage organ failure treatment and research”. IRCCS ISMETT is one of the few Joint Commission International (JCI) accredited hospitals in Italy since 2009, and one of only six Italian hospitals with EMRAM HIMSS Stage 6 certification.

In the scope of the research project “RF-2019-12371145 – Role of nutritional intervention for the treatment of sarcopenia in cirrhotic patients with refractory ascites candidate to transverse hepatic intrahepatic shunt placement and identification of prognostic factors related to clinical outcome”, the Nutritionist will be responsible for drafting nutritional plans and for the according follow-up of patients enrolled in the study. As part of the clinical oncology program, the Nutritionist will also provide dietary and nutritional support to IRCCS ISMETT patients, including assessing the nutritional status, preparing the plan according to clinical guidelines, evaluating outcomes, nutrition training for staff and patients, identifying nutritional risks of patients, and developing interventions based on specific criteria.

Applicants must meet the requisites and preferred qualifications of this call when filing the application and state them in the on line form.

### Requisites:

- Master’s Degree in Biological Sciences or Human Nutrition Sciences or equivalent title under the current laws (applicants are requested to indicate their final mark in the appropriate field of the on line form. In the absence of this information, the application will be considered incomplete).
- Professional license.
- Enrollment in the professional board of Nutritionists provided for by the law.
- At least one year of previous working experience in the role.
- Compliance with mandatory vaccination for the prevention of SARS-CoV-2 infection referred to in art. 4 and 4-ter of Decree 44/2021 (without prejudice to unenforceability of the vaccination obligation resulting from a confirmed risk for personal health due to specific, documented clinical conditions reported by the general practitioner, in compliance with the memorandum issued by the Italian Ministry of Health on exemptions from the vaccine against SARS-CoV-2 obligation, as provided for by art. 4, para. 2, Decree-law 44/2021).

### Preferred qualifications:

- Experience in the field of oncology nutrition.
- PhD in Oncology and/or publications in this area.
- Master’s in Oncology Nutrition.

The ideal candidate has experience in assessing nutritional status, planning customized diets, taking part in and conducting clinical studies in nutrition, and has knowledge of the main IT applications and of written and spoken English.

Strong motivation, flexibility, stress management, problem-solving skills, and good interpersonal and teamwork skills complete the role.

The workplace is **Palermo**.

Only applicants not excluded under the provisions articulated in Legislative decree 165/2001, art. 53, para. 16-ter, and subsequent modifications and amendments can participate in this selection (General Rules Governing the Work of Public Administrations).

Information concerning this selection will be notified to candidates through the official website in the "Work With Us" section ([www.ismett.edu](http://www.ismett.edu)).

The date and location of the tests will be published on the above-mentioned website. Applicants will be expected to access this information from the above-mentioned website.

IRCCS ISMETT reserves its right of discretion to the fullest extent permitted by law in assessing applicants and the eligibility of their applications.

After reading the privacy statement and, if necessary, authorizing the processing of their personal data (EU Regulation UE 2016/679), applicants of both sexes (Law 903/77) are requested to fill out the on line application form available at <http://selezioni.ismett.edu>.

The on line form must be filled out paying particular attention to the requisites and preferred qualifications indicated in this call for application. Filling out the on line application form in an incomplete, approximate, or incorrect manner may lead to considering the applicant not eligible to perform the tests.

When filling out the on line form, applicants will be requested to attach their CV. Applicants will be requested to issue a self-statement regarding their possession of the requisites listed in this call for applications.

IRCCS ISMETT declines any responsibility for non-delivery of communications due incorrect e-mail addresses provided by applicants upon submitting their on line applications.

Applicants shall not include any certified electronic mail addresses in the "Email" field of the on line form, but only email addresses. Failure to include email addresses in this field will result in the inability to deliver communications related to the selection process.

The deadline to submit the applications is **November 3, 2022**.

Please note that only applications submitted on line will be taken into consideration (<https://selezioni.ismett.edu/?lang=en>).

Please note that selection records are confidential documents for internal use only and may not be disclosed.

All applicants commit, at any time during the selection process, and if requested by IRCCS ISMETT, to provide the documentation certifying the stated possession of the requisites within the requested deadline.

Should any preliminary verification show a discrepancy with any statement submitted by an applicant, the latter will be excluded from the selection process, and any negotiation permanently suspended.

IRCCS ISMETT reserves the right to revoke and/or invalid or definitively suspend this selection at any time, with no obligation to notify applicants, and with no right for applicants to raise any right or claim whatsoever.