

DESW Internship Scheme

Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare (DESW)

Ministry of Defence,

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The Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare (DESW) works to ensure the welfare, resettlement, pension and healthcare of retired Indian Armed Forces personnel and their dependents. It has three attached offices: Kendriya Sainik Board (KSB), Directorate General of Resettlement (DGR), and Ex-Servicemen Commission Health Scheme (ECHS).

To provide an opportunity to youth to sensitive themselves about the priorities relating to Ex-Servicemen Welfare, DESW invites application for internship under the above scheme.

The details of the scheme is given below. The candidates are requested to apply online. If you wish to apply [Click here](#) for application.

1. Objective:

To engage Indian Youth as interns to gain firsthand experience and understanding of welfare, healthcare, resettlement, and administrative schemes meant for Ex-Servicemen. The interns will undertake a structured study and submit a report that may contribute to policy or program improvements.

2. Nature of Engagement:

This is a non-remunerative internship offered by the Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare. It is designed to be informative, analytical, and research-oriented in nature.

3. Eligibility Criteria:

- (a) The applicant must be a citizen of India.
- (b) The applicant should be a graduate or postgraduate student from any recognized university or institution in any academic stream.
- (c) A No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the parent institution must be submitted along with the application.

4. Duration of Internship:

Minimum duration: 2 months

Maximum duration: 12 months

Internships are available throughout the year, based on DESW requirements.

5. Scope of Work:

Interns will be assigned specific topics related to:

- (a) Welfare schemes for Ex-Servicemen and their families
- (b) Resettlement and rehabilitation programs
- (c) Healthcare policies for veterans
- (d) Administrative processes and challenges in veteran affairs

Each intern shall submit a comprehensive research report upon completion.

6. Deliverables:

Interns will be expected to:

- (a) Study and analyse the assigned area.
- (b) Submit a well-researched report summarising key observations, best practices, challenges, and recommendations.
- (c) participate in discussions or presentations if required.

7. Completion & Certification:

- (a) Interns shall submit their final report to the designated officer.
- (b) Based on satisfactory performance, DESW will issue a certificate of successful completion.
- (c) DESW may publish selected reports or excerpts, with due credit to the intern.

8. Candidates meeting the above eligibility criteria are required to fill in their details in the Google Form. Once approved for the interview, they are required to submit the hard copy of Resume, Statement of purpose (max 200 words), No Objection Certificate from institution.