



Applications Open for Bharat Life Sciences Award 2026

Six awards to recognise research, innovation, startups, and scientific leadership

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Applications are invited for the **Bharat Life Sciences Award (BLSA) 2026** to recognise excellence in scientific research, innovation, and public health impact across India's life sciences ecosystem. Backed by Rs 7 crore in grant support, the Award is instituted to recognise outstanding **scientists, research institutions, universities, startups, and ecosystem leaders advancing healthcare and life sciences**. This initiative is organised by FICCI with Lilly and supported by the **Office of the Principal Scientific Adviser to the Government of India, Department of Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) & Invest India**.

The Award comprises **six honours across five categories**, covering individual excellence, collaborative innovation, institutional excellence, healthcare and life sciences startups and scientific ecosystem development. While four categories carry grant support, two categories recognise outstanding contributions to innovation and ecosystem building. Applications will be evaluated by an independent jury through a transparent assessment process.

Applications are open from **1 July to 10 August 2026** and **no application fee** is required. Researchers, scientists, public research institutions, universities, private sector innovators can participate. For eligibility details and online applications, visit **www.bharatlifesciencesawards.com**.

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