

Brief Biodata	
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6. Professional Experience:	24 Years and 06 months (08 years as Veterinary Assistant Surgeon in Animal Husbandry Department, Jammu and 16 years and 06 months as Faculty in F.V.Sc.& A.H.,SKUAST-J) as on 09th July, 2022.
7. Awards / Honours / Scholarships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Honors:</u> University Merit Certificate in Doctor of Philosophy ● <u>Awards:</u> Best Poster Award (Ph.D Research Work): H.K. Sharma, S.K. Kotwal, D.K. Singh, M. Singh, Arvind Kumar, Raja Gunalan and A.K. Taku. 2012. Comprehensive seroprevalence study of brucellosis in sheep and goats of Jammu. International Symposium on One Health: Way Forward to Challenges in Food Safety and Zoonoses in 21st Century and XIth Annual Conference of IAVPHS organized by School of Public Health and Zoonoses, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana in Collaboration with: University of Saskatchewan, Canada w.e.f 13th – 14th December, 2012. ● Best Oral Presentation Award: Surender Singh, A.K.Pathak, Muzaffer Khan, R.K.Sharma, A.Rastogi and H.K.Sharma.2013. Impact of Condensed Tannins Fortified Multi Nutrient Block Supplementation on Blood Biochemical Profile and Immune Response in <i>Haemonchus contortus</i> Infected Goats. 2nd National Indian Academy of Veterinary Nutrition and Animal Welfare (IAVNAW) Conference organized by Division of Animal Nutrition, F.V.Sc. & A.H., SKUAST Jammu, India. w.e.f. 19th September to 21st September, 2013.
8. Area of specialization:	Veterinary Public Health and Epidemiology.
9. Research Interests	Zoonoses, Epidemiology, Food Borne Illnesses and Environment Hygiene.
10. Total no. of Publications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Research Papers: 29 2. Full length papers in proceedings: 06 3. Book Chapters: 14 4. Chapters in training/ manuals/compendium:21 5. Abstracts in conferences: 23 6. Popular articles in newspapers/others: 02 7. Practical Manuals for Students edited : 03 8. Training/ manuals/compendiums/Souvenir edited: 03 <p style="text-align: center;">TOTAL PUBLICATIONS: 101</p>

11. Selected Publications	<p>Research Publications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Sharma,H.K.,Kotwal,S.K.,Singh,D.K.,Malik,M.A.,Kumar, A.,Gunalan,R. and Singh,M.2016. Seroprevalence of human brucellosis in and around Jammu, India, using different serological tests. <i>Veterinary World</i>, 9(7): 742-746. 2) Sharma,H.K.,Kotwal,S.K.,Singh,D.K.,Malik,M.A.,Kumar, A., Katoch,R. and Singh,M. 2016. Sero-Prevalence of sheep brucellosis in Jammu. <i>Journal of Pure and Applied Microbiology</i>,10(3):2277-2282. 3) Sharma,H.K.,Das,S.C., Chattopadhyay,U.K., Das,Gunjan., Samanta, I.and Sikdar,A.2005. Occurrence of Mycobacterial infection in human and animals by bacterial culture and Enzyme Linked Immunosorbent Assay. <i>Indian J. Comparative Microbiology, Immunology and Infectious Diseases</i>,26 (2):128-129 4) Gangoliyaa,S.R., Kumar,S., Alam,S.I., Sharma,H.K., Singh,M, Kotwal,S.K., Berric,M.and Kamboj, D.V.2019.First molecular and serological evidence of Coxiella burnetti infection among sheep and goats of Jammu province of India. <i>Microbial Pathogenesis</i>,130: 100 –103. 5) Sheikh,N.,Kumar,S.,Sharma,H.K.,Bhagyawant,S.S.and Thavaselvam,D.2020.Development of a rapid and sensitive colorimetric Loop-Mediated Isothermal Amplification Assay: A novel technology for the detection of Coxiella burnetii from minimally processed clinical samples. <i>Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology</i>, 10:127. doi: 10.3389/fcimb.2020.00127.
12.Student Advisory	<p>Post Graduate students guided/under advisement (As Major Advisor)- 07/03</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Post Graduate students guided/under advisement (As Co-Advisor)- 15/07 ● Under Graduate students under advisement (As Major Advisor)- 06
13.Books / Manuals/ Monographs	<p>Practical Manuals Edited: 03 Books edited: 01</p>
14.Seminars/ Workshops/ Conferences attended	25
15.Extension trainings attended as resource person	15
16. Research Projects as P.I / Nodal Officer.	Externally funded project in collaboration with DRDE,DRDO, Ministry of Defence, Govt. of India: 01

<p>17. Other achievements if any (please specify)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Co-PI in externally funded projects- 02 ● Co-PI in the institutionally funded project-02 ● National Trainings attended (21 days)- 05 ● National Trainings attended (Other than 21 days)- 08 ● International School/Training attended - 03 ● Member of the Extra-curricular/Sports activities in the F.V.Sc. & A.H., R.S.Pura Campus ● Member of the Extra-curricular/Sports activities in the F.V.Sc. & A.H., R.S.Pura Campus ● Incharge , Postgraduate laboratory, VPHE division ● Incharge, Extension activities of the VPHE division. ● Member of Expert group advisory board for intervention in the International project of Public Health Foundation of India, New Delhi. ● Member of the statutory body of the Board of Studies of Faculty of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry, SKUAST-Jammu, R.S.Pura. (Vide Letter No.AUJ/Acad/F- 10/16-17/2482-2536. Dated: 22/7/2016) for a period of two years. ● Reviewer for NAAS rated journals-02 ● External examiner/ paper setter for Post graduate exams, Undergraduate annual board exams as and when invited ● Membership of professional societies / Offices held in professional societies: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Life Member, Indian Association of Vety. Public Health Specialists (IAVPHS) 2. Life Member, Indian Public Health Association (IPHA) 3. Life Member, Indian Association of Public Health Veterinarians, Calcutta, West Bengal (APHV) 4. Life Member, Society for Integrated Development of Agriculture, Veterinary and Ecological Sciences (SIDAVES). 5. Life Member, Indian Society for Sheep & Goat Production & Utilization, Avikanagar, Rajasthan, India (ISSGPU).
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