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EXTERNAL VACANCY

Nurse – Stabilisation Centre (2 Positions)

Concern South Sudan is an international humanitarian NGO working in South Sudan since 1998. It is dedicated to the reduction of suffering and working towards the ultimate elimination of extreme poverty in the world's poorest countries through the provision of health & nutrition, shelter, WASH and livelihood activities in the three States of South Sudan.

Concern South Sudan is looking for suitable candidates to fill the positions of **Nurse – Kuach Stabilization Centre**, our field site in **Northern Liech State**.

Job purpose

The **Nurse- Stabilisation Centre (SC)** is expected to contribute to the broader outcomes of the nutrition team by ensuring that all children with severe acute malnutrition (SAM) and medical complications are correctly and timely admitted to the stabilisation centre and provided care in accordance with South Sudan CMAM Guideline for Inpatient and relevant International protocols and guidelines.

S/he is responsible for the nutritional rehabilitation of admitted children, preventing further deterioration, through the provision of therapeutic feeds, routine and specialised medicine, health and nutrition counselling.

The Nurse- SC is also responsible for ensuring quality of services through capacity building and technical support to the SC Feeding Assistant(s) in the management of complications associated with SAM.

Main Duties & Responsibilities:

SC activities:

- Carry out systematic nutrition and medical screening of all children admitted to the SC-ensuring that comprehensive medical examinations are conducted, vital signs checked, and frequent treatment is provided as per protocols.
- Adhere to current protocols on drug administration, including, but not limited to, antimalarial, antibiotics, and anthelmintic medications.
- Ensure timely therapeutic preparation and administration of appropriate feeds to malnourished children.
- Carry out daily monitoring of each child's nutritional and health status as per protocols.
- Ensure caretakers and beneficiaries seeking services are treated with respect at all times and messages are communicated to them clearly by nutritional staff.
- Ensure that caretakers correctly understand their child's nutritional and health status and offer advice on how they can care for their child to improve his/ her health status.
- Timely refer children for further medical treatment or, when appropriate, transfer children to OTP services.
- Record all medical and nutrition orders in the patient file and register as per guidelines.
- Ensure adequate availability of all drugs and nutritional supplies and ensure stock is pre-positioned as planned.
- Consult and inform Clinical Officer - SC on issues that may affect the smooth operations of the SC.

- Complete all patient records, statistical reports, registers, weekly and monthly reports and supply consumption reports as required.
- Ensure proper handing over of duties within the SC
- Provide on the job training to staff members at nutrition sites in relation to medical and nutrition related checks that need to be carried out at in the SC, including, but not limited to, the WHO 10 Steps for treating a malnourished child with complications.
- Liaise with the community facilitator- TSFP/ OTP to facilitate home visits for defaulter cases.
- Ensure strong coherence with OTP/ TSFP services and provide support to the nutrition team on OTP/ TSFP days.

Concern Code of Conduct and its Associated Policies

Concern has an organisational Code of Conduct (CCoC) with three Associated Policies; the Programme Participant Protection Policy (P4), the Child Safeguarding Policy and the Anti-Trafficking in Persons Policy. These have been developed to ensure the maximum protection of programme participants from exploitation, and to clarify the responsibilities of Concern staff, consultants, visitors to the programme and partner organisation, and the standards of behaviour expected of them. In this context, staff have a responsibility to the organisation to strive for, and maintain, the highest standards in the day-to-day conduct in their workplace in accordance with Concern's core values and mission. Any candidate offered a job with Concern Worldwide will be expected to sign the Concern Staff Code of Conduct and Associated Policies as an appendix to their contract of employment. By signing the Concern Code of Conduct, candidates acknowledge that they have understood the content of both the Concern Code of Conduct and the Associated Policies and agree to conduct themselves in accordance with the provisions of these policies.

Person Specifications:

- Degree or Diploma in clinical medicine/nursing/ public health/nutrition or any relevant qualification
- 3-5 years progressive experience working in an NGO in working in a similar capacity
- Strong verbal and written skills in English and local languages
- Previous experience working in a stabilisation centre an added advantage.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Interested Candidates are requested to submit their Applications, Updated CVs and scan copy of their nationality ID to: **HR Department, Concern Worldwide South Sudan Head Office located at Tongping, Airport Road opposite Ebony Bank or Bentiu Field Office NOT later than 20th October 2018 at 5:00pm or vacancies.juba@concern.net**
2. The position is open only to South Sudanese nationality.
3. Eligible applicants from the duty station will considered in priority.
4. Only Short listed candidates will be contacted.