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**WASH Senior Plumber**

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 a suitable candidate to fill the position **WASH Senior Plumber**. The position holder will be based in Bentiu PoC.

#### Duties & Responsibilities:

##### **Participation in the establishment, repair/rehabilitation of WASH infrastructures**

- Plan and implement installation of new pipelines including excavation of trenches and laying of pipes in all concern operation areas
- Install all necessary fittings including gate valves, water meters, pressure release valves
- Supervise construction of valve chambers, tap stand platforms, stand pipes among other pipeline network infrastructure
- Supervise retrieval and or installation of varied borehole rising mains pipes and submersible pumps during borehole repair or rehabilitation work
- Setup and implement effective water distribution schedules
- Supervise water distribution monitors and gate valve operators to ensure water reaches all beneficiaries as per the agreed schedules
- Lead all pipeline repair works including replacing of leaking pipes, valves, fittings and taps
- Supervise Installation of new storage tanks, plastic tanks and kits including Oxfam T70s, T95s, emergency water supply kits, bladders, onion tanks among other kits
- Respond to all bursts and leakages and conduct repairs in a timely manner
- Monitor daily water distribution and Keep records of any pressure losses and other system related complains by the beneficiaries

##### **Information and reporting**

- Prepare weekly/monthly reports on water distribution status and network performance and repair/upgrade needs
- Support the WASH Engineer/Technician in developing list of plumbing tools and materials required to ensure smooth running of water supply activities in all concern areas of operation.

##### **People Management:**

- Lines manage plumbing team members, contributing to their capacity building and career development through technical support and on-the-job training and coaching, including in particular a thorough induction at the start of their contract.
- Conducts PDRs for staff under direct line management.

**Other:**

- Ensure the highest stands of accountability through ensuring good communication and information sharing within and outside the organisation.
  - Be aware of, understand and comply with all of Concern's policies and procedures (P4, finance, logistics, HR, security management etc).
  - Contribute to ongoing security management and planning as necessary.
  - Actively participate in any emergency response if called upon to do so (within the existing programme area or in a new one)
- Undertake other related duties as may reasonably be assigned by the Country Director or the

WASH Engineer.

**Emergency response**

Concern is committed to responding to emergencies efficiently and effectively in order to help affected people meet their basic needs, alleviate suffering and maintain their dignity. To this end, when emergencies strike and the South Sudan Programme is to respond, all staff are required to actively participate in the response, regardless of location and contribute to the efforts aimed at achieving the humanitarian objective of the organization.

**Desired Qualification**

**Essential**

- At least Degree/Diploma in water and environmental engineering from a recognized college/University.
- At least five years progressive experience working in a water utility or project implementing diverse plumbing works including pipe laying, pressure testing, water distribution scheduling and maintenance of complex water supply pipeline networks.
- Strong communication skills: oral, written and presentation skills.
- Should be a team player and culturally sensitive.
- Able to interpret Engineering drawings and sketches
- Excellent report writing skills.
- Strong leadership, team building, conflict resolution skills
- Extremely flexible, and have the ability to cope with stressful situations.

**Desirable**

- Read and write and speak English
- Speak local dialects
- Serious, honest, rigorous, flexible
- Capacity to improve and learn
- Previous experience with INGO or UN agency
- Training and experience on installation of emergency water supply kits including Oxfam tanks, bladder kits among others
- Previous experience working in large scale surface water treatment plant

**Essential**

- Willing to accept and act on constructive feedback/criticism from others
- Identifies personal objectives and works hard to achieve them
- Self-motivated to develop and promote new ideas to completion

**Desirable**