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**Position:** Nutrition Officer  
**Location:** Juba  
**Reports to:** Nutrition Coordinator  
**Opening date:** 29<sup>th</sup>-November 2017  
**Closing Date:** 15<sup>th</sup>-December 2017

**Who we are**

We're Population Services International (PSI) South Sudan, one of the East African Region's leading non-profit social marketing organization. We work to ensure that people of South Sudan have access to health care products.

There over 9000 "PSI'ers" around the world and 60 plus in South Sudan. We are a diverse group of professionals with wide ranging backgrounds in law, marketing, public health with a mix of non-profit and profit sector experience. Regardless of our background, we bring a common passion and commitment to go beyond the call of duty to serve the people of South Sudan.

PSI began operations in Southern Sudan in January 2005, distributing Long-Lasting Insecticide-Treated Nets (LLIN) through the commercial sector and implementing behavior change communication on HIV/AIDS. Over the years, PSI has continued its presence and expanded operations to include a comprehensive hygiene, sanitation and safe water program.

In 2009, PSI started a Home Management of Malaria (HMM) program for children under five years old. Since then, HMM has evolved into a broader Integrated Community Case Management (ICCM) program with the addition of pneumonia, diarrhea and acute malnutrition interventions.

**Responsibilities**

The role of the Nutrition Officer is to conduct all Nutrition activities and provide support to Nutrition Coordinator and ICCM Program Manager in the program operational areas. He/she will particularly work with the Nutrition Coordinator, and ICCM Program Manager. Support ICCM/Nutrition trainings, workshops at the counties and Community level, but is not limited to:

- Take patients history on admission, conduct clinical/malnutrition examination
- Fill the OTP patients registers record cards, provide overall nutrition programmatic support to the nutrition Coordinator or ICCM program Manager on daily management of Out Patient Therapeutic (OTP) sites and stabilization care unit.
- Screen all patients with malnutrition status admit all malnourish children, provide nutrition care and follow up cases according to the nutrition guidelines and protocols.

- Ensure complete assessment, anthropometric measurement of CMAM/SAM cases in children under five years old.
- Work closely with health facility in-charges, CHD SMOH nutrition department on the establishment of OTP sites in the areas of operation; provide nutrition treatment with supplementation medicines as per the guidelines and protocols.
- Monitor, analyze and Participate in writing weekly, reports to provide Nutrition (CMAM) updates and progress
- Prepare and submit timely progress report on CMAM/SAM activities to relevant Managers
- Supervise and manage Nutrition Community Volunteers (NCVs) to ensure effective and efficient implementation of CMAM/SAM programme in operation areas.
- Represent PSI organization in Country, participating in Nutrition cluster meetings with partners and stake holders and maintain excellent relation with State Ministry of Health Department of Nutrition
- Request nutritional foods and none food items/products and ensure complete accountability of all plumpy nut supplies
- Responsible for the capacity building of department staff on nutrition related topics
- Do any task assigned by the Nutrition Coordinator or Child Survival Program Manager as sees fit.

#### Essential requirements

- He/she Must be a South Sudanese National
- He/she should be Diploma holder in Nutrition & food technology or Certificate in comprehensive Nursing.
- He/she should be fluent in Both English and Arabic.
- He/she should at least have 2 years' experience in working with International NGO in Nutrition related programme.
- He/she should have experience in community mobilization, training facilitation and should have excellent communication skills and the ability to cooperate with others as part of the team.
- He/she should be willing to work independently through line management under supervision
- He/she should have excellent written and verbal communication skills and the ability to cooperate with others as part of the team.

Interested candidates may apply via e-mail: [jobs@psi-southsudan.org](mailto:jobs@psi-southsudan.org) or you can drop hard copy of their CV, cover letter and list of referees to Reception's Desk at PSI South Sudan Juba Office reception.

