

Job advertisement

Midwife / Community Midwife (2) Positions

Job Title: Midwife

Duty Station: Nagero County

Supervisor: Clinical officer in charge

Staff Managed: MCHWs

Main Purpose of Job:

The Midwife is responsible for running the day to day activities of the maternity (EmOC) unit within the Primary Health Care Centre. She will work closely with other clinical staff in the PHCC (Certificate Nurses, Clinical Officer) to ensure quality of care for pregnant women and aim to increase access to EmOC and Neonatal Care services in at the PHCC.

Main Duties:

- Care for pregnant mothers during antenatal, intrapartum and postpartum periods.
- Conduct clean and safe deliveries in the labour ward
- Manage and treat mothers with obstetrical complications as per national protocols.
- Supervise the implementation of safe motherhood activities,
- Treating minor ailments in pregnancy and STIs
- Conducting HIV/AIDS education and awareness campaigns
- Identify training needs and regularly conduct on-Job training for MCHWs on critical skills.
- Organise health education sessions for clients attending the clinic for services
- Supporting and treating clients or patients who are victims of Gender Based Violence
- Supervising all staff working in the RH section i.e. MCHWs
- Take part in the training of HHPs on Maternal and Child Health and carrying out health education in the community
- Ensuring effective record keeping, monitoring and evaluation systems are in place and provide timely and accurate data related to the PHCC in-charge, who will relay the same to the facility Supervisor.
- Ensure vital events registration within the RH department
- In collaboration with local authorities, initiate birth notification registration for all children delivered in-supported facilities.
- Ensuring availability of supplies, equipments and drugs in RH unit and keeping inventory.
- Ensure adherence to protocols and of standard precautions for infection prevention
- Should be able to recognize obstetric emergencies and make timely referrals
- Other duties that would be assigned by the supervisor

Reporting/Communication:

- Responsible for compiling monthly RH activity and submission to the in-charge for review reports in time
- Responsible for accurate record keeping, ordering and accountability of supplies

- Attend PHCC meetings
- Any other duties assigned by supervisor
- Shall take responsibility of the PHCU in the absence of the officer in charge.

Qualifications, Skills and Experience:

Education:

- Certificate or Diploma in Midwifery / Community Midwifery.
- Experience in HIV/AIDS education, PMCT, Counselling; STI management and Clinical Management of Survivors of Sexual Violence are an added advantage.
- Sudanese with qualification from a recognized Health Training School / Institute.
- Experience in rural and health centre will be an added advantage
- Good communication skills.
- Willingness to work in remote and resource-scarce environment.
- Ability to read write to reports in English is an added advantage
- Ability to work with minimal supervision
- Should to a Team player
- Should be able to plan his/her own work on daily/weekly/monthly basis
- Should be able to submit reports on time

Languages:

Fluency in English. Knowledge of local languages i.e. Arabic, Zande, Balanda will be an added advantage.

Applications to reach the CHD of Nagero County Addressed to Mr David Luka and Johanniter office in Nagero No later than 20th, June 2016 or email to florence.lukhumwa@thejohanniter.org

