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| Job title: | Psychosocial Field Officer |
| Reports to: | Branch Director and Technical Coordinator |
| Duty Station | Juba branch |

ORGANIZATIONAL CONTEXT

The SSRC was established by law on 9 March 2012 with the SSRC Society Act, 2012. SSRC was formally recognised by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) on 18 June 2013, making it the 189th National Red Cross or Red Crescent Society in the world. In November 2013 the SSRC was admitted into the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Cross Societies. SSRC's headquarters is based in Juba with a total of sixteen (16) branches – in South Sudan with a growing network of sub branches. There are currently over 250 SSRC staff members across Headquarters and branches and approximately 10,000 volunteers across the country.

The society's work is guided by seven fundamental principles (humanity, impartiality, neutrality, independence, voluntary service, unity and universality) and by Strategy 2020, which voices our collective vision and determination to move forward in tackling the major challenges that confront humanity in the present decade. All our staff **MUST** abide by and work in accordance with the Red Cross and Red Crescent principles.

Summary Job Purpose:

The Psychosocial Field officer will assist the organization at branch level with coordination, training and supervision of psychosocial support services in SSRC branches of Juba, Terekeka and Yei unit including Lainya, Kajo Keji and Morobo counties. . All psychosocial services are to be carried out through the established South Sudan Red Cross structures and have to follow the South Sudan Red Cross

strategy and standards for PSS. The core emphasis of this position is on South Sudan Red Cross corporate responsibility to deliver services to the most vulnerable groups and people with special needs, e.g. IDPs, returnees, OVC, SGBV survivors, the elderly, children, PWDs etc. The main components of the psychosocial support services of SSRC are rehabilitation and capacity building of volunteers.

Duties applicable to all staff

- Work and act in accordance with the Red Cross/Red Crescent fundamental principles and humanitarian values.
- Work towards the achievement of the South Sudan Red Cross goals through effective teamwork.
- Ensure understanding of roles, responsibilities, lateral relationships and accountabilities.
- Perform any other work related duties and responsibilities that may be assigned by the PS Coordinator.

Tasks, duties and responsibilities:

- Contribute to the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of Psychosocial Support activities in SSRC branches of Juba, Terekeka including Yei River state.
- Facilitate mainstreaming PSS at branch level
- Hand in monthly reports to the Branch director with copy to technical PS Coordinator at HQ
- Enhance the capacity of SSRC volunteers to deliver PSS through delivering trainings in collaboration with the PS coordinator.
- Mentor and monitor volunteers.
- Assess PS needs in the field and report the needs to the branch director and PS coordinator.
- Develop monthly plan of action for the psychosocial unit at the branch.
- Develop and maintain accurate records of all activities using the PS Department monitoring tools, including case studies and testimonies.
- Attend MHPSS cluster meetings at Branch level to map and coordinate PS activities with other stakeholders.
- Engage in advocacy activities promoting the SSRC PS services available.
- Facilitate awareness raising activities to enhance visibility of the SSRC PS services and mitigate vulnerability.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree or diploma in Social Works and Social Administration, Art's in social Sciences, Counseling, Psychology, Community Development and Sociology.
- Two Years working experience in related fields.

How to apply:

Interested applicants should submit their Cover letter, CV with 3 references, Copy of National ID and Certificates including day time telephone contact to Human Resources Department. Or by email: vacancy@ssdredcross.org please indicate the title of the position you are applying for in the subject line of your email.

Alternatively, applications can be hand-delivered to South Sudan Red Cross headquarters at plot #4, Block Ministries, Munuki Area – Juba. Please clearly indicate the position you are applying for on the back of your envelop.

You Must arrange your documents in the following sequence if not it will be disqualified.

1. Cover Letter
2. Curriculum Vitae {CV}
3. Copies of Certificates and National ID

Deadline for submission is on 6th February 2019.

Note: Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for the interviews and all the photocopies are not returnable and will remain the property of SSRC.

Female Candidates are encouraged to apply

