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POSITION DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE: PMTCT Midwife

INSTITUTION: Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - ICAP

LOCATION: Yambio State Hospital

DIRECT REPORT: Yambio State Hospital PMTCT Clinic Head

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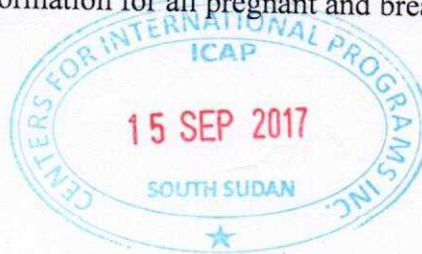
ICAP at Columbia University is an international NGO funded by PEPFAR through CDC. ICAP in South Sudan has partnered with the Ministry of Health-RSS to increase uptake and improve quality of HIV prevention, care and treatment services through technical assistance and capacity building.

OVERALL JOB FUNCTION:

The objective of this position is to improve the quality of PMTCT/EID service delivery in the facility of assignment.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Provide full time clinical assessment, management and care of HIV positive pregnant and breastfeeding women and their families for preventing mother-to-child transmission
2. Provide clinical follow up, assessment and routine care of HIV exposed infants
3. Provide early infant diagnosis services for HIV exposed infants including taking DBS blood samples for DNA PCR tests
4. Provide routine antenatal and postnatal care services to pregnant and breastfeeding women attending the ANC and PMTCT clinics.
5. Ensure all pregnant women presenting at the health facility ANC and PNC are counseled and receive HCT services to identify the HIV positive mothers and exposed infants to be enrolled into HIV care/PMTCT.
6. Support the counselling of all HIV positive mothers to ensure adherence to treatment and retention in care.
7. Provide HIV and AIDS information for all pregnant and breastfeeding women who attend the ANC, PNC and FP.



8. Provide infant and young child feeding counseling to mothers attending ANC and PMTCT clinics
9. Follow up of pregnant and breastfeeding women and HIV exposed infants who missed their clinic appointments
10. Maintain proper updated records of HIV positive pregnant and breastfeeding women and exposed infants in the PMTCT clinic
11. Support the mentor mothers to provide psychosocial, adherence and follow-up support to HIV infected pregnant and breastfeeding mother and their exposed infant.
12. Perform any other duties as may be assigned

Qualifications:

- Qualified midwife with at least one year of practical experience
- Training and clinical experience in PMTCT is an added advantage
- Excellent interpersonal skills and teambuilding skills, and willingness to learn and be corrected.
- Passion to work with, and care for women living with HIV.
- Fluency in written and spoken English and one or two local languages in South Sudan
- **This position is for South Sudanese nationals only and applicants from the area are highly encouraged to apply.**

Note: This is a local hire position and the successful candidate will be an employee of ICAP in South Sudan subject to the local hire terms and conditions of employment which includes a competitive salary and benefits package.

How to apply:

Please forward your resume or CV to icap-jobs-southsudan@columbia.edu. Please indicate you are applying for the “South Sudan – PMTCT Midwife” position in the subject line of your email. Or you can hand delivery your application and CV to ICAP South Sudan office located next to **American Resident** or **Non-Violence** office in Kololo.

Application Deadline is on Friday October 13, 2017

NB: Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted.

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