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Post Title: Reproductive Health Advisor Number of Vacancies: 01 (one)

Duty Station: Juba, South Sudan

Contract length: 6 Months renewable Reports to: Director of Programs

Job Description: Reproductive Health Advisor

Expertise in reproductive health, family planning and/or social/behavior change communications.

The Reproductive Health Advisor will provide overall technical leadership for IMA's reproductive health programs in South Sudan. S/he will implement and oversee reproductive health programs which aim to strengthen the availability and use of family planning, skilled attendance during labor/delivery, and increase uptake of antenatal and postnatal care. The position will be based in Juba, South Sudan with frequent travel to the field.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Manage all aspects of IMA's reproductive health programs including recruitment, supervision and capacity building of all RH staff;
- Develop detailed program implementation and monitoring plans and adapt programs to changing context as needed;
- Develop capacity of the local implementing partners in technical knowledge, skills and program management;
- Conduct site visits regularly to monitor and supervise the program to ensure quality of services, accurate data collection and verify stock levels of pharmaceuticals and supplies;
- Ensure that all donor required activities, indicators and objectives are successfully met within the project timeframe;
- Author program deliverables and assure that they are submitted in a timely manner; Synthesize and disseminate lessons learned, innovations and best practices;
- Work with finance, logistics, HR/admin and security to ensure smooth implementation of project activities;
- Attend coordination meetings and work closely with other partners in RH to help ensure access to the services and avoid duplication of efforts;
- Contribute to new business development including leading technical designs of proposals, and writing concept papers;
- Perform other duties as assigned.

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE & CERTIFICATIONS:

Clinical degree, nurse or midwife preferred, with a Master of Public health or equivalent.

A minimum of five years' experience in public health in developing countries, especially in humanitarian setting.

- Specialization in reproductive health, family planning or maternal and child health
- Five or more years' experience as senior clinical /technical expert and as thought-leader in FP and MCH field.
- Experience managing USG-funded projects in RH/FP and MCH areas in developing countries.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Passion for advancing women's health and women's empowerment and a strong commitment to the mission and future of IMA.
- Deep experience of leading technical designs, quality assurance frameworks and standards and creating effective technical assistance models in FP and MCH.
- Exceptional analytical and problem-solving skills with a strong results-oriented focus.
- Regional level and multi-country experiences are highly-preferred.
- Proven ability working with other technical experts, advisors from the public, private, and NGO sectors
- Strong communication skills: interpersonal, written, presentation and facilitation skills Experience in cultivating strategic partnerships at all levels.
- Demonstrated ability to work in a team environment and to thrive in a fast-paced environment.
- Knowledge of monitoring and evaluation of FP/MCH programs. Demonstrated experience of applying evidence-based approaches to enhance quality and impact of programming.

Contact

Interested candidates who meet the above conditions should forward their CV and covering letter (which should include the contact details for at least two professional references from previous employers to: The Human Resource Office IMA or e-mail jubahr@imaworldhealth.org, or hand delivered to the IMA Juba Office, Numira-Talata, opposite Basketball stadium. Deadline for submission is **Friday May 19th 2017 by 5pm Juba time**.

NB: Applications received later than the deadline will not be short-listed. Only short listed candidates will be contacted. Due to the urgency of this vacancy announcement IMA reserves the right to fill this position prior to the closing date

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