



## The Rescue Initiative

South Sudan

### PEPFAR Community HIV Services Monitoring Activity

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**POSITION- Data Coders (3)**

**DUTY LOCATION: Juba**

**REPORTS TO: Data Analyst**

**DEADLINE: 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2023**

### BACKGROUND

The Rescue Initiative South Sudan (TRI-SS) is a National Non-Governmental Organization that works to alleviate suffering among vulnerable communities in South Sudan. TRI-SS implements integrated health, nutrition, and peace projects in Kajo Keji, Tambura and Nagero counties. We have a long record of working with vulnerable communities in the most remote and hard to reach areas. Over the last 9 years, we have responded to natural and manmade disasters in Kajo Keji, Mundri East, West, Mvolo, Yei, Magwi, Lainya, Morobo, Yirol East, Maridi, Yambio, Tombura, Nagero, Akobo, Panyikang among others. Our approach to emergency response is grounded in the concept of the Triple Nexus (Emergency, Development & Peace). Moreover, our approach draws on evidence generated from the communities we serve, thus ensuring that the people affected and impacted by the problem are part of the solution. TRI-SS ensures that every response is sensitive to the existing beliefs, practices and existing coping mechanisms of the communities we serve.

We have a long record in conducting credible evidence generation assessments including on Ebola, COVID-19, Child protection and Public Health Emergencies.

Our current donors include USAID, ECHO, SSHF and UNICEF. Our most distinguished partners include IMA World Health (USAID Momentum Project), GOAL Global (ECHO Project), Relief International (UNICEF Covid-19 Vaccination Project) and For Africa (UNICEF World Bank Project).



## Activity Description

The PEPFAR Community HIV Services Monitoring Activity model employs the citizen's social science approach. This approach places the people affected and impacted by the problem at the center of the response. It empowers people living with HIV/AIDS to generate data on HIV prevention and treatment and for such communities to use their findings to identify and advocate for solutions that break down barriers to human rights, better health, and higher quality of life. The design has the potential to generate high-quality and credible data considering that the sample population and data collectors are drawn from the citizens (people living with HIV/AIDS).

The project is implemented in 11 counties (Juba, Yei; Torit, Magwi, Kapoeta South, Kapoeta East; Mundri East, Nzara, Yambio; Rumbek Central and Rumbek East) and 22 PEPFAR-supported health facilities (Rumbek State Hospital, Kiir Mayardit Women's Hospital, Pacong Primary Health Care Center (PHCC), Lui County Hospital, Nzara County Hospital, Nzara PHCC, Yambio PHCC, Yambio State Hospital, Nyokuron PHCC, Munuki PHCC, Kator PHCC, Gurei PHCC, Gumbo PHCC, Juba Military Hospital, New Site PHCC, Kapoeta State Hospital, Torit State Hospital, Nimule County Hospital, Juba Teaching Hospital, Al Sabah Children Hospital, Magwi PHCC and Yei Civil Hospital)

## Scope of work

The Data coders will be engaged to offer services of data coding on behalf of the PEPFAR Community HIV Services Monitoring Activity in accordance with the following Terms of Reference. The Data coders must strictly comply with the TRI-SS's ethical policies and procedures, including confidentiality.

## Specific activities to be carried out by the data coders.

The Data coders will perform the following specific tasks and submit the assigned deliverables to the Data Analyst:

1. Prepare interview and data reception/collation schedule in consultation with the Data analyst
2. In consultation with the County Data supervisors, collate data received from the respective counties.
3. In discussion with the community-based data collectors, verify sites (Health Facilities) where the listening sessions/data was conducted as per protocol
4. Facilitate translation of Listening tools/KII and FGD guides, as needed
5. In consultation with the data analyst code data as per protocol
6. Debrief with the Data Analyst and team at predetermined times/phases
7. Participate in developing codes for analysis as per theme of the project objectives, prepare a code book, and share the code book with the Data analyst
8. Participate in qualitative data analysis following the identified themes and using the code book, assisted by Atlas ti, a qualitative software





**To qualify as Data coder, you will have:**

**Education:** A bachelor's degree in social sciences or Public Health. A postgraduate qualification in M&E is an added advantage

**Experience:** Three to five years of professional experience in translation from local languages to English. Excellent team working, Advanced computer literacy, especially with software for qualitative data analysis.

**Language Requirements:** Fluency in both spoken and written English and spoken local Arabic.

**How to apply**

Please submit your hard copies to our head office in Juba located at **Gudele 1 Block 4, Apartment 8, Plot. No. 57. Near Zain outlet Boaba** or you can email your CVs to: [triss.jobs@gmail.com](mailto:triss.jobs@gmail.com) on or before 2<sup>nd</sup>/Feb 2023.

**Because of the urgency of this position, we may recruit before the closing date.**

