

INTERNAL & EXTERNAL JOB OPENING

War Child Holland has been working with Children and communities in Southern/South Sudan for 23 years since 1998, and established a South Sudan Country Office upon independence in 2011. War Child's Child protection, psychosocial support and education activities in South Sudan focus on supporting the resilience of children and those responsible for their care during and after conflict and reinforcing community-based child protection mechanisms aimed at preventing rights violations, with the active and meaningful participation of children. In recent years, War Child has implemented various child protection and education projects which included (a) establishing child friendly and safe learning spaces (b) Supporting youth and families in improving their livelihood and income-generating potential through capacity building activities; (c) increasing access to education, particularly the participation of girls by addressing barriers to education and promoting behavioral change amongst families and communities; and (d) supporting teacher training and development through a tablet-based learning methodology. As of June 2017, War Child's geographical scope includes Greater Upper Nile, Central Equatoria, Eastern Equatoria and Jonglei States.

War Child Holland's programme in South Sudan is anchored on a rights-based and community development approach, War Child Holland utilizes participatory methodologies with the overarching goal of empowering communities and individuals as 'change agents' capitalizing on their own inherent capacity and strength.

Job opening	Partnership Officer for Child Protection Program
Position open for:	South Sudanese Nationals only
Advertisement date:	26 th July 2021
Duty Station:	Juba with frequent travels to different states across the country
Reports to	Programme Implementation Manager
Functional Level	E
# needed	1
Position Status	Non relocatable/relocatable
Duration of contract	12 months with possibility of extension
Start Date	September 2021
Closing date	20 th August, 2021
Position condition	Dependent on approval of funding

General Responsibilities

Provides organizational and technical capacity development support to WCH's partner organizations with a special focus on local partners sub granted to implement community based child protection and psychosocial support projects across the country. Works closely with WCH staff to ensure that they are effectively managing partnerships with the civil society including contracts, budget, reports and capacity development activities. The position holder will work closely with the WCH Partnership Accountant, MEAL Coordinator and WCH Training Team, making sure that all rules and regulations of WCH and of donors are fully complied to and that there is clear coordination with all concerned departments. The post holder will also work closely with coordinators in the field locations and other relevant teams working with partners. The position reports to the Programme Implementation Manager (PIM).

Specific Duties

- Work closely with the MEAL Coordinator in compiling partner reports for further review and with PIM in developing tools and systems for effective partnership management.
- Work closely with the Programme Staff and Partnership Accountant to conduct partner assessments and action plans for organizational development of partners.

- Work closely with the Training Team to ensure coordination of capacity partner strengthening activities.
- Develop an organizational growth tracker to document partner capacity growth under WCH support.
- Conduct partner feedback surveys with WCH partners.
- Work closely with the WCH Partnership Accountant and Programme Staff to ensure WCH partners are meeting donor compliance requirements.
- Under the guidance of of the MEAL Coordinator, perform M&E data quality checks on WCH partner reports.
- Produce and submit reports and updates for the project and as may be required by donors and internal reporting mechanisms.
- Work closely with the Project Coordinators in ensuring that the Projects meet the agreed performance and reporting standards.
- Travel to the field and mentor and coach WCH partners on identified capacity needs with focus on child protection, MEAL and project mangement
- Coordinate with other stakeholders on supporting partners and civil society in South Sudan.
- Perform any related tasks as assigned by Supervisor or designate.



Education Qualifications

- Minimum of Bachelor's degree from a recognized institution in Social Work, Business Management, Development Studies or other related Social Sciences fields.
- Knowledge of community development, child and youth empowerment, participation, child development, child rights
- Wide knowledge of quantitative and qualitative monitoring & evaluation tools and methods

Work Experiences required.

- Minimum 3 years hands-on field experience in a similar role implementing programs in post conflict situations with an (I)NGO
- Experience and knowledge of civil society development and engagement in South Sudan.
- Excellent understanding of donor compliance, accounting and financial reporting
- Strong project management skills and ability to write concise reports and preparing well-reasoned concepts based on analysis of context.
- Strong command of the written English language.

Other Competences /Skills required.

- Strong capacity building, training, coaching and mentoring skills
- Strong analytical skills and able to understand local context and design culturally appropriate and suitable psychosocial support interventions
- Strong problem solving skills and able to quickly identify needs/gaps and work towards solutions
- Strong interpersonal skills and able to work with a diverse group of people
- Strong stress management skills as evidenced by resiliency and ability to work under pressure and meet tight deadlines
- Ability to Multi-Task – the ability to handle multiple tasks and assignments; prioritizes more important tasks while maintaining a good hand on others.
- Teamwork- works cooperatively with others in the organization to achieve the organization's mission, values and goals.
- Fluency in English is a must
- Commitment to Child Safety.

Commitment to the vision and goals of War Child Holland in South Sudan including adherence to the Child Safeguarding and Integrity policy.

NOTE: WCH is deeply committed to the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusiveness. Qualified women and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

How to apply:

Application letters along with an updated CVs with details of three most recent referees, copies of certificates and National ID addressed to the Human Resources Department and be delivered to **War Child Holland Office** in, Juba; @ **NPA Building- First Floor –Across UNICEF Offices**, or sent by **email** to info.ssdco@warchild.nl The position "**Partnership Officer**" must be clearly indicated in your subject line of email or on the envelope.

Please note that any application letter received is not returnable and War Child Holland is not obliged to give feedback / notices to none shortlisted applicants.

War Child Holland-South Sudan values your applications, however, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

