



CARE SOUTH SUDAN

CARE South Sudan is an International NGO working in South Sudan. CARE and its partners work with vulnerable communities to address the underlying causes of poverty and promote peace and development, through its strategic goal to reduce poverty by empowering women, enhancing access to resources and services, and improving governance.

Position:	Senior Project Officer
Department:	Program
Location	Juba
Reports to:	Project Manager
Advert status:	External Advert
Duration	12 months

JOB SUMMARY

CARE International in South Sudan is implementing an integrated food security and nutrition sensitive livelihood project in collaboration with Christian Mission for Development with funding from Aktion Deutschland Hilft (ADH). CARE's work is located in Lekuangle County of Greater Pibor Administrative area (GPAA) focusing on Integrated food security and Nutrition for Resilient communities in Lekuangle County, Greater Pibor Administrative Area.

The Senior Project Officer – will contribute to Increased access to sufficient, safe, and nutritious food for vulnerable households, Improved nutrition knowledge and practices, Strengthened household resilience through sustainable livelihoods. Additionally, the staff will also be responsible for direct field implementation of the ADH project activities. S/he will plan, implement, and monitor project activities related to community mobilization, beneficiary's selection, input distribution, agriculture extension & training, people management, monitoring, evaluation and accountability, representation, liaison and coordination, resource mobilization and program development.



Responsibilities and Tasks:

Increased access to sufficient, safe, and nutritious food for vulnerable households;

- Coordinate implementation of sustainable agricultural production activities.
- Support establishment and strengthening of farmer groups and producer groups.
- Promote climate-smart and nutrition-sensitive agriculture practices.
- Coordinate provision of agricultural inputs, tools and productive assets where applicable.
- Strengthen household food production through kitchen gardens, home gardens and diversified farming systems.
- Facilitate improved post-harvest handling, food preservation and storage practices.
- Promote market linkages to improve household access to food and income.
- Monitor food security indicators and household food consumption outcomes.

Improved nutrition knowledge and practices;

- Coordinate implementation of nutrition-sensitive livelihood activities.
- Promote household dietary diversity through diversified food production.
- Organize nutrition education sessions targeting caregivers, women, youth and community groups.
- Support behavior change communication on healthy diets, infant and young child feeding, food preparation, hygiene and food safety.
- Work closely with health and nutrition partners to integrate nutrition messaging into livelihood activities.
- Strengthening community structures supporting nutrition promotion.
- Monitor adoption of improved nutrition practices.

Strengthened household resilience through sustainable livelihoods ;

- Promote diversified livelihood opportunities for vulnerable households.
- Support establishment and strengthening of Village Savings and Loan Associations (VSLAs) or savings groups.
- Facilitate entrepreneurship development and business skills training.



- Support market-oriented production and value chain development.
- Strengthen financial literacy and household financial management.
- Promote climate resilience, disaster risk reduction, and adaptive livelihood practices.
- Facilitate vocational skills development where appropriate.
- Strengthen household capacity to cope with economic and climate-related shocks.

MEAL & Learning;

- Support baseline, midline, end-line, and routine monitoring activities.
- Ensure accurate collection and verification of project data.
- Maintain beneficiary databases and activity records.
- Prepare high-quality weekly, monthly, quarterly, and donor reports.
- Track progress against indicators and recommend corrective actions.
- Document lessons learned, best practices, and success stories.
- Operationalize CARE's Feedback and accountability mechanisms and collaborate with existing structures

Safeguarding & Compliance:

- Ensure compliance with donor regulations and organizational policies.
- Promote safeguarding, child protection, prevention of sexual exploitation, abuse and harassment (PSEAH), and protection mainstreaming.
- Ensure accountability to affected populations through effective feedback and complaint mechanisms.
- Uphold organizational values, ethics, and code of conduct.
- Comply with CARE security protocols and incident reporting

OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES AS ASSIGNED

Education/Training;

- Bachelor's degree in agriculture, Agribusiness, Rural Development, Food Security, Agricultural Economics, Development Studies, Natural Resource Management, or a related field.
- Master's degree is an added advantage.



Required

- Bachelors in Agronomy, Agriculture, Agricultural Extension, Agri-business or related field.

Experience/Technical Skills

- Minimum of 5 years of progressively responsible experience implementing livelihood, food security, resilience, or agricultural development projects.
- Experience managing donor-funded humanitarian or development programs.
- Experience with community-based livelihoods programming.
- Experience in climate-smart agriculture, market systems, resilience, and nutrition-sensitive programming is highly desirable.
- Experience supervising staff and managing partnerships.

Technical Competence:

- Strong experience in implementing FFBS and FFS programs
- Experience with climate-smart practices, post-harvest management.
- Experience in kitchen gardening and management practices.
- Experience in implementing nutrition sensitive agriculture practices.
- Familiarity with VSLAs/financial literacy and linkages to markets.
- Field mobility and experience working with community structures and authorities.
- Practical agronomy and adult learning facilitation.
- Community mobilization, coaching lead farmers, and inclusive approaches.
- Data collection/quality; basic budgeting and planning; report writing.



HOW TO APPLY

The position will be based in Juba. This position is **ONLY open to South Sudanese Nationals**.
Opening Date **9th, September, 2026** and Closing date CARE South Sudan receiving application will be **28th, September, 2026**.

Applications and CVs should be delivered to: **Care Juba Head Office, 1st floor at Oxfam Building alongside Kess Road, off Airport Road Near Embassy of Japan.**

NB:

- Applications once received are not returnable
- Due to the urgency of the position, applications submitted will be shortlisted on a rolling basis, should there be suitable candidates, and the position may be filled before the deadline for applications.
- Female Candidates are Highly encouraged to Apply.
- Only short-listed candidates will be notified.

Attention!!!

CARE South Sudan has a ZERO TOLERANCE approach to any abuse to, sexual harassment of or exploitation of a vulnerable adult or child by any of our staff, representatives, or partners. CARESS expects all staff to share this commitment through our Safeguarding Policy and our Code of Conduct. They are responsible for ensuring they understand and work within the remit of these policies throughout their time while at CARE.

CARE is an Equal Opportunity Employer, promoting Women and Girls, equity and diversity

