

Action Against Hunger is a non-governmental organization whose aims and mission is to save lives by eliminating hunger, under-nutrition, particularly during and after emergency situations like disasters. Action Against Hunger focuses on nutrition, health and healthcare practices: food security and livelihoods (FSL): water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) and advocacy.

Action Against Hunger USA is currently looking for a qualified South Sudanese National to fill the position of FSL Officer -01 position

Position open date: July 26, 2021

Closing date: August 09, 2021

Expected Start date: September 1, 2021

Contract Duration: 6 Months with Possibility of Extension. Location: Alek Field Office- Warrap State, South Sudan

PURPOSE AND SUMMARY OF THE POSITION

The food security and livelihood officer will implement the SIDA Multi-sectoral project funded by Swedish government. The multi-sectoral project includes nutrition, health, WASH and food security program for one year.

Under the direct supervision of the Head of food security and livelihood. S/he will performs a variety of specialized technical tasks in the field of agronomy; direct project activity implementation including selection of project implementation locations, coordinating provision of agricultural inputs and tools, maintains records of beneficiaries, distributions and s/he will provide overall technical support to project beneficiaries through trainings, experiments, setting demonstrations gardens and developing production methods to improve household food production and income of host communities. The food security officer will ensure integration of food security in to nutrition project by supporting nutrition sites through establishing kitchen/demonstration gardens and support targeted communities.

TASK & RESPONSIBILITIES

Key to the role is overseeing quality and timely implementation of Food Security and Livelihood interventions to ensure continuity of effective service delivery and save lives. The Selected Candidate's Roles and Responsibilities will include but not limited to the following:-

- Oversee the implementation of activities and ensure activities are implemented in a timely manner and meeting the standards.
- Develop plans for the implementation of the FSL project in the assigned Payams and Bomas.
- Oversees the Agriculture & Infrastructure Supervisors, and work closely with M&E Officer to ensure that programme indicators, monitoring formats, databases, data analysis, and reporting are maintained and harmonized.
- Identify community needs, understand the natural resource management challenges and suggest potential solutions appropriate to the programme.

- Through guidance support from FSL head, suggest innovative ideas and appropriate techniques for FSL interventions based on the context.
- Provide standards on job training and guidance on crop/vegetable production management practices, cash for asset implementation and resources management to project assistants, community supervisors/volunteers and field monitors.
- Ensure project plans, reports (activity weekly, monthly, quarterly and annual reports) etc. are prepared and submitted timely.
- Support the M\(\hat{L}\) E in ensuring correct data collected providing regular activity monitoring, follow
 up and provide report on project key issues and any other challenge affecting the project.
- Provide supervision to the project assistance and supporting staffs and ensures technical support provided at field level.
- Work closely with finance to ensure review of project expenditure to avoid under/overspending and with the logistics ensuring all project material, equipment orders are placed, and purchases on time according to procurement plan.
- Represent ACF in sub-cluster meetings in the field level and provided update to the head of FSL and nutrition program manager field based.
- Take active role in all FSL related aspects in case of any emergency, under the guidance of head FSL.
- Ensure active liaison with communities to ensure proper flow of information with respect to ACF's
 role and community's needs.
- To travel and actively participate in implementation of emergency FSL intervention to places assigned by manager.
- Perform any other duty as requested by line managers.
- Head of FSL: functional relationship technical supervision and support exchange of information

Nutrition program manager; hierarchical relationship, reporting lines, support.

Others Programme staff: exchange of information and coordination with FSL team and other programs to maximize the impact of activities.

Local Authorities and Partners: exchange of information, coordination, training.

GENDER EQUALITY COMMITMENTS

- Fostering environment that supports values of women and men's equal access to information.
- Provides an environment where women and men must be promoted based on the performance objectives.
- Respect for beneficiaries, women, men, children (boys & girls) regardless of gender, sex, disability, religion, etc.

Value and respect for all cultures.

Promote and uphold the PSEA policy and procedures.

REPORTING RESPONSIBILITIES

Daily formats and data gathering. Weekly contribution to project APR

Monthly field activity report

- Post Distribution Monitoring and Distribution Reports
- Donor reports

POSITION REQUIREMENTS

QUALIFICATIONS

 Degree/Diploma in agriculture, agri-business, food security and livelihood or technical training in related field subject.

SKILLS & EXPERIENCE Excellent communication skills in English, fluency in a local language is required: Intermediate computer skills (MS Word, Excel, power point, Outlook): Minimum one-year experience in related subject: Experience in community development programming, preferably in food security or livelihoods: Experience in agricultural extension and training: SSENTIAL Experience in developing training materials and facilitating workshops: Experience with participatory fieldwork methodologies, and monitoring and reporting: Excellent knowledge of local area (agricultural practices, seasons, seed varieties, cultural habits, geographic area of assignment - including road and village locations) Knowledge of project implementation: Ability to analyze and synthesize Capacity to manage a team Good organizational skills EFERRED Previous experience with ACF or other organizations (INGOs and NNGOs). Relational qualities, Flexibility, Dynamism, Creativity,

To apply, please! Send your cover letter and CV with three professional References to recruitment-alk@ssd-actionagainsthunger.org copying recruitment@ssd-actionagainsthunger.org specify Nutrition FSL Officer; as the tittle of your email. You can also drop the Hard Copy of your Application Document to our Warrap State Field Office Located in Alek.

The deadline for applications is Monday August 9, 2021 at 4: 30 pm CAT We do appreciate your interest to work with us; However, Only shortlisted Candidates will be contact.

"Any Application sent After the Mentioned Deadline will not be considered"

"This Position is Open to South Sudanese Nationals Only"

"Application sent without the required Documents will be not be considered"

"Qualified Female Candidates are encouraged to apply"

