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NUTRITION COORDINATOR

Based in Aweil, Northern Bahr El Ghazal

Announcement date: 02/11/2022

Closing date: 21/11/2022

Salary Grade: 6

Contract duration: 12 months with good prospects of extension. Three months of probation period.

Welthungerhilfe in South Sudan has been implementing activities in nine locations in the states of Northern Bahr el Ghazal, Greater Equatoria and Unity since 2011, with its programs in humanitarian assistance, rural development, livelihoods, nutrition and food security, and WASH sectors. Currently WHH South Sudan implements 19 projects across South Sudan.

Project background

WHH has received Funding from GIZ for implementation of "Driving Change towards Community-led Management of water Catchment Areas" project (Oct. 2022 – Dec. 2024) which has nutrition-sensitive intervention under the project "Food Security and Management of Natural Resources" implemented by GIZ, funded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ). Under the project, Welthungerhilfe will strengthen capacities of women and men of 2,000 households in Aweil West and Centre Counties of Northern Bahr el Ghazal. To achieve this, WHH will work through strengthening capacities of existing Community Nutrition Volunteers that will roll-out social and behavior change program in the target communities to drive positive impact on nutrition behavior of people living in the target communities. The planned intervention is implemented in close coordination with UNICEF and its partners who run Nutrition Centers in the area, actively seeking for complementarity and synergies with UNICEF's and WFP's ongoing nutrition activities.

Job purpose:

The Nutrition Coordinator provides technical advice and support to the Nutrition Officers and Community Nutrition Volunteers targeted in the project areas. He/She will develop, lead, monitor, and evaluate social and behavior change activities for improved nutrition practices in the targeted households. Further, he/she

will coordinate and network with other stakeholders in the nutrition sector in Northern Bahr el Ghazal, including representatives from line ministries, local administration, donors, civil society organisations and the UN and represent WHH in relevant coordination meetings at county and state level. The Nutrition Coordinator will support the development of quality standards to improve the overall Nutrition programming in Welthungerhilfe. He/She will contribute to the development of projects and reports, provide capacity building for national and international staff, as well as identify and promote best practice for nutrition programming. The Nutrition Coordinator reports to the Head of Project.

Key responsibilities:

- Design appropriate guidelines, training manuals, training plans and SOPs for WHHs nutrition work in Northern Bahr el Ghazal in consultation with the Regional Nutrition Advisor (RNA), Head of Programmes and Heads of Project following the relevant national and international standards by Government of South Sudan, SPHERE, WHO, UNICEF
- Design training curricula, training programs, and training plans under the leadership of the Regional Nutrition Advisor and the Head of Project
 - Provide technical support to the nutrition teams in all project sites, including the evaluation and impact analysis of current projects, and the writing of donor proposals and reports within the required timeframes.
 - In consultation with the Head of Project contribute to the design of appropriate tools to select project participants
 - Carry out regular monitoring visits in conjunction with other sector leads ensuring that project objectives are met within the stated timeframes and in accordance with recognized international standards.
 - Supervise and monitor the development of reporting systems for nutrition data collection (qualitative and quantitative), analysis and follow-up and feedback to relevant staff, donors, partners and other agencies.
 - Develop and maintain relationships with Ministry of Health, UN, NGOs, donors, partners and other stakeholders, with the objective of raising awareness of WHH's work and ensuring good co-operation and partnerships.
 - Represent WHH, as appropriate, at national and sub-national cluster/sector, nutrition cluster/sector, coordination, sector and bilateral meetings, working groups, with national and/or local government departments and any other relevant meetings or events.
 - Ensuring nutrition staffs are well trained and, if necessary, create possibilities for capacity building, mentoring and coaching, within budget constraints.
 - Ensure the nutrition project expenditures are in line with approved budgets, advising on potential under/overspending and recommending appropriate corrective action.

Your profile:

- A Master's Degree in Nutrition, Public Health, Communication with specification in Nutrition/Health
- Minimum of 3 years' experience working as Nutrition Expert or Coordinator
- Be registered as nutritionist or dietician by the registering body of government of South Sudan.
- Sound skills and experience in nutrition-related social and behavior change at community/ group level (MIYCF, basic health, basic WASH, gender, etc). Experience in material development is an added advantage
- Good training and community-level facilitation skills and experience (development, participation, illiterate audience)
- Knowledge of and experience in gender dynamics in the local context of Northern Bahr el Ghazal or wider national context

- Proven ability to train, lead and supervise other staff members to deliver successful projects
- Ability to understand, acknowledge and timely communicate own capacity and performance level and limits
- Experience and ability in qualitative and quantitative data collection methods, data management and analysis (e.g., with MS Excel) and report writing (with MS Word)
- Ability to use Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, MS Outlook applications and other relevant packages (familiarity with MS Teams is an advantage)
- Very good command of English language (written and spoken) and Arabic (spoken) is strongly required. Local Dinka/Jur Jum language is an added advantage
- Commitment to strictly adhere to WHH principles & policies as laid down in its code of conduct and maintain a spirit of cooperation with WHH staff, other NGOs, project partners, local authorities, etc.
- Flexibility and willingness to learn and work in new environments. Experience of working in NBEG is an added advantage
- Ability to work both in a team and independently in remote set up.

Application procedure:

Interested applicants can submit their application (max. four pages) in English, including copies of certificates/ diplomas, national ID, providing names of three referees and a telephone contact.

Applications should be submitted by email to info@imatongemploy.com Subject-line must be "APPLICATION Deputy Head Of Project"

Hard copies may be dropped to the Imatong Employment Solutions office in Hai Kuwait – please contact +211 921 277 383 for directions.

Please note that incomplete applications will be disregarded. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Questions regarding the position can be directed to e-mail: info@imatongemploy.com – please mark the e-mail with "Questions – Deputy Head of Project"

Applications should not reach later than 21st November 2022 at 5:00pm

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. Qualified females are strongly encouraged to apply.

