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**Save the Children**

### **Job Advertisement**

Save the Children is an international non-governmental organization that works for a future of children, their families and communities realize social equity and dignity; have access to their basic physical, emotional and development needs.

SCI is seeking to recruit: -

**Job Title: Nutrition Nurse (2posts)**

**Location: Torit**

**Reports to: Nutrition Officer.**

**Contract Period: 11 Months**

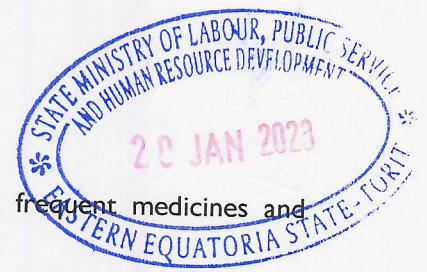
### **ROLE PURPOSE:**

The post holder will be responsible for the day-to-day planning, implementation, monitoring and coordination of the South Sudan Joint Response project activities in Torit in line with the project implementation plans and SCI programme quality benchmarks. The principle objective of the Stabilization Centre (SC) Nurse role is to manage acute malnutrition as part of the basic health services in line with the national and international guidelines. The SC Nurse is responsible for nutrition rehabilitation of the admitted children through treatment of medical complications of Severe Acute Malnutrition and prevention of further deterioration of the nutrition situation through provision of therapeutic feeds, routine and specialized medicines, health and nutrition counselling. The SC Nurse is also responsible for ensuring quality of services through capacity building and technical support to the SC feeding assistants in the management of complications associated with Severe Acute Malnutrition in line with the SC national and international protocols.

### **KEY AREAS OF ACCOUNTABILITY:**

- Carrying out systematic nutrition screening of the children under 5 years admitted in the Stabilization Centre.





- Ensuring comprehensive medical examination, vital signs, frequent medicines and treatment according to the protocols.
- Following and adhering to the current protocols on drug administration i.e. antibiotics, antimalarial, anthelmintic.
- Ensuring timely therapeutic preparation and administering the appropriate feeds and medicines for the malnourished children in the SC.
- Carrying out daily nutritional status monitoring of severely malnourished children as prescribed in the protocol.
- Providing appropriate nutrition counselling and health education to the mothers and caretakers in the SC based on the protocols and guidelines.
- Ensuring adequate availability of all drugs and nutrition supply and ensuring stock is pre-positioned as planned.
- Preparing and updating the medical and nutritional record for ward rounds on a daily basis.
- Convening the ward rounds and updating on patient progress.
- Documenting medical orders and nutrition orders in the patient file and following properly.
- Integrating EPI activities with SC activities by ensuring that children admitted in the SC are up to date with immunization.
- Working closely with the SC feeding assistants and staff at the OTP to ensure all SC protocols are understood and agreed and appropriate referrals take place to and from the OTP.
- Liaising with the community facilitators, home health promoters and community nutrition volunteers to provide effective follow up of default cases.
- Liaising with the pharmacy, store, EPI and MNCH as and when required.

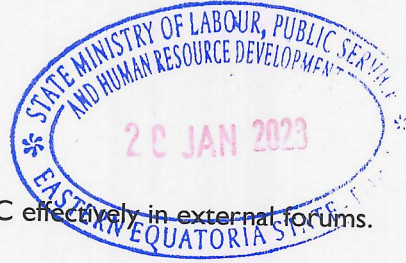
### **General**

- Demonstrate compliance and leadership with Save the Children policies and practice with respect to child safeguarding, code of conduct, health and safety, equal opportunities and other relevant policies and procedures.

### **EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS**

- Diploma in nursing.
  - At least one year of working experience as Nurse Aide.
- Health related certificate.
- Experience in Microsoft applications, i.e Excel, word processing etc
  - Ability to work well under pressure and work to deadline





- Experience of representation and ability to represent SC effectively in external forums.
- Experience of and commitment to working through systems of community participation and accountability
- Excellent communication skills
- Politically and culturally sensitive with qualities of patience, tact and diplomacy
- Excellent written and spoken English
- The capacity and willingness to be extremely flexible and accommodating in difficult and sometimes insecure working circumstances.
- Commitment to the aims and principles of Save the Children.
- South Sudanese Nationals ONLY

### **Desirable**

- Language skills in Arabic
- Experience working for Save the Children and working across organisational structures

### **Essential**

- Problem solving and decision-making skills
- Ability to prioritize tasks
- Able to work to tight deadlines and under pressure
- Strong interpersonal skills, ethical sensitivity and ability to empathise with children, youth and their carers

***Female candidates are highly encouraged to apply***

### **The Organisation**

We employ approximately 25,000 people across the globe and work on the ground in over 100 countries to help children affected by crises, or those that need better healthcare, education and child protection. We also campaign and advocate at the highest levels to realise the right of children and to ensure their voices are heard.

We are working towards three breakthroughs in how the world treats children by 2030:

- No child dies from preventable causes before their 5th birthday
- All children learn from a quality basic education and that,
- Violence against children is no longer tolerated

We know that great people make a great organization, and that our employees play a crucial role in helping us achieve our ambitions for children. We value our people and offer a



meaningful and rewarding career, along with a collaborative and inclusive environment where ambition, creativity, and integrity are highly valued.



**Application Information:**

Please attach a copy of your CV and cover letter with your application, and include details of your current remuneration and salary expectations. A copy of the full role profile can be found at ([SCI Career Site Careers \(oraclecloud.com\)](https://www.oraclecloud.com))

We need to keep children safe so our selection process, which includes rigorous background checks, reflects our commitment to the protection of children from abuse.

All employees are expected to carry out their duties in accordance with our global anti-harassment policy.

**In case you face any difficulty to access the link, please come to Save the Children International head office Juba Hai Malakal or SCI Field Offices for HR support**

**Deadline for submitting applications: 9th, February, 2023.**

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