



**SMILE AGAIN AFRICA
DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION**



Smile Again Africa Development Organization (SAADO) is a national non-profit humanitarian and development organization dedicated to working with the youth and their communities to reach their full potential. Founded in 2011, SAADO works across all the states of South Sudan promoting social cohesion and empowering communities to tackle the causes of poverty and injustice. We provide humanitarian assistance to families affected by disaster & conflict while partnering with communities for long-term solutions to alleviate poverty. Motivated by the potential in the youth, we optimize their role to foster peaceful co-existence and economic empowerment in South Sudan.

SAADO is looking for some qualified persons to fill the position of;

Job Title: Food Security & Livelihood Cluster (FSL C) NNGO Coordinator

Line Manager: Program Director

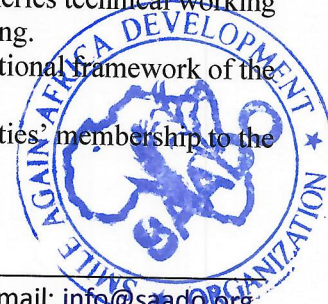
Location: South Sudan (Juba)

Job Summary:

FSL Cluster Coordinator reports to Director of Programs and is responsible to strengthen and support the FS cluster implementation of proportionate, appropriate, and timely response, in strong collaboration with the cluster Coordinator and cluster lead agencies (FAO/WFP)

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Support the FSL Cluster Coordinator to implement the overall seven core functions that define the expected outputs and overall purpose of the Cluster.
2. Co-facilitate meetings of the Cluster (and/or joint meetings with other working groups),
3. 3. Support the cluster coordinator in strengthening the management of the Cluster in an effective manner, action and results-oriented, with decisions clearly communicated to relevant partners and stakeholders.
4. In coordination with the cluster coordination, ensure that meetings are managed in line with the Principles of Partnership.
5. . Facilitate agreement on an efficient division of labour and the assignment of responsibilities amongst members, which takes account of their comparative advantages and complementarities.
6. Responsible to facilitating the work of the Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries technical working groups. Ensure the linkage between working groups and core cluster meeting.
7. In coordination with the cluster coordinator, ensure that the strategic operational framework of the Cluster is updated regularly according to evolving needs;
8. Be responsible for facilitating national and international NGOs civil societies' membership to the cluster.



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9. In coordination with the cluster coordinator, maintain appropriate links and dialogue with Cluster partners and other relevant actors especially the national NGOs and INGOs as well as NGO Forum (SS NGO Forum: nngo-fp@southsudanNGOforum.org;
10. Participate actively in priority setting for meeting agenda and the development of an SSHF cluster strategy, consolidate the FSL prioritized locations in consultation with partners, CLAs and the Coordinator
11. Participate actively in cluster/ inter-agency contingency planning and preparedness, ensuring that the FSL Cluster members are also contributing to response and assessment missions and sharing responsibilities.
12. Support/ promote training of staff and capacity building of FSL Cluster partners based on identified gaps by the technical working groups or by the FSL Cluster.
13. Represent the interests of the Cluster in discussions with partners on priorities, resource mobilization and advocacy in coordination with the cluster coordinator.
14. Link with subnational clusters and forums to support the coordination and response at the field level and bring urgent needs/ issues to the FSL Cluster Secretariat attention and to the Inter Cluster Working Group.
15. Participate actively on development, revision, dissemination and application of technical standard, guidelines, tools and best practices through the Agriculture, Cash & Markets and Livestock & Fisheries Technical Working Groups
16. In liaison with the FSL Coordinator work with the relevant actors to ensure the smooth allocation and management of the allocated South Sudan Humanitarian Fund (SSHF) and the Rapid Response Fund (RRF). Ensure that the SSHF project reports are reviewed regularly as part of the management of the SSHF Grants Management Systems (GMS) in collaboration with members of the SSHF Technical Secretariat.
17. Together with cluster partners, undertake capacity mapping and gap identification exercises to develop a capacity-development strategy for the cluster.
18. Together with cluster partners, identify core advocacy concerns for the cluster and contribute key messages to the broader advocacy initiatives of the HC, the Cluster Lead Agency and other relevant actors.

Qualification

- Master's degree in relevant disciplined Agriculture Science, Rural Development, climate and environment or any relevant social Science discipline.
- Minimum of 8 to 10 years in working in development setting national/International NGOs
- Knowledge of FSL context in South Sudan



Required Competencies:

- Experience and understanding of the mechanisms required for ensuring community resilience methodologies, sustainability and supporting rural communities to establish rural structures such as project management committees and community resilience planning committees in line with national government policies; as well as good grasp of appropriate agriculture smart technologies for achieving behaviour change in climate change.
- Experience in implementation of participatory rural appraisal processes such as Community Based Participatory Planning (CBPP), Hazard, Vulnerability and Capacity Assessments (HVCA) processes.

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- Experience in Monitoring and Evaluation Techniques and project cycle management.
- Experience of collaboratively working with local authorities, partners, NGOs and UN Agencies.
- Experience in implementing a climate change and resilience projects and implementing APFS/FFS/Community Demo Plots and group farming approaches.
- Knowledge of the farmer field school approach and technical skills for crop and vegetable planting and cultivation, pest management and post-harvest crop handling techniques.
- Knowledge of resilience planning processes, including natural resource management and disaster risk management.
- Knowledge of rural micro-finance, particularly in relation to establishment and technical support to VSLAs.
- Excellent computer skills, including Microsoft word, power point and excel.
- Excellent communication skills in English.

HOW TO APPLY FOR THIS JOB:

Interested candidates who meet the above mentioned conditions should submit their application letter and CV to Vacancy@saado.org **Not later than October 20th, 2022.**

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