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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Jhpiego is an International, non-profit health organization affiliated with the Johns Hopkins University. For over 50 years now, Jhpiego has empowered health workers by designing and implementing effective, low cost, hands on solutions to strengthen the delivery of health care services for women and their families. By putting evidence-based health innovations into everyday practice. Empowerment with Jhpiego is subject to availability of funds from donors.

Position Title: Gender/GBV and Service Linkages Officer

Reporting to: DREAMS Activity Manager

Location: Juba, South Sudan

Start date: October 1st 2022

Job Summary

The Gender/GBV and Service Linkages Officer(GSLO) will work with the DREAMS and OVC Activity Managers to ensure that beneficiaries are efficiently and effectively linked to friendly services provided through the Determined, Resilient, Empowered, AIDS-Free, Mentored and Safe (DREAMS) and Orphans and Vulnerable Children(OVC) Core package of services. The GSLO will work with DREAMS and OVC Managers to provide supervision and direction for GBV activities ensuring that GBV survivors access safe post-GBV services. The GSLO will collaborate with relevant stakeholders to deliver client centered services at community level, where possible and create linkages with other service providers. S/he will coordinate the efficient delivery of social protection, PrEP, reproductive health and post-GBV services.

Programmatic

- Oversee the establishment of GBV prevention and response activities under the ACHIEVE project in the context of HIV and AIDS
- 2. Develop, implements, monitors and documents the DREAMS program service layering and linkage strategy;
- Establish networks and partnerships with UN agencies, NGOs, and community
 partners to create a functional GBV referral pathway and ensure survivors access safe
 and confidential GBV case management and psychosocial support services.
- 4. Develop service provision standard operating procedures and tools;
- Develop a service delivery system that puts adolescent girls and young women (AGYW) and Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC) at the centre of service delivery while observing service provision standards and protocols;

 Build capacity, mentor and support case workers, DREAMS supervisors, racilitators and ambassadors to deliver timely and efficient services to beneficiaries;

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- 7. Analyze data and produce weekly performance dashboards to inform program management
- Provide technical guidance, mentorship, and field support supervision to ensure GBV ethical compliance with LIVES (World Health Organization's (WHO) approach for firstline support)
- 9. Develop mechanisms for information dissemination and awareness raising to improve knowledge on GBV and available services
- 10. Develop, conduct, and supervise trainings on key LIVES, GBV tools, case management and GBV resources for partners, community members and service providers to ensure GBV programming meets best practices
- 11. Provide ongoing leadership to the project Community Volunteers and oversee implementation, coordination of activity plans to ensure targets are met
- 12. Maintains records and statistics as required, ensuring accurate statistics are supplied within required time frames;
- 13. Assists in training of Out of School Club Facilitators in basic Counselling and first line response mechanisms;

Interagency coordination

- 1. Coordinate with GBV and protection cluster and represent Jhpiego at all times
- Creates partnerships and builds synergies with strategic service providers including Ministry of Health, private providers and local authorities to make DREAMS and OVC Services are available to targeted groups at community and health facility level;
- Develop and maintain effective working relationship with all stakeholders- including relevant line Ministries, community leaders, NGOs, UN agencies, CBOs, to enhance multi-agency and multi-sectoral collaboration
- 4. Ensure timely feedback from meetings and follow up on action points agreed upon
- 5. Liaise with other GBV agencies to plan and provide joint trainings, support development of GBV strategy, work plan and undertake relevant advocacy.

Required Qualifications

- 1. Degree in gender studies, health, social work, humanities and other related fields
- 2. Professional experience in complex settings
- At least 3 years of relevant experience implementing GBV prevention programming and response for adolescents' girls and young women and children in the context of HIV and AIDS
- 4. Experience in setting up working Community systems and ability to work under pressure with minimal or no supervision
- 5. Community training experience especially with low literate beneficiaries
- 6. Culturally sensitive and responsive
- 7. Effective written and oral communication skills; Initiative and the ability to anticipate situations, create opportunities or avoid problems;

8. Demonstrated skills in the effective management of resources

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- 9. Demonstrated teamwork and networking abilities;
- 10. Computer literacy;
- 11. Proficiency in Juba Arabic a distinct added advantage

Note: This position is open to South Sudanese nationals only and female applicants are encouraged to apply.

How to apply:

Interested candidates who meet the above criteria should submit their application, updated CV, and copies of academic certificates with at least a list of three referees, active telephone contacts and emails addresses.

Applications can be submitted e-mail address: <u>SS-HRApplications@jhpiego.org</u> and with cc to: <u>Noel.Batali@jhpiego.org</u> and <u>Peter.Mawora@jhpiego.org</u>

OR

Applications can be hand delivered and to be submitted at the reception and addressed to:

Program & Administration Officer,

Jhpiego, South Sudan-Juba,

Goshen House Complex Kololo Ministry-Airport Road.

Applicant should clearly indicate the position s/he is applying for on the subject line.

Deadline for submission is on Monday, September 16th, 2022 at 5:00 PM (CAT)

No application(s) will be submitted beyond the deadline or it will not be considered and please note that only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and please submit copies as the documents submitted are non-returnable.

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