



CARE South Sudan is an International NGO working in South Sudan. CARE and its partners work with vulnerable communities to address the underlying causes of poverty and promote peace and development, through its strategic goal to reduce poverty by empowering women, enhancing access to resources and services, and improving governance.

Position:	Reproductive Health Officer
Department:	Health and Nutrition
Location:	Wau (1 position)
Reports to:	Health Manager
Provides supervision to:	N/A

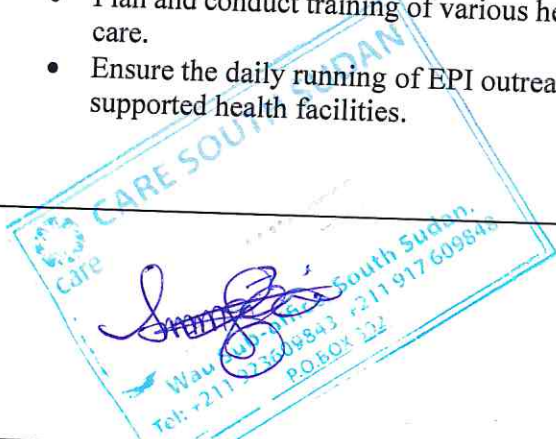
Purpose of the position:

The Reproductive Health Officer will be responsible for the day-to-day activities of Health facilities in the County, under direct supervision of the Health Manager working with the County Health Department (CHD) for the Health pooled fund project in target locations. He/She will participate in the provision of preventive and curative health services for women, children, and men, ensuring international and South Sudan Ministry of Health Standards and protocols always adhered to; and ensuring quality services delivery in communities.

The Reproductive health officer will provide technical support to the health facilities staff, CHD, BHWs, and other health events like immunization campaigns, supportive supervision, capacity-building, and on-job training to health cadres in the county.

Responsibilities and Tasks

- Provide technical support to health facilities staff through capacity building and on-job training, mentoring, and coaching to adhere to recommended MOH guidelines.
- Coordinate with County Health Department and other partners who support health care activities in the county.
- Provide technical assistance to CHD and health facility staff on sexual and reproductive clinical protocols, guidelines and training packages in priority areas, including family planning, safe-motherhood, adolescent sexual and reproductive health, reproductive health morbidities,
- STIs/HIV and health response to gender-based violence.
- Plan and conduct training of various health cadres to increase capacity and quality of care.
- Ensure the daily running of EPI outreach and primary health care activities in all the supported health facilities.



- Participate in the development of micro-plans and budgeting for health campaigns.
- Ensure sensitization through community mobilization and BHI on demand creation and health services utilization in the facilities.
- Support in monitoring activities at the health facilities in the county through QSC, QoC and other tools that will be provided.
- As required, support the CHD and CARE officers to:
 - Identify training needs of health service providers on RH.
 - Assess expansion and strengthening of SRH services in health facilities.
 - Identify areas for improvements to the RH service delivery and suggest ideas for strengthening the system in the supported health facilities.
- Provision of working and reporting tools to health facilities staff.
- Engage community leaders to support their catchment health facilities when needed.
- Represent Care in health cluster meetings on request.
- Technically support the CHD during last mile distribution of consignment to supported health facilities.
- Submit timely weekly and monthly reports.
- Do any other business assigned by the health manager.

Qualifications (Know-How)

- Bachelor/Diploma in clinical medicines and public health, Nursing, and/or midwifery

Education/Training

- Ability to validate and interpret health data.
- Demonstrated ability to support and build staff capacity.
- CEmONC/BEmONC/SRHR training will be more advantageous.
- Ability to work independently and as a collaborative team member, Fluency in English.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Ability to live in a high insecurity environment.
- Excellent computer skills: MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Email, Outlook, and the Internet

Competencies Required:

- Strong ability to support and build the capacity of the health facilities team and strengthening of health systems (building the capacity of and working with local government counterparts)
- Experience supervising a multi-national staff in a complex, insecure emergency setting.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Excellent experience in holistic planning and monitoring.
- Excellent interpersonal skills and demonstrated ability to interact professionally with culturally and linguistically diverse group of people.
- Excellent writing skills, especially in the preparation of official documents and reports
- Good organizational and planning skills with attention to details
- Experience in providing support to partners and in particular senior Government Officials



- Experience in working within tight budget.
- Ability to live and work under pressure in an unstable security environment and ability to handle multitasking.
- Additional qualities: ability to multitask, ability to handle pressure well, ability to improvise, flexibility, cultural and environmental sensitivity.
- Competent in DHIS2 is an asset.
- Excellent computer skills: MS Word, Excel, Power-point, Outlook, and Internet.

Attention!!!

CARE South Sudan has a zero-tolerance approach to any abuse to, sexual harassment of or exploitation of a vulnerable adult or child by any of our staff, representatives, or partners. CARESS expects all staff to share this commitment through our Safeguarding Policy and our Code of Conduct. They are responsible for ensuring they understand and work within the remit of these policies throughout their time while at CARE.

HOW TO APPLY

The position will be based in **Wau**. This position is **ONLY** open to South Sudanese Nationals. Opening Date **2nd May 2023** and Closing date CARE South Sudan for receiving application will be **12th May 2023**. Applications will be review on rolling basis and recruitment can be done before the dateline.

Applications and CVs should be delivered to: Hand delivery to **CARE Wau Field Office**

CARE is an Equal Opportunity Employer, promoting gender, equity and diversity, and women candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.

