



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Title:	Nutrition Nurse
Number of Post	One (1)
Band /Level /Grade:	8B1
Department:	Health
Location:	Pamir
Overtime Eligible:	N/A
Contract Status	Fixed Regular (National)
Date of Issue:	Monday, 26 th June 2023



BACKGROUND/IRC SUMMARY:

IRC began working in South Sudan in 1989. South Sudan declared independence in July 2011 following decades of brutal civil war rooted in disputes over religion, ethnicity, resources, governance, and self-determination. The security situation remains fragile and testing operational challenges abound. IRC-South Sudan operates a country office in Juba, field offices in Lakes, Unity, Northern Bahr El Ghazal and Eastern Equatoria as part of the greater former 10 states. The government of South Sudan has since created new states totalling to 28. Currently, IRC South Sudan implements programs in primary health care, community case management, environmental health, women's protection and empowerment, protection and access to justice and livelihoods.

SUMMARY OF THE JOB:

The Nutrition Nurse is responsible to deliver basic nursing and nutrition care in the children ward / Stabilization Centre.

MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Under the supervision of the Senior Nutrition Officer, the roles and responsibilities of the Nutrition Nurse includes the following:

1. Receiving children admitted in SC and reviewing child's medical condition and nutrition status (life-saving procedures anthropometry, medical history, physical examination, appetite test),
2. Conduct daily SC routine activities such as taking of anthropometry measurement, giving of feeds, sensory and emotional support, medical history taking, physical examination.
3. Administers the treatment of SAM cases with medical complications.
4. Proper daily intensive care monitoring by timely monitoring of danger signs such as Pulse, Respiratory and the temperature and take appropriate measure.
5. Laisse with the EPI team to make sure all children in SC are vaccinated and their status is up to date.
6. Prepared and spearhead the dissemination of Health and nutrition message.
7. Identify and organise one on one counselling with mothers/caregivers who have challenges in health and Nutrition practices.
8. Conduct the discharges of all the children SC who are meeting the criteria and Referral to OTP for proper management.



9. Identify the follow up / home visit cases and submit to the Community Nutrition Worker for further action.
10. Referral to tertiary level in case of non-response to treatment,
11. Proper record keeping and of all the SC monitoring tools such as (site tally sheets, Register book, CCP, weekly, monthly reporting etc)
12. Take full responsibility and accountable of all SC supplies and equipment's.
13. Take any other tasks assigned by the supervisor.

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- **Education:** Should have completed medical training (CHW/nursing training) with a nursing/CHW certificate or diploma a recognized nursing school – qualified nurse with Sudan certificates. Alternatively, S.4 Certificate with 2 years' experience in Nursing.
- **Work Experience:** Preferably 2years of work experience as Nutrition Nurse. post nursing training experience. Experience in working in an in-patient nutrition programme – Stabilization Centre.
- **Demonstrated Skills and Experience:** Good spoken and writing of concise reports in English. Should be able to work under minimal supervision. Computer literacy, word, excel and PowerPoint processing. Able to work under difficult situations.
- **Language Skills:** Fluency in English required. Good working knowledge in Arabic would be an added advantage.
- **Working Environment:** it is 100% remote villages.

KEY WORKING RELATIONSHIPS

- **Reports to:** Senior Nutrition Officer
- **Directly supervises:** Community Nutrition Workers, Nutrition Outreach Workers
- **Internal/External contacts:** Clinicians, Lab Staffs, Pharmacy Staffs, Senior M&E Staffs, Nutrition Section Staffs, Operations staffs. Senior Health & Nutrition Manager, Deputy Health Manager.

STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT: The IRC and IRC workers must adhere to the values and principles outlined in IRC Way Standards for Professional Conduct. These are Integrity, Service, Accountability and Equality. In accordance with these values, the IRC operates and enforces policies on Beneficiary Protection from Exploitation and Abuse, Child Safeguarding, Anti Workplace Harassment, Fiscal Integrity, and Anti-Retaliation the IRC operates and enforces policies on Beneficiary Protection from Exploitation and Abuse, Child Safeguarding, Anti Workplace Harassment, Fiscal Integrity, and Anti-Retaliation.

SAFEGUARDING POLICY: The IRC has a zero-tolerance policy for safeguarding violations by staff, incentive workers, visitors, sub-grantees, suppliers/sub-contractors, and implementing partners. Safeguarding at the IRC is an integral to the organizational values and ethics, and staff and associates are expected to take all reasonable steps to prevent the sexual exploitation, abuse, and harassment of any person linked to the program by both its employees and any downstream partner. The successful candidate will be subject to a thorough background check and satisfactory references.



NARROWING THE GENDER GAP: The International Rescue Committee is committed to narrowing the gender gap in leadership positions. We offer benefits that provide an enabling environment for women to participate in our workforce including a flexible hour (when possible), maternity leave, transportation support, and gender-sensitive security protocols.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER: IRC is an Equal Opportunity Employer. IRC considers all applicants based on merit without regard to race, sex, colour, national origin, religion, *gender,* age, marital status, veteran status, disability, or any other characteristic protected by applicable laws.

The position is strictly for **SOUTH SUDANESE NATIONAL WITH NATIONALITY CERTIFICATE.**

How to Apply: Interested applicants should submit a **CV with 3 references** (Please indicate referee telephone number and email address) and a copy of academic and training certificate, a copy of **National ID** and **day time telephone contact** address it to the **Human resources Department**, IRC South Sudan and you can delivered your Application to **IRC Field Office in Jamjang or Head office in Juba Goshen House**, or you can e-mail your applications to **SS-HR@Rescue.org**. Deadline for submission **Thursday 13th July 2023** before **5:00PM** Central African Time.

NOTE: Only short-listed candidates will be contacted and attach photocopies only while original will be asked at the interview panel and all the photocopies will remain the property of IRC. Any candidate who may wish to do job solicitation to win favour whether directly or indirectly will automatically lead to disqualification of one's application once detected at any stage of the process. Applications will be screened on rolling basis due to the urgency of the position.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CLEARLY INDICATE THE POSITION YOU ARE APPLYING FOR ON THE ENVELOP (Hand Delivery)/SUBJECT Email)

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