



Vacancy Announcement

Job Title: Mobile team Clinical Officer.
NO of positions: 01
Band/Level/Grade: 8A
Department: HEAL
Location: Nyal
Overtime Eligible: N/A
Status: Relocatable
Date of Issue: 1st Feb 2021

BACKGROUND:

The International Rescue Committee (IRC) responds to the world's worst humanitarian crises and helps people to survive and rebuild their lives. Founded in 1933 at the request of Albert Einstein, the IRC offers lifesaving care and life-changing assistance to refugees forced to flee from war or disaster. At work today in over 40 countries and 22 U.S. cities, we restore safety, dignity and hope to millions who are uprooted and struggling to endure.

JOB SUMMARY:

The Clinical Officer is responsible for providing direct consultation to patients attending the Mobile health services on daily basis and the overall management of the mobile team to improve quality of healthcare services in Panyijiar. She/he will be involved in training, supervising and assisting local staff to ensure that best health practices are observed, especially Universal precautions on infectious diseases. She/he will work in constant collaboration with the IRC Health officers, Deputy Health Manager and nutrition team.

Major Responsibilities:

- Conduct daily consultation for Patient attending mobile services according to MoH and WHO guidelines;
- ✓ History taking,
- ✓ Correct physical examination,
- ✓ Requesting laboratory tests if necessary,
- ✓ Document clearly the signs and symptoms, diagnosis and treatment on patient health card.
- ✓ Prescribe medicine rationally according to correct case definitions and as per standard MoH treatment protocols and guidelines.
- ✓ Explain to the patient his/her diagnosis and treatment plan.
- Admit patients temporarily for observation during treatment
- Identify and refer all malnourished children with or without medical conditions to the stabilization center or OTP/SFP for therapeutic feeding and support the management of those admitted to the stabilization center.
- Be available for calls anytime to attend to newly received patients at the mobile sites
- Supervises all the mobile team staff
- Ensure availability of essential drugs at the mobile sites
- Train Community Health Workers on case management of basic illnesses to enhance their ability to diagnose and manage basic health conditions.
- Explain to patient how to use the drugs prescribed during the consultation.

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- Compile daily morbidity and mortality data during the day and transfer data to the CHD Surveillance officer after consultation.
- Participate in disease surveillance team meetings and emergency preparedness and response activities.
- Organize and supervise health education activities at the mobile sites' activities and report after education process.
- In addition to the above listed responsibilities the Clinical officer/Medical assistant will also be responsible for any other duty deemed necessary by the Health Officer/Deputy Health Manager

Other activities:

- Give individual health education related to the patient's disease during consultations.
- Refer all the patients with diarrhea to ORT corner and supervise the process of rehydration.
- Supervise screening for children less than 5 yrs for EPI/ measles vaccination status and refer those who need vaccinations to the immunization sites.
- Refer all children under 5 years for MUAC screening to Growth Monitoring section

Compliance:

Ensure any violations of the IRC Sexual Abuse and Exploitation Code of Conduct are reported to the Country Director.

The reporting of violations is an obligation on the part of all staff members.

Assist where necessary in undertaking activities that aim to prevent the occurrence of sexual abuse and exploitation of beneficiaries by IRC and other humanitarian workers.

Play a key role in planning and rolling out training of and adherence to MRP in coordination with the MRP focal team/person within the country program

Professional Standards

The IRC and IRC workers must adhere to the values and principles outlined in IRC Way - Standards for Professional Conduct. These are Integrity, Service, and Accountability. 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.

Key Working Relationships:

Position Reports to: Deputy Health manager

Position directly supervises: Nurses, CHWs, IPC Assistant, EPI vaccinators, Cleaners and guards

Other Internal and/or external contacts:

Nutrition Officers, Health Officers, Senior Health Manager and Senior Field Manager

Job Qualifications:

Education: South Sudanese with Diploma in Clinical Medicine and Community Health from a recognized Institution

- **Work Experience:** Preferably working Experience of over 3 years in rural health center/health post

Demonstrated Skills and Competencies:

Remains productive when under pressure

Demonstrates a systematic and efficient approach to work

Works collaboratively with team members to achieve results

Should be able to plan his/her work daily

Should be able to write a report in English

Should be computer literate (Microsoft word and excel).

Ability to work in a remote area

Should be a team player

Should have good communication skills

Fluency in English

Working Environment: 100% remote villages

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Gender Equality: IRC 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 parental leave, gender-sensitive security protocols and other supportive benefits and allowances

Equal Opportunity Employer: IRC is an Equal Opportunity Employer. IRC considers all applicants on the basis of merit without regard to race, sex, color, national origin, religion, sexual orientation, age, marital status, veteran status, disability or any other characteristic protected by applicable law.

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 Nyal Field Officer or Head Office-located in Goshen House 2nd Floor or you can email your applications to SS-HR@rescue.org. **Deadline for submission is 9th Feb 2021 by 5:00pm.**

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.

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