

Job Title	Project Manager (Health Project - 01 Position)
Job Location	Juba – (With frequent travels to field locations – Lainya, Yei River & Morobo Counties) of Central Equatoria State
Reporting to	Head of Programmes 50.01 43 0 MAY 2014
Expected start Date	1st July 2024
Advert starts on	30 th May 2024
Advert closes on	19 th June 2014

INTRODUCTION:

ACROSS, an International Christian organisation serving South Sudan since 1972 has a well-established presence in many parts of the country and even other areas in East Africa (Kenya & Uganda). Its long-standing presence, credibility, relationships and committed staff are some of its most valuable assets. ACROSS strives to provide both development and humanitarian support (including emergency/relief, rehabilitation and development work) to local communities, internally displaced persons, refugees and other vulnerable communities to enable them to realize their purpose and value as human beings. The work of ACROSS is guided by its Statement of Faith, Vision, Mission and Core Values.

With its mission of 'Transforming Communities in South Sudan and beyond through a Christ-centered holistic Approach', ACROSS is inviting applications from academically qualified South Sudanese with extensive knowledge, experience and demonstratable skills in managing health Project (GAVI/REACH) for a position of Project Manager.

Main Job Purpose:

Under the direct supervision of the Head of Programmes, the Project Manager (Gavi/REACH Project) will perform administrative and program support functions including reviewing and approval of logistics, procurement& financial documentations for the health activities and supervision & training of ACROSS health staff and incentive workers/volunteers working under the Gavi/REACH project in Lainya, Yei and Morobo Counties. The incumbent will also provide technical support function in the ACROSS health sector.

JOB FUNCTIONS (Roles & Responsibilities):

- Conduct and support quality immunization service delivery through various strategies of fixed, outreach, mobile, PIRI, etc. with focus on ZIP communities.
- Support implementation of protocols and guidelines for demand creation and community engagement, and provide on job training and coaching to health facility staff.



- support development of health facility microplanning in coordination with county EPI department and local actors at the community level.
- Map cross-border and nomadic/ pastoral movement points within REACH locations to identify strategic areas to inform tailored vaccinations services among these high-risk populations.
- Support quarterly data review meetings, and tailor strategies to improve data quality.
- Plan and conduct regular meetings with community gatekeepers and persons of influence and advocate for zero dose children.
- Conduct regular supportive supervision and support enhancement of capacity building, continues medical education, coaching and on job training.
- Plan and implementation of community health programs.
- Coordinate logistics support for last mile vaccine distribution, cold chain equipment installation, cold chain equipment repair.
- Collect, compile and submit routine reports monthly, quarterly, midyear and annual reports.
- Participate in relevant national, regional and subnational level immunization planning meetings to articulate REACH inputs.
- Participate in monitoring and evaluation of health services.
- Carry out service delivery assessment and quality assurance in the facility to ensure quality services are provided to clients.
- Supervise and appraise staff reporting to this position.
- Implements infection control protocols in the facility and ensures Health workers are working under safe environment.
- Ensuring all the infrastructure, equipment and instruments is in working condition; and any faults are reported identified and repaired.
- Respond programmatically to special healthcare interventions for emergencies and disease outbreaks as measles within the catchment's areas
- Maintain excellent relations and communications with ACROSS staff, partners and clients as well as the local authorities.
- Undertake any other tasks assigned by ACROSS Leadership Team (ALT).

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

a) Education:

- Bachelor's degree in Medicine or surgery from a recognized institution (a must).
- Trainings in public health, child health or Healthcare management with focus in EPI is desirable.

b) Work Experience:

Minimum of 2-3 years, work experience with NGO/UN agencies in the health sector.

EPI knowledge and experience is an added advantage.





PERSONAL SPECIFICATIONS:

SKILLS & ABILITIES/ATTRIBUTES REQUIRED:

- Committed Christian believer with a heart to serve the disadvantaged communities.
- Accuracy, attention to detail and ability to detect inconstancies and accuracies.
- Ability to work quickly and accurately, follow operational and programme procedures.
- Hardworking and able to work under pressure on short deadlines with minimum supervision.
- Demonstrate integrity, excellence, stewardship and collaborative abilities.
- Computer literacy, especially in MS Word, Excel, Power Point and Outlook internet.
- Ability to operate independently in harsh environment for extended periods.
- Excellent interpersonal skills, including ability to operate effectively within and outside ACROSS organizational boundaries; ability to establish and maintain effective partnerships and working relations in a multi-cultural, multi-ethnic environment with sensitivity and respect for diversity.

This is a <u>Managerial position</u>, <u>requiring managerial competence</u> and <u>experience</u>. If you believe you are the one, we are looking for, please quickly send us soft copies (in word) of your latest/updated Curriculum Vitae (CV), copies of only relevant Academic documents, South Sudan Nationality Certificate or Passport, cover Letter and <u>a Personal written Christian Testimony</u> by email to <u>recruitment@across-ssd.org</u> as <u>one document with a clear subject heading of the job</u>.

Important to Note: ACROSS has a zero-tolerance approach to conduct such as fraud, sexual exploitation and abuse, sexual harassment, abuse of authority and discrimination, corruption and bribery. All selected candidates will be expected to abide and adhere to ACROSS' standards of conduct and will therefore undergo background and reference checks through a number of means. Selected candidates will also be required to provide additional information as part of the verification exercise. Misrepresentation of information provided during the recruitment process may lead to disqualification.

- Applications without a <u>strong and clear personal written Christian Testimony</u> (Not letter from the church) <u>will not be considered</u>.
- This position is open <u>only to qualified and experienced South Sudanese nationals</u> <u>with managerial capacity.</u>
- Only shortlisted applicants will be reached for further engagements.

Application documents once received are NOT Returnable.



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