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VACCANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Title: Nutrition Assistant (National Position).

Number of Positions: 06

Start date: ASAP

Duty stations: Liriva, Lokiliri and Aru Junction

Date line for Application: 24th July 2020. (Due to urgency, applications will be reviewed daily).

Background

Action for Recovery and Transformation (ART) is a national non-governmental organization that operates in Juba County of Central Equatoria Sate and Torit County of Eastern Equatoria State. ART has been responding with the Nutrition intervention in Juba County since 2015. With support from UNICEF and WFP, ART is implementing OTP and TSFP respectively in 19 nutrition sites (Seven payams of Juba County) targeting children 6-59 months, pregnant and lactating women. ART is looking for a competent South Sudanese national to fill up the vacant positions of Nutrition Assistants.

Position Overview

This position will be responsible for implementing the nutrition behavior change activities.

Specific Objectives

- · Directly implement the activities defined in the program in close collaboration with the nutrition nurse.
- · Facilitate community mobilization, sensitization meetings and trainings during community led nutrition activities.
- · Mobilize mothers to form groups and encourage them to select the treasurers and secretaries of the groups.
- Work closely within community structures to follow up on implementation of Infant Young Child Feeding (IYCF) activities with support from the nutrition nurse.
- · Create awareness and sensitize the community on optimal IYCF practices, malnutrition, and the causes of malnutrition and treatment of malnutrition.

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- Participate in screening of children less than five years, referral and follow up of malnourished beneficiaries at community level.
- Implement sensitization activities for targeted communities about IYCF with support from MOH, community leaders and other key stakeholders
- Coordinate all activities very closely and in collaboration with MOH and other key stakeholders.
- Facilitate good working relationship between ART and target beneficiaries.
- Ensure timely submission of weekly reports, monthly reports and MUAC screening data & reports to nutrition nurse for compilation.
- In collaboration with the nutrition nurse and nutrition officer develop success stories, lessons learnt and case studies.

Job Requirements

• Application letters, cover letters, academic documents, updated CVs and a copy of National certificate.

Qualifications:

Diploma in Nutrition, Public health, or related field.

Minimum years of experience

At least 3 years of experience working in the same field with a recognized organization.

Essential Skills and Experience:

- Professional, good organizational capacity, good human relationships, motivated, open, creative, mature, responsible, flexible and, culturally sensitive.
- 3 year relevant work experience.
- Experience in the Nutrition and social approach IYCF a plus.
- Willing and able to be based and travel regularly within remote areas, where services are limited.
- · Fluency in English and simple Arabic.
- · Commitment to ART mission, values and policy.
- · Good team spirit.



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Preferred Skills and Experience:

- · Previous experience with nutrition and health programming.
- · Good knowledge of the intervention area/s.
- · Previous humanitarian and community programming experience.

How to Apply.

Interested and qualified candidates should submit their application letters, cover letters, academic documents, updated CVs and a copy of national certificate by email to dsamuel@artsouthsudan.org and or by hand delivery to ART office in Munuki Suk Melisia opposite the Jehovah Witness church along Munuki Payam Street.

We do appreciate your interest to work with us. However, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

· Qualified women and men are encouraged to apply.