

JOB ADVERTISEMENT

POSITION: FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOODS (FSL) OFFICER

LOCATION: MAYENDIT COUNTY

Job summary (Job Description)

The *Food Security and Livelihood Project Officer* will work with the Food Security and Livelihood assistant to ensure distribution of emergency food and livelihood inputs as well as leading the implementation of other project activities in Mayendit County. The project officer is responsible for planning, budgeting, and implementation of FSL activities in the county. The officer will report directly to the M&E and Project Coordination Manager.

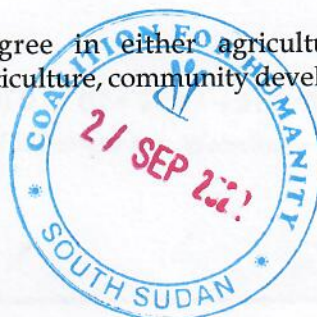
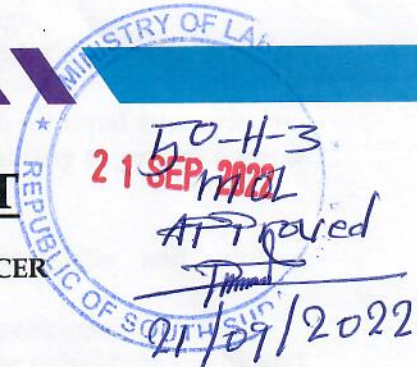
Duties and Responsibilities

- Take lead in planning, budgeting and implementation of Food Security and Livelihood activities in Mayendit County
- Identification, registration and verification of the targeted beneficiaries in accordance with the vulnerability criteria set by the emergency livelihood response project in collaboration with the field enumerators and mobilizers.
- Provide inputs to preparation of high-level project implementation reports in accordance to the donor reporting guidelines and timelines.
- Coordinate with the logistics team to put in place farm input supply request and ensure accountability during distribution
- Training of beneficiary household on best practices to increase crop production, fish production and vegetable production among the targeted vulnerable populations.
- Training of farmers in climate resilient agriculture, seed preparation and seed production
- Prepare monthly plans, project reports, distribution reports and post distribution monitoring reports.
- Supervise extension workers, project assistants and community volunteers (Enumerators, crowd controllers, local guards, splitters) to ensure smooth implementation of the project activities according to the approved work plan and budgets
- Contribute effectively to building positive working relationships with key partners for integration of intervention and local government authorities in the project location.
- Actively engage the project beneficiaries through active consultation and participation to promote accountability and ownership of the project benefits.

Person Specification

a) Education

- Bachelor's Degree in either agriculture, agronomy, crop husbandry, animal husbandry, horticulture, community development, rural development or other related field.



- Professional certification in nutrition, agronomy or any related subject.

b) Experience

- A minimum of 2 years' post-qualification professional experience working in FSL. Prior FAO, SSHF project experience is an added advantage.
- Experience in community mobilization and stakeholder's engagement to promote active participation.
- Ability to work as a team member or independently with minimal supervision
- Excellent communication skills (written and oral) with ability to produce good written reports

c) Core Competencies

- Good communication skills, including active listening skills and written communication.
- Excellent knowledge of food distribution and humanitarian principles
- Excellent knowledge of the negative impacts of conflict on the individual, family and communities, with respect to housing, land and property.
- Good oral and written communication skills
- Exceptional professionalism and interpersonal skills and an ability to work with team members and stakeholders.
- Ability to represent the organization and its objectives in highly professional manner.
- Proven knowledge and experience in community mobilization

d) Behavioral Competencies

- Flexibility in approach and an ability to adapt to varying demands and work hours
- Ability to identify problems and resolve them
- Ability to work with minimal supervision
- Proficiency in working on MS Office
- Ability to exercise sound judgment and to remain flexible to a changing environment
- Ability to work well with a cross-cultural team
- Familiarity with international humanitarian operations, coordination structures, and the mandates of donors, UN agencies, and other NGOs.

NB. The job duties and responsibilities as set out above are not exhaustive and the post holder may be required to carry out additional duties within reasonableness of their level of skills and experience. **Interested South Sudanese candidates are invited to submit their application letter and a detailed CV to the CH offices in Juba and Leer or online to jobs@ch-ssd.org. Deadline for receiving application is 12th October 2022.**

Female applicants are encouraged to apply.



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