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Job Summary

Position: Field Supervisor (1 post)

Project Leader / Study Coordinator Reports To:

Work Station: Dar es Salaam

September 23rd 2021 **Apply By:**

Institute Overview

Ifakara Health Institute (IHI) is a leading research organization in Africa with a strong track record in developing, testing and validating innovations for health. Driven by a core strategic mandate for research, training and services, the Institute's work now spans a wide spectrum, covering biomedical and ecological sciences, intervention studies, health-systems research and policy translation.

Position Summary

Ifakara is looking for a qualified and experienced **Field Supervisor** to fill a vacant position in the ANTICOV project. The Supervisor will perform field supervision at areas surrounding the reginal referral hospitals of Amana, Mwananyamala or Temeke in Dar es Salaam.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Supervise field dispensers and to ensure they perform their work per protocol and per SOPs.
- Conduct follow up of participants in the community to assess their wellbeing after administration of Investigational product.
- Document accurately and completely the follow up of participants.
- Responsible for guiding participants through the consenting process and study procedures and consent study participants.
- Ensure enrolled participants return to the health facility for scheduled follow-up visits and follow up with participants who do not return.
- Ensure study participants are reimbursed as per the protocol requirement.
- Work closely with Study Administrator to ensure the field requirements are ordered, purchased and received on time.
- Work closely with the Transport Unit to ensure availability and maintenance of cars and motorcycles.
- Communicate with the Study Coordinator/ Project Leader on any issues/concerns from the field.
- Attend study field briefs and share progress of work with the rest of the team.
- Work closely with the study clinicians at the health facilities.
- Must be flexible to work during weekends / public holidays.
- Be responsible for the study supplies and equipment's while in the field.
- Communicate with other study staff regularly at scheduled meeting and active participation in all meeting.
- Adhere to the ICH Guidelines of Good Clinical Practice (GCP) guidelines at all times during the study.
- Assist in processing and maintaining documents and scheduling appointment.

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Perform any other duties assigned by the supervisor.

Qualification and Experience

- Ordinary or Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education (Form Four or Six graduates)
- Having worked in a research environment.

Skills and Competencies

- Good English and Swahili, both spoken and written.
- Must be able to write brief reports and keep records.
- Must be computer literate.
- Must be a team player.
- Good interpersonal skills.
- Hard working.
- Ability to ride a motorcycle will be added advantage.
- Adhere to Ifakara core values (transparency, accountability, respect, integrity and initiative).

Remuneration

An attractive and competitive remuneration package will be offered to successful candidates as per IHI salary scales.

Equal Opportunity

IHI is an equal opportunity employer. We prohibit intentional biases or discrimination and harassment of any kind at the work place and during recruitment. All employment decisions are based solely on job requirements and individual qualifications, and our recruitment process is governed by the labour laws of Tanzania.

Mode of Application

All candidates who meet the above job requirements should send their application letters together with their detailed curriculum vitae (CVs) showing contact addresses including email, telephone/cell phone numbers and copies of academic and professional certificates to the email address below.

The **deadline** for this application is **17:00hrs on Thursday September 23rd 2021.** All e-mail application subject lines should include: **FIELD SUPERVISOR – ANTICOV. Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted for interview.**

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