

Vacancy Announcement

LABORATORY TECHNICIAN

SIGN OF HOPE is the worldwide humanitarian relief service that plans, operates, and support programmes in more than 20 countries in the world. One of the main tasks is to carry out emergency relief worldwide as well as to link relief, rehabilitation and development measures.

In South Sudan, SIGN OF HOPE is running comprehensive and basic health care programmes in close cooperation with local partners (GoSS, Dioceses). A strong focus is laid on building the capacity of local health staff as well as improving the knowledge and self-help capacity of the communities.

The goal of the Sudan mission is to address humanitarian and health crises within southern Sudan while increasing capacity of local structures to deliver effective and quality health care services.

Job Location Rumbek, South Sudan

Job Title Laboratory Technician

Start of duty 1st April- 2012

SUMMARY OF RESPONSIBILITIES

- Carry out laboratory tests and produce report results, when requested by the Clinical Officer through a requisition form
- Maintain effective record keeping, data collection ,provide timely and accurate statistical data related information to the Clinical Officer
- 3. To produce monthly inventory of reagents and lab equipment and consumables.
- 4. Ensure safe disposal of sharps and waste from his department

- 5. Report all suspected cases of epidemics.
- 6. Participates in immunization programs
- 7. Supervision of Junior lab technicians and cleaners
- 8. Participate actively in any convened department meetings
- Temporary replace Clinical Officer, when he is on R&R, in the nutrition program and day to day running of the Health Centre.
- 10. Participate in local nurse training courses

Required

- Diploma in Medical Laboratory Technology
- · Working experience in South Sudan and in post-conflict settings
- · Prepared to work and live with limited resources and under difficult circumstances
- · Experience in working with different cultures and different backgrounds
- · Able to work under pressure / physical and mental strength
- Fluent in verbal and written English
- · Previous international experience, preference will be given to those with South Sudan experience

Conditions:

- Duration of contract: 6 months (extendable)
- Salary according to qualification and experience
- South Sudanese National ONLY

Please send your e-mail application (CV, letter of motivation) within 1 March-2012 to:

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Please note that only shortlisted candidates are contacted.

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