



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Date of issue: 6th January 2016
Deadline for application: 14th January 2016
Job Title: Advocacy Manager (NCDs)
Duty Station/Mission: Nairobi, Kenya/ MSF Belgium
Duration: Fixed term contract, extendable

Médecins Sans Frontières Belgium is looking to fill the position of an Advocacy Manager, Non Communicable Diseases (NCDs), based in Nairobi County. The successful candidate will be under the direct supervision of the Head of Mission with technical support from the Medical Coordinator.

Objective of the Position:

- Develop, analyse and regularly update the Non-Communicable Disease (NCD) advocacy strategy, plans/ activities and follow up on its implementation.

Tasks & Responsibilities:

S/he will perform the following main tasks, among others:-

- Develop and regularly update the NCD advocacy strategy and plan.
- Identify key advocacy points that are most likely to succeed and benefit those in highest need of quality NCD care.
- Create a multi-level advocacy NCD strategy that targets key NCD policy makers to increase commitment for improved NCD care/ access.
- Do a stakeholder analysis and build a network among relevant actors, policy makers and donor agencies.
- Design and produce NCD information material based on the MSF guidelines highlighting the main NCD advocacy points.
- Create a benchmark tool to set goals for measuring strategic achievements and outcomes as per advocacy strategy and plan.
- Follow-up on the NCD advocacy strategy implementation and analyse the impact.
- Create increased community awareness about issues related to NCDs and services provided by MSF.

Qualifications & Requirements:

Education: Degree in communications/ journalism/ anthropology/ social/ political sciences, law, gender studies (or similar) with first-rate writing skills and excellent research / analytical skills.

Experience: Humanitarian advocacy experience in similar contexts (Health, resource-poor environments, marginalized populations) in MSF/ INGO.

Skills/ Competences: diplomacy, culturally sensitive, patience; proactive, attentive to details, organized; computer literate (database design/ analysis, MS package, and internet-based research).

Strengths required: analytical capacities, autonomous, flexible and a good team-player.

Language: Proficiency in written and oral English & Swahili.

Candidates meeting the above qualifications are requested to **ONLY** submit a motivation letter and an updated Curriculum Vitae mentioning on the envelop/ email subject line, "Advocacy Manager-NCDs", to:

The HR/ Admin Coordinator
Médecins Sans Frontières Belgium
P.O. Box 38897-00623, Nairobi
Email: msfocb-kenya-recruitment@msf.org

Applications must be received by the deadline. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.
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