USAID BORESHA JAMII

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JOB RE- ADVERTISEMENT

USAID BORESHA JAMII is a five-year (2021-2025) project implemented by Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology (JOOUST) as its Prime with PATH Kenya and SCORE Kenya as its Sub Awardees in Kakamega, Kisumu, Vihiga and Nyamira counties, with funding from the United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) through the United States Agency for International Devolvement (USAID).

The aim of the Program is to provide interlinked activities to achieve the Kenya Health Partnerships for Quality Services (KHPQS) goal and objectives, building on USAID's investment in HIV service delivery and supporting the Ministry of Health in achieving journey to self-reliance (J2SR) in Cluster 5 Counties of Western Kenya Region. The focus is to increase use of Quality County led health and social services in the following programmatic areas; HIV care and treatment, Family Planning, Reproductive Health, Maternal, Neonatal, Child and Adolescent Health and Nutrition (FP/RHMNCAH), Water and Sanitation (WASH), and mitigating social determinants that affect Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC), Key and Priority Population (KP/PP) and Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision (VMMC).

USAID Boresha Jamii Program (UBJ) is seeking to recruit qualified, dedicated and competent individuals to fill the following vacant position within the Program: -

POSITION: PREVENTION OFFICERS

JOB GRADE: GRADE 11

COUNTY: KISUMU & KAKAMEGA (I POSITION EACH)

REF NO: UBJ/PO/1/2022

JOB PROFILE:

Reporting to the Program Lead -Key Populations; the incumbent among others be responsible for the following but not limited to:

1. Liaising with technical leads to ensure that related systems are in place to support prevention interventions and to coordinate among others, Key Population, Priority Populations (fisherfolk, truckers et al as it may be deemed necessary) and VMMC (in the case of Kisumu County County

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- 2. Participate in co-creation, work-planning, budgeting, co-implementation and co-monitoring.
- 3. Cohort Programming along the Continuum of HIV Prevention, Care & Treatment under the 95:95:95 paradigm.
- 4. Play a key role in achieving PEPFAR's current emphasis on 95:95:95 HIV implementation paradigm monitored through HIV case identification, linkage, treatment and viral-tracking.
- 5. Build capacity of HCWs to deliver quality VMMC services within the community and Provide continuous VMMC skills mentorship.
- Conduct activities that ensure compliance by HCWs to VMMC National policies, guidelines, quality standards and regulations;
- 7. Provide VMMC procedures while monitoring, addressing and reporting adverse events;
- 8. Preventing occurrence of severe adverse events and ability to manage any adverse events should they occur;
- 9. Developing Standard Operating Procedures to conform with WHO and National Guidelines;
- Participate in VMMC stakeholders and Technical Working Group Meetings at county and National levels;
- 11. Spearhead Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) and Continuous Quality Assurance (CQI) activities within the county.
- 12. In collaboration with County Department of Health, strengthen the delivery of quality VMMC services at facility and community levels.
- 13. Procure and manage VMMC commodities including pharmaceuticals;
- 14. Prepare and submit timely reports.
- 15. Carry out other programmatic duties assigned to you from time to time by the immediate supervisor.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:

- 1. Bachelor Degree in Social Sciences or its equivalent from a recognized institution.
- 2. Registered with relevant professional body with a valid practicing license.
- 3. At least 5 years hands-on experience in the delivery of VMCC, KP, Fisher-folk and Truckers interventions implemented by PEPFAR/USAID funded projects is a MUST.
- 4. Proven experience of at least 5 years working with key populations particularly Female Sex Workers (FSWs), MSM, Trans-Gender and PWIDs will be an added advantage.
- 5. Proven HTS Knowledge and practice will be an added advantage.
- 6. Experience in collaborating with County/National Governments and NASCOP is desirable.
- 7. Experience in leading a Clinical team and take part in Cohort Programming along the Continuum of HIV Prevention, Care & Treatment under the 95:95:95 paradigm is desirable.
- 8. Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- 9. Strong interpersonal skills as well as good judgment and vision.
- 10. Excellent organizational skills, teamwork and ability to prioritize tasks in a timely manner.
- 11. Sound coordination skills and a demonstrated ability to multi-task.
- 12. Strong critical thinking and creative problem-solving skills with demonstrated ability to work with and in teams.

Terms of Service

The successful candidates will be employed on an initial **one (I)-year** contract term with a possibility of renewal with a competitive remuneration package subject to availability of funds and need for the service.

How to apply

Candidates who satisfy the requirement stated above and interested, should forward their application in soft copy only including an up to date curriculum vitae, details of current remuneration, Specify preferred county, attach certified copies of academic and professional certificates, and testimonials as well anames and contacts (including postal and email addresses, and daytime telephone numbers) of three referees to reach us on or before Monday, I4th February, 2022 at I7:00PM Nairobi Time to the below email address:

recruitment@boreshajamii.or.ke
and a copy to vc@iooust.ac.ke

Additionally, please note that:

After the interview, the successful Candidate will be expected to submit the following as part of meeting the requirements of Chapter 6 of the 2010 Constitution of Kenya:

- 1. Valid Certificate of Good Conduct from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations,
- 2. Loanee Compliance Certificate to confirm if a candidate is up to date with the loan repayment. Non- Loanee Compliance Certificate for those who have never benefited from HELB Loan.
- 3. Tax Compliance Certificate from KRA
- 4. Clearance from Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission
- 5. A Clearance Certificate from an approved Credit Reference Bureau CRB.

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