

Myanmar Health Assistant Association (MHAA) Vacancy Announcement VA-119/20-MHAA-HR

Project Title	: Community participation toward Universal Access to TB/MDR TB (CpA-TB) Project
Position Title	: Psychiatrist
No: of Position	: (1) Post
Department	:
Duty Station	: National Tuberculosis Program (NTP-Yangon (Branch))
Report To	: Senior TB Consultant
Grade	:
Project Duration	: Dec 2020 (may be extendable)
Application Deadline	: 4.11.2020 (As Soon As Possible)

Organization background

Myanmar Health Assistant Association (MHAA) is a national association of public health professionals striving towards accessible and equitable quality public health services through health promotion, prevention, and control of diseases. MHAA will stand as a united, independent organization earning public trust and international recognition. MHAA implements health programs in Myanmar, which focuses on strengthening and improving access to coordinated, effective and comprehensive health care services for the well-being of the communities. MHAA is currently operating various projects with the program area of Disease control, RMNCH, Nutrition, WASH, HSS and Emergency response across the 76 townships in Myanmar. MHAA's headquarter is located in Yangon and branch offices are distributed in all levels-State/Region, district, and township levels throughout Myanmar. Core Values of MHAA are Accountability, Respect on human dignity, Empathy, Non-discrimination, Integrity, Professionalism. See more about the MHAA on website: www.myanmarhaa.org.

Project Summary

With the support of ACCESS to Health Fund, MHAA implement "CpA-TB project" in 14 townships of Yangon to be served the activities of community based active case finding on drug sensitive TB patients, evening DOT provision on drug resistant TB patients and also provide MDR-TB care in Decentralized sites in Yangon.

<u>Project Goal</u>

To reduce the burden of drug sensitive TB by conducting active case finding and providing DOTS supervision by volunteer and that of drug resistant TB by serving MDR-TB care at DC sites in Yangon.

<u>Project Objectives</u>

- 1. To mobilize and empower communities to prevent and reduce the burden of tuberculosis
- 2. To promote access to early diagnosis and prompt treatment for Tuberculosis
- 3. To sustain and improve the quality of DOTS services to reach all TB patients and thereby to improve the treatment success rate among all TB detected patients
- 4. To support the treatment success of MDR TB patients while ensuring infection control and prevention of Tuberculosis

Position Summary

To conduct series of clinical consultation and counseling sessions to identify magnitude of MDR-TB patients who require interventions and a way of appropriate psychological / psychiatric service delivery by TB program under the supervision and guidance of **Senior Consultant (TB) NTP Central (Yangon Branch).**

Duties and Responsibilities

- To interview health care workers and TB patients to identify their need on counseling and psychological / psychiatric supports.
- To conduct series of clinical consultation and counseling sessions to identify magnitude of patients who require interventions and a way of appropriate psychological / psychiatric service delivery by TB program.
- To provide a series of lectures and feedback to health workers who directly see patients to develop their capacity to identify problem.
- To develop a proposal to state essential and ideal needs of psychological / psychiatric support to MDR-TB patients in Yangon to develop a concrete HR plan.
- Perform any other duties as required and assigned by NTP.

Skills and Requirements:

- University degree and relevant combination of academic qualification. (MBBS).
- Experience in similar field will be preferred.
- Flexible, Dynamic, initiative, energetic, enthusiastic person.
- Good communication and interpersonal Skills.
- Ability to perform his/her job responsibilities, independently
- ♦ Ability to work systematically, accurately and under pressure.

Personal Qualifications:

Flexibility - ability to work with multi-disciplinary and multi-cultural people, open-minded, ability to listen and diplomacy.

Strong interpersonal and organizational skills and address conflicts as necessary.

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- Respect and regard Myanmar Health Assistant Association (MHAA) Policy.
- Follow the HR rules and regulations of MHAA.

Application Instruction

Candidates should submit their application including Curriculum Vitae, Application Letter in One Attach file (Only Word File or PDF File) Myanmar Health Assistant Association at hr.recruitment@myanmarhaa.org quoting "Psychiatrist VA-119/2020 MHAA-HR" referring clearly to the Vacancy Announcement Number and Location as advertised in the subject line. The deadline for submission of application is no later than 4.11.2020 (5.00 pm) Myanmar time on.

•Application will not be successful if applied position is not mentioned correctly.

•Only short-listed candidates will be contacted for interview. Telephone query will not be answered.

•Application received after the closing date and time will not be considered.

MHAA is an equal opportunities employer. We welcome applications from all qualified candidates regardless of race, ethnic origin, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation or disability. In an effort to improve the gender balance within the organization, qualified female candidates are strongly encouraged to apply for.

HR Unit

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