Announcement

National Center for HIV/AIDS, Dermatology and STDs (NCHAD)

The National Center for HIV/AIDS, Dermatology and STDs (NCHAD) of the Ministry of Health has received funding from the US CDC/Global AIDS Program (GAP) under Cooperative Agreement for the expanding HIV/AIDS Program Activities of the Ministry of Health of the Kingdom since 2002. Now the project mission has reached to Phase III (31 July 2013 to 30 July 2018).

Currently NCHADS is seeking for 01 qualified candidates working under the US CDC project as the following positions:

**Position**: Focal Point for Active FU Officers (HIV Case Management Assistant)
**Location**: Battambang Provincial Health Department, Battambang Province
**Accountable/ Report to**: Provincial HIV/STI Program Managers, HIV case management coordinator, and NCHADS

**JOB SUMMARY:**

To assist District HIV/STI Coordinators (HIV case management coordinator) and Provincial HIV/STI Program Managers in coordinating and managing HIV/STI cases within the coverage area of OD Battambang, OD Sang Ke and Provincial Referral Hospital’s HIV/AIDS care and treatment service (STI-VCCT, Pre-ART/ART for adult and children, maternity, TB ward etc.).

**SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. **Assist in detection, tracking and management of new HIV cases**
   - Receive information about clients with HIV finger prick test reactive from all HIV Testing and Counseling (HTC) providers
   - Communicate with all HTC providers to obtain information about new clients with a first positive rapid test
   - Facilitate referrals for confirmatory testing at VCCT co-located with pre-ART/ART sites
   - Ensure successful referral for all clients with HIV finger prick test positive receive confirmatory test for HIV at VCCT co-located with pre-ART/ART site
   - Track final results of HIV confirmatory test from VCCT for each client with a first positive rapid test, including weekly (at least) communication with VCCT to obtain confirmatory test results
   - Track HIV Exposed Infants with a positive DNA PCR test to ensure that they receive confirmatory DNA PCR test.

2. **Assist in ensuring adherence and retention in care of HIV-infected patients, including pregnant women:**
   - Follow up with HIV Exposed Infants testing positive to ensure that they are immediately initiated on ART at Pediatric AIDS Care site.
   - Ensure that all clients with HIV confirmatory test positive are enrolled at pre-ART/ART site.
• Work with data management officers and relevant partners to identify and make the list of patients at risk of lost-to-follow up (LTFU) in the coverage areas
• Facilitate/identify support for strengthening adherence/appointment keeping, especially for patients at risk of LTFU
• Work with PLHIV peers/MMM coordinators, HBC team, ART team, and other partners including TB and MCH program to make sure that clients receive all services they need.
• Make direct contacts with clients through phone calls or home visits to follow up clients who miss an appointment keeping.

3. Assist in documenting patients' record using standard forms and tools provided:
   • Record and update the list of clients with HIV finger prick test reactive
   • Make sure that new confirmed HIV positive clients are documented
   • Record and document data on follow-up of HIV positive pregnant women and their HIV exposed babies.
   • Make sure that all patients’ record and files are up-to-date

4. Providing Feedbacks and reporting
   • Providing regular report on new HIV cases and results of referrals and follow up to HIV case management coordinator.
   • Assisting HIV case management coordinator in preparing summary results of new HIV cases and results of referrals and follow up
   • Provide feedbacks on new HIV case and results of referrals and follow up to relevant stakeholders
   • Assist HIV data officer in collecting and reporting data regarding treatment as prevention (TasP) and boosted linked response (B-LR)

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES

1. To work with due diligence in carrying out the tasks of the position.
2. To ensure regular, punctual and full-time attendance to duties during official working hours.
3. To strive all times to assist OD/Pre ART/ ART Team and PASP/PHD attain the highest levels of accuracy and honesty in all its activities.
4. To draw the attention of HIV case management coordinator, OD director, PASP manager, and PHD director immediately to any irregularity or other matter of significance affecting the efficient and honest functioning of OD/PASP/PHD.
5. To undertake any other duties assigned by HIV case management coordinator, PASP manager and OD/PHD/NCHADS director.

QUALIFICATIONS

The Successful candidate is required to have the following qualification:
1. University degree, preferably health related degree
2. Demonstrated interest in Public Health
3. Knowledge of HIV/AIDS and health
4. Experience in working in HIV or health related field.
5. Computer skill: word, excel, PowerPoint, email/internet
6. Understanding in written and spoken English
7. This post requires significant travel and work closely with health workers.
8. Residence in the concerned province is advantage
Interested individuals are encouraged to apply by e-mail or in writing with a copy of an up-to-date CV and Cover Letter to the following address:

Procurement Office on 1st floor of National Centre for HIV/AIDS, Dermatology and STDs
No. 245H, St. 6A, Phum Kean Klang, Sangkat Prek Leap, Khan Chhroy Chanva, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
E-mail: nala@nchads.org
Website: www.nchads.org
Tell: 023 432 090/ 016 595969

Or
Provincial HIV/AIDS-STI Program (PASP) Office of Battambang Provincial Health Department
Address: Prek Moha Tep Twin Road, Prek Moha Tep Village, Sangkat Svay Por, Battambang Province, Cambodia
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Applicants should clearly mark the applied position title and send to the above address no later than 17:00 on September 22, 2017