



UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

EXTERNAL JOB VACANCIES (PROJECT POSITION)

Applications are invited for the following position:

MEDICAL OFFICER, MAP-AMR PROJECT - AD/2/27/22 - (1 POST)

The Project

The University of Nairobi, Department of Clinical Medicine and Therapeutics has been awarded a five (5) year research grant by Centre for Disease Control (CDC) under the title, “*Monitor and Prevent Antimicrobial Resistance in Kenya (MAP-AMR Kenya)*”. The Project will be conducted in three (3) hospitals, namely: Kenyatta National Hospital, The Nairobi Hospital and the Spinal Injury Hospital (Nairobi). The Project seeks to competitively fill the above named position.

The Position

This is a full time position based at the University of Nairobi, Department of Clinical Medicine and Therapeutics, with the holder of the position reporting to the Project Director.

Job description

- Planning, organizing and coordinating project work including establishing and maintaining linkages with participating hospitals and other stakeholders
- Ensure necessary local ethics review board and governmental approvals and renewals are obtained for the project and managing project ethics and human subjects’ protection
- Supervision of site staff, ensuring that appropriate and good quality data is collected and uploaded in a timely manner
- Ensure proper administration of consent procedures and questionnaires
- Assist in training of staff involved in research on project methodologies
- Make weekly, monthly and ad hoc reports of project activities as may be required
- Liaise with the administrator with regard to project purchases and any other administrative issues
- Keep the Principal Investigator updated on all administrative, research and financial activities

Job specifications

- An applicant should be a holder of a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB) degree
- Must be registered with the Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentists Council and have a valid practice license
- Should have additional training in Epidemiology, Global Health or other related field
- MPH or MSc in Epidemiology or related field will be an added advantage
- He or she should have at least three (3) years of experience working with donor-funded programs
- Previous experience with CDC-funded projects will be an added advantage
- High level of integrity and ability to maintain confidentiality
- Be a team player with excellent communication, report writing and analytical skills

Terms of appointment

This a position whose tenure is one (1) year contract renewable based on performance and by mutual consent.

NOTES

1. Applicants should email their application letters, certified copies of certificates and curriculum vitae (CV) giving details of their qualifications, experience and three (3) referees, as well as indicating their telephone and e-mail contacts.
2. Applications and related documents should be forwarded through applicants' Heads of Departments, where applicable, and be addressed to the Director, Human Resource, University of Nairobi.
3. Applicants should state their current designations, salaries and other benefits attached to those designations.
4. The application letter must bear the reference code indicated in the advertisement.
5. Late applications will not be considered.
6. Applications should be emailed to recruit-momap@uonbi.ac.ke as one file in PDF.

CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2022

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ONLY SHORTLISTED APPLICANTS WILL BE CONTACTED.**