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HAST COUNSELLORS

(Facility Based)

**MASIPHUMELELE, OCEAN VIEW, FISH HOEK, SEAWINDS, MUIZENBERG CLINICS,
FALSE BAY AND DP MARAIS HOSPITALS AND
MOBILE COUNSELLOR SERVING ALL AREAS**

LIVING HOPE is a Christian non-Profit organization.

HAST Counsellors provide HIV testing and counselling as well as educating clients on how to live a healthy sexual lifestyle based on Biblical principles. They encourage everyone to know their status, provide information on family planning and medical male circumcision, test for HIV and refer those needing treatment for STIs. They also prepare TB and HIV positive clients for treatment and teach on the importance of adherence.

The role of Facility Based Counsellors is to support local clinics and hospitals in the provision of education and testing around HIV/TB and other chronic illnesses and in some instances Family Planning.

Requirements for the Job:

- Minimum Grade 12
- ATTIC, 20-day HIV/AIDS/TB counselling and finger-prick certificate. Couples counsellor training
- Be able to speak fluent English and either Xhosa OR Afrikaans – relevant to area
- Candidates must be resident in the area and/or have good knowledge of the geographical area
- Candidates must also be flexible in terms of assisting at other facilities
- Must be committed, honest, reliable and dependable with sober habits
- Have good inter-personal communication skills and be willing to work as part of the health care team
- Able to work flexible hours
- Ability to work under pressure
- Good administrative and time management skills
- Knowledge of clinic/facility rules and regulations
- Knowledge of public health and community resources
- Preference will be given to candidates who have previous experience

Duties: HAST Counsellor

1. Organise and host educational talks on the topics of HIV/TB etc.
2. Support the facility with facility driven programmes
3. Conduct counseling and testing of clients
4. Schedule follow up sessions with clients
5. Network with local clinics, churches and the CCW in your facility
6. Data collection/administration, complete required monthly records and forms

If you are interested please submit your **2 PAGE CV** and **application letter** to **recruitment@livinghope.co.za**.

Kindly ensure that you provide your current contact details as short-listed candidates will be contacted to attend an interview. If you do not hear from us within two weeks you must assume that you were not successful.

CLOSING DATE FOR THIS APPLICATION – 22-04-2022