



Bringing Hope, Breaking Despair

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COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKER WITH HIV, TB AND COUNSELLING EXPERIENCE
AREA: GONUBIE / MZAMOMHLE - EASTLONDON
FIXED TERM CONTRACT – TILL 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

LIVING HOPE is a Christian Non-Profit organization. Our mission and vision is to bring hope and break the chains of poverty and disease.

This role is to mobilize communities to access HTS services at the mobile sites, provide daily mobile HIV testing and pre & post counselling, TB screenings and to educate clients on how to live a healthy sexual lifestyle based on Biblical principles. They encourage everyone to know their status, test for HIV and refer where appropriate. They also prepare HIV positive clients for treatment and teach on the importance of adherence.

Requirements for the Job:

- Grade 12
- HTS training and experience, HIV counselling and finger-prick (rapid testing) and certificates.
- Knowledge, Training and education on TB and STI's
- Be able to speak fluent English and Xhosa – which is relevant to geographical area
- Candidates must be resident in the area and/or have good knowledge of the geographical area
- Must be committed, honest, reliable and dependable with sober habits
- High integrity and confidentiality
- Desire to serve Jesus in a meaningful and practical way.
- Have good inter-personal communication skills and be willing to work as part of the health care team
- Able to work flexible hours, and at times to be available on a Saturday or Public Holiday
- Ability to work under pressure
- Good administrative and time management skills
- Knowledge of public health and community resources
- Preference will be given to candidates who have previous working experience in the above.
- It would be beneficial for the candidate to have a valid drivers license and driving experience.

Duties:

1. Organise and host educational talks on the topics of HIV/TB etc.
2. Conduct daily mobile community-based HIV testing and counselling of clients using VCT and Index modalities.
3. Attract and encourage potential clients to participate in testing
4. Schedule follow up sessions with clients
5. Education around HIV/AIDS and TB and the importance of medication and adherence
6. Network with local clinics, churches and relevant stakeholders within the community
7. Data collection/administration, complete required weekly/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.