



POSTING NOTICE

Position Title:	Clinical Services and MHPSS Officer
Duration of contract:	Nine months, with possible extension
Type of position:	Full time
Number of positions:	4
Date:	December 15 th , 2016
Application deadline:	December 21 st , 2016
Area of assignment:	Bong, Lofa, Margibi, or Montserrado County
Organization:	JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc.

DESCRIPTION:

Advancing Partners and Communities (APC) is looking for a Clinical Services and Mental Health/Psychosocial Support Officer to be based in Monrovia, Liberia. APC is a 5-year USAID-funded project implemented by the JSI Research and Training Institute (JSI) and partner FHI 360. Overall, the project seeks to advance and support community programs that improve the overall health of communities and achieve other health-related impacts, especially in relation to family planning. APC provides global leadership for community health systems and community-based programming, executes and manages small and medium-sized sub-awards, supports procurement reform by preparing awards for execution by USAID, and builds the technical capacity of organizations to implement effective programs.

In May 2016, APC received USG Ebola Transmission Prevention and Survivor Services funds for Liberia, Guinea and Sierra Leone. These funds are to be used to prevent further Ebola transmission, support clinical care, and reduce stigma and other barriers for survivors in relation to access to health care services (the Ebola Transmission Prevention and Survivor Services Program – ETP&SS).

DUTIES:

As a JSI staff member, the Clinical Services/MHPSS Officer will co-locate with an assigned county health team, under the direction of the county health officer. They will be responsible for the following:

- Assessing capacity of target health facilities to provide quality services to survivors;
- Providing technical guidance to health facility staff on the National Ebola Survivors Clinical Care Guidelines;
- Supporting outreach efforts by the county-level National Ebola Survivors Network to increase utilization of health services by survivors and reduce stigma within target health facilities;
- Other responsibilities as they arise.



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MINIMUM JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- BSN, MSN, MPH, MSW or relevant advanced degree.
- At least 4 years of clinical health service delivery experience, with at least 1-year field-based health development program management experience, preferably in clinical service delivery, community health, MHPSS, and/or social work programs.
- Demonstrated clinical skills;
- Experience preparing narrative reports for internal use and for dissemination to external stakeholders;
- Excellent communication skills, including verbal, written and oral presentation skills;
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office applications;
- Knowledge and experience with the INGO/NGO/FBO community in Liberia;
- Willingness to take on any task assigned;
- Ability to travel within country as needed.

REPORTS TO: Clinical Services/MHPSS Advisor

The position will be based in one of four target counties: Bong, Lofa, Margibi, or Montserrado. Qualified candidates should submit a soft copy of their CV to: jwilliams@lr.jsi.com

Please state the position you are applying for in the subject line: **Clinical Services/MHPSS Officer**
Application deadline is **Monday, December 21st by 12:00 noon GMT.**

Please note that **ONLY** shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interviews so please do not follow up via email unless contacted by JSI.



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