

## **UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI**

# **EXTERNAL JOB VACANCIES (PROJECT POSITION)**

Applications are invited for the following position

CLINICAL OFFICER, IMPALA/BFTAF STUDY, DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL MEDICINE AND THERAPEUTICS, FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, ADVERT REF AD/12/298/23 - I POST

#### The Position

The position is domiciled in the Department of Clinical Medicine and Therapeutics in the Faculty of Health Sciencies, under the IMPALA study. This is a two (2) year project that will be conducted in (2) hospitals: namely Kenyatta National Hospital and Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Teaching and Referral Hospital.

#### Location

This is a full time position based at the Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Teaching and Referral Hospital in Kisumu, its holder reports to the Study Coordinator.

#### **Duties and Responsibilites**

- a) Recruitment, follow up, retention and monitoring of study participants in accordance with the study protocols and sops for the IMPALA and BFTAF Study
- b) Screening and enrolment of eligible participants
- c) Obtaining informed consent from participants
- d) Providing clinical care of study participants
- e) Supporting treatment adherence
- f) Collection and entry of study information in approved clinical report forms
- g) Completion of required MoH tools, registers and electronic medical records
- h) Safe and confidential custody of study source and other study documents
- i) Collection and shipment of study specimen
- j) Prescribing of study medication
- k) Assessing for and reporting adverse events and serious adverse events
- I) Ensuring retention of study participants in care
- m) Data entry on electronic and manual study tools and timely response to data queries
- n) Submission of weekly reports
- o) Any other duties described in the study protocols and SOPs and/or assigned by supervisor

### **Job Specifications**

- a) Diploma in Clinical Medicine
- b) Registered to practice with the Clinical Officers Council (COC)
- c) Current practice certificate from the COC
- d) Certification in the National Advanced HIV Clinical Course
- e) Minimum of 5 years' experience with direct HIV clinical care provision, including prescribing ARVs
- f) MUST have a current Certificate of Good Clinical Practice (GCP)
- g) Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- h) Keen attention to detail
- i) Evidence of intermediate IT skills
- j) Research experience is an added advantage

## **Tenure and Terms of Appointment**

The tenure of this job is one (1) year, appointment is on contract which can be renewed based on performance, mutual agreement and project period.

### **Notes**

- Applicants should email their application letters, certified copies of certificates and curriculum vitae (CV) giving details of their qualifications, experience and three (3) referees indicating their telephone contacts and e-mail contacts;
- 2. Applications and related documents should be forwarded 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 and
- 6. Applications should be emailed as one file in PDF: recruit-cois@uonbi.ac.ke

**CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 2024** 

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