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Back ground of the Project

India Health Action Trust (IHAT) aims at improving public health initiatives by supporting programs nationally and globally through providing comprehensive technical assistance in program planning, management and monitoring. IHAT has set up a Technical Support Unit (TSU) for the Government of Uttar Pradesh to provide techno-managerial assistance to improve the coverage of key reproductive, maternal, newborn, child health and nutrition (RMNCHA+) interventions and services in the state from the funding support of Bill & Melinda Gate Foundation (BMGF) through University of Manitoba (UOM), Canada

The District Nurse Educator will be responsible for the implementation, monitoring and management of activities to improve the quality of services, especially in-patient services, for sick children at health facilities in the respective districts. This would involve direct support to the district hospitals and indirect support to the block level facilities through nurse mentors.

Technical support unit, Uttar Pradesh invite application for the following positions from competent and committed development professionals who are seeking meaningful and challenging assignments in- Uttar Pradesh.

Position: District Nurse Educator

Project: MNCH (Child Health)

Location: Siddharth Nagar, Maharajganj, Balrampur, Barabanki, Bareilly, Pilibhit, Badaun, Allahabad, Kaushambi

Reporting to: Zonal Coordinator - Child Health

Key Responsibilities:

- The Nurse Educator (Child Health) shall be responsible for the following:
 - a) Conducting needs assessments
 - b) Managing the development and implementation of a child health education program for district-level staff nurses
 - c) Delivering programs for the skill development of staff nurses
 - d) Serving on relevant committees and task forces working for the improvement of child health services
 - e) Participating in mentoring and technical trainings organized by UP-TSU
- The Nurse Educator (Child Health) as part of the UP-TSU District Level Team shall collaborate for the following:
 - a) Preparing monthly plans in consultation with the facility staff
 - b) Facilitating review of facility HMIS and UP-HMIS data, helping the teams to identify coverage gaps and developing plans to address the gaps
 - c) Reporting monthly on progress towards facility strengthening

- d) Participating in the development and piloting of project tools
- e) Participating in the preparation of district-level presentations and reports

Competencies:

Technical

- Basic computer skills in Microsoft Office
- Technical knowledge and experience in the delivery of clinical services for children; experience in public health programming would be a strong asset
- Experience with mentoring, team building, and facilitation approaches

Interpersonal

- Fully fluent in English and Hindi
- Leadership and organization skills
- Excellent communication skills
- Ethnic, cultural, gender, religious, and socioeconomic status sensitivity
- Demonstrated analytic skills
- Good understanding of Indian health care systems with knowledge of Uttar Pradesh context

Education & Experience requirements:

- Completed M.Sc. Nursing from a recognized institution
- 2-3 years' experience in pediatrics or acute care at a secondary or tertiary care level health facility and prior experience in training and/or teaching will be preferable.

How to apply:

Interested candidates please apply by COB 10th Dec 2018 using the online IHAT Application by clicking on <http://ihat.in/vacancies/ihat-up-tsu/> or visit IHAT Vacancy page at www.ihat.in. Only complete online applications will be considered.

IHAT provides safe working environment for all its employees; follows the principle of equal opportunity and encourages women applicants. Physically challenged with required skills/knowledge and willing to travel are also encouraged to apply.

We will be following a systematic selection process to fill this position based on experience, competency, suitability, aptitude to work with MNCH interventions and in-depth project knowledge.

Short listing for the posts will take place soon after the closing date. Unfortunately, we are able to contact only those applicants who have been short listed for the interview. If you have not heard from us within 6 weeks of the closing date, please assume that the current IHAT positions are unable to accommodate you at the moment. It is also not possible for us to provide you with specific feedback because of the volume of applications we receive.

