



SABCOHA

SA BUSINESS COALITION ON HEALTH & AIDS

HEALTHIER EMPLOYEES| HEALTHIER WORKPLACES| HEALTHIER COMMUNITIES

JOB DESCRIPTION

ORGANISATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none">SABCOHA is looking at appointing 12 Linkage Officer, that will be placed in the districts outlined below. The nurses will support all our SSRs contracted to SABCOHA in implementing the AYGW MSP program
POST ADVERTISED	<ul style="list-style-type: none">13th April 2021
CLOSING DATE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">27th April 2021Any application that will be received after 16h00, will be rejected
ENQUIRIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Mr Lizwi Mdolomba lizwi@sabcoha.co.za
APPLICATIONS TO BE SENT TO	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Anita Volkeranita@sabcoha.co.za
PLEASE SUBMIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">A comprehensive Resume reflecting your experience in health and community development mattersCertified copies of all your certificates relevant to this postNursing Council Registration if you're a nurse
RELOCATION COSTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All prospective candidates are free to apply. However, SABCOHA will not pay the relocation costs
EXPECTATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The employed persons will be working closely with our implementing partners (SSR's) based in each of the specified districts. We expect the employee to stay and leave in that district to support the SSRs
ADVERTISEMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">These posts will only be advertised in SABCOHA and AFSA Websites www.afsa.org.za www.sabcoha.co.za
JOB TITLE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Linkage Officers
LOCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none">In the following districts:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nelson Mandela Bay Metro (Eastern Cape) • OR Tambo (Eastern Cape) • City of Cape Town (Western Cape) • City of Mbombela (Mpumalanga) • Gert Sibande (Mpumalanga) • Bojanala (North West) • City of Tshwane Metro (Gauteng) • Thabo Mofotsanyane (Free State) • Zululand (KwaZulu Natal) • King Cetshwayo (KwaZulu Natal) • Sekhukhune (Limpopo)
1st LINE OF REPORTING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical Manager
CONTRACT PERIOD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This will be a 11 Month contracts, with a possibility of extension, subject to funds being available.
JOB PURPOSE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To implement the comprehensive biomedical services program. To support linkage to care of male sexual partners to adolescent girls and young women (AGYW). • To facilitate initiation on ART to HIV infected men, • To facilitate initiation on Prep for HIV negative men who are at risk of contracting HIV. • Facilitate treatment of linkage to TB diagnostics and treatment. Facilitate linkage to care for management of STI's.
REQUIREMENTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post Matric basic qualification or enrolled nursing certificate • Knowledge of TB and Drug resistant TB • Experience in community development projects and health programmes specifically working with DOH health care facilities • Strong interpersonal skills and ability to build relationships with stakeholders and clients • Good verbal communication skills

KEY PERFORMANCE AREAS

The incumbent shall be responsible for carrying out the day-to-day operations functions below:

- To work closely with HCT counsellors and testers in the district to link HIV positive men to care
- To ensure that men who are TB presumptive are link to care e.g. facilitate collection of TB sputum by working close with NIMART Nurse
- To ensure follow ups and recording of patient interactions, and filling of source documents for evidence and audit purposes
- Tracking of patient management information throughout patient treatment period
- To work close under the direction of the district NIMART nurse
- To work with HCT counsellors, NIMART nurse to regularly devise strategies on improving the percentage men who are successfully linked to care in the districts
- Develop and support efficient communication systems between the hospital, clinics and outreach teams
- Develop strong relationship with other developmental partners in the district
- Monitor and support the implementation of the Enhanced Adherence intervention
- Perform other duties as required by NIMART Nurse or Clinical Manager