



# **KENYA MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE**

A KEMRI –CCR Clinical Trials Research Project is currently conducting clinical trials and is looking for motivated individuals to fill in the following position:

**Position: Nurse Counselors M/R 7 (2 positions)**

**Location: Thika**

**Reports to: Study Coordinator.**

## **Job purpose**

To assist in screening and enrolment of clients into the study and in data collection

## **Responsibilities**

- Screening of participants to determine eligibility for study
- Explaining study procedures to eligible participants
- Obtaining informed consent and enrolment of participants into study
- Obtaining information from participants and filling in participant forms
- Demonstrating use of HIV self-testing kits to study participants
- Timely abstraction of data from participant forms
- Providing project management team with regular feedback on field activities
- Verify quality of data by comparing abstracted data to source documents
- Responds to participant's calls
- Follow up of participants through phone calls
- Performs other duties as may be assigned

## **Education and Experience**

- Diploma in nursing, clinical medicine or any other health related field
- Experience working in a Comprehensive Care Centre (CCC) will be an added advantage
- Past experience in electronic data collection using Redcap is desirable
- Experience in HIV testing and certified by NASCOP
- Prior GCP and Human subjects training is desirable
- Experience working in clinical research setting is an added advantage

## **Licensure**

- Registered with the Nursing Council of Kenya

## **Competencies**

- Team player
- Excellent Communication and people skills
- Highly organized
- Ability to work without supervision

## **Terms of employment**

Employment is a one year renewable contract with a probation period for the first 3 months. Salary is negotiable within the appropriate grade depending on education, experience and demonstrated competency.

## **HOW TO APPLY**

- a) All applicants must meet each selection criteria detailed in the minimum requirements.
- b) Must include a current CV with names of at least 2 referees.
- c) Must include copies of academic and professional certificates.

A duly signed application letter indicating the vacancy reference with copies of documents listed above should be sent to: [phrdrecruit@pipsthika.org](mailto:phrdrecruit@pipsthika.org) not later than **19<sup>th</sup> March, 2019**.

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