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Obtaining Technical support of two Pre – Intern Medical Officers to strengthen Triangulation Study on Reproductive Age Female Deaths (RAFD) in Sri Lanka.

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WHO: 511 DFC, Category 3, Lower Task 1.4

Family Health Bureau

Ministry of Healthcare & Nutrition & Indigenous Medicine, “Suwasiripaya”

Colombo 10

Background of the project

Sri Lanka was targeting to achieve a 2/3 reduction in maternal mortality ratio in Millennium Development Goals (MDG) by 2015. In 2014, the country reported a MMR of 32.03 per 100000 live births. However, it is important to know the actual situation with regard to maternal deaths in the index year. Therefore, an analysis of reproductive aged female deaths (RAFD) and their causes will provide an insight into the maternal deaths and whether present maternal death surveillance & response (MDSR) system captures all maternal deaths. A profile of RAFD is at present not available.

Various data sources exist in Sri Lanka to obtain reproductive aged female deaths (RAFD); Registrar General’s Department (RGD), hospital mortality data (based on Indoor Morbidity & Mortality Register - IMMR) and MDSR system of Family Health Bureau.

Place of Work: Family Health Bureau

Scope of the work :

Under the supervision of National Program Manager (Maternal & Child Morbidity & Mortality surveillance Unit of FHB), the Pre-Intern Medical officer will perform the following;

1. To collect individual level data on RAFD from 2 sources (RGD and IMMR) for the year 2015
2. To triangulate RGD & IMMR data with MDSR data
3. To describe gaps/deficiencies in each data source
4. To compute national & subnational MMRs based on triangulated data
5. To compile a profile of RAFD

To document/prepare reports based on analysis of RAFD Selected pre-intern medical officers will be posted to and working at MCMMS unit of Family Health Bureau, Colombo 10.

Desired qualifications for the post/s

Pre intern medical officer/s with M.B.B.S. qualifications

Experience/skills required for the post

1. Good command of professional English and writing skills
2. Previous experience and skills in data collection and data entry in scientific research
3. Journal publications on maternal & child health in reputed scientific journals
4. Computer skills:

Ability to work in Microsoft Office Programs/software (esp Word, Access and Excel)
Ability for basic internet surfing and data entry in on-line databases

Nature of work:

Fulltime/part time	Full time
No of days per week	Five (05) days
Working hours per day	Eight (08) hours (8.30 am – 4.15 pm)

Salary :

Rs 32,800.00 monthly salary

Duration

For three months (01st August- 2016 –31st December 2016)

Candidates are invited to submit their complete CV, including copies of relevant documents contact details & references to the following address on or before 18th of July 2016.

Director (Maternal and Child Health)
Family Health Bureau,
231, De Saram place,
Colombo 10

Only short listed applicants will be called for the interview. The final decision with regard to selection will be made by the Ministry of Health.



**Director (Maternal and Child Health)
Family Health Bureau**