

JOB DESCRIPTION

A. Description of position		
A1. Job Title:	Director /Organization Development	
A2. Salary Code:	SL 1/ SL2/ SL 3	
A3. Institution:	Ministry of Health	
A4. Department/Division:	Organization Development Unit, Management Development & Planning Unit	
A5. Service Category:	Medical Service	
A6. Grade/class:	Senior Administrative Grade	

A7. Summary of job:

Director/ Organization Development is responsible to strengthen the governance mechanisms in the Ministry of Health (MoH) and to improve organization effectiveness and good management practices by soliciting technical cooperation.

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B4 Tasks/ functions (duty list):

- 1. Facilitate the development and revision of management guidelines, protocols and tools to improve organizational governance (Organization structure and functions, job descriptions up to the level of DDG)
- 2. Promote operational research to improve organizational effectiveness
 - Identification of operational research priorities in collaboration with the ET & R Unit.
 - Facilitate and collaborate with relevant stakeholders/ units/ institutes which conduct health and health related research
 - Dissemination of the recommendations of operational research.
 - Identification and dissemination of policy options to Policy Unit.
- 3. Enhance organizational efficiency and effectiveness of MoH in delivering services to the people
 - Identification of gaps in organizational performance.
 - Recommend, advocate and facilitate reform processes and strategies to improve performance.
 - Recommend, advocate and facilitate setting up of new units of MoH
- 4. Develop capacity of health staff at MoH.
 - Identify training gaps of MoH staff
 - Conduct programs for improving efficiency/ effectiveness of employees within MoH
- Facilitate the health development network through timely conduct of National Health Development Committee meeting and Health Development Committee meeting.
- 6. Ensuring adequate logistic support for the optimum functioning of the Organization Development unit
- 7. Coordinate Open Government partnership activity
- 8. Coordinate National Human Rights Action Plan with Additional Secretary (Medical Services) and DDG (PHS)II
- Collaborate and coordinate with other Directorates of MDPU to support DDG (Planning) to achieve objectives of MDPU
- 10. Any other duties assigned by head of institution

C. Person Specifications

C1. Minimum Educational Qualifications:

• As per the latest Medical Service Minute

C2. Skills required:

 Human skills, writing skills, communication skills, negotiation skills, and analytical skills

C3. Competencies (General & Career):

 Planning and administration, teamwork, strategic action, evidence informed decision making, conflict management, knowledge of the healthcare environment

C4. Special circumstances affecting the job, associated risks/working conditions:

- Special tasks assigned by the DDG (Planning) or higher officers above the DDG as deemed necessary according to unexpected situations or urgent service needs
- Represent ministry interest at national level audits, inquiries and other matters as relevant
- Training of postgraduate students to be undertaken if the Director is a consultant

C5. Service Standards:

- Should abide by service minutes, rules and regulations, circulars, and guidelines of Government of Sri Lanka and Ministry of Health and any other relevant documents
- Should aim to reach annual targets in all main functional areas

C6. Values and ethics:

- Should follow a high personal and professional code of ethics. Maintain the accountability and transparency in all activities of the unit
- Should appreciate the socio-cultural values of healthcare workers in the context of healthcare management.

C7. Responsibility of facilities and resources:

- Responsible for inventoried items within the Directorate of Organization Development and official vehicle
- Shall be responsible for the efficient utilization of other resources in the Unit

D. Key Relationships

D1. Authorizing Officer:	Director General of Health Services
D2. Reporting to:	Deputy Director General (Planning)
D3. Supporting staff:	 Consultant Community Physicians Medical Officers Programme and Planning Assistants/Officers; Development Officers/Assistant; Programme Assistants Health Services Assistants/ KKS Any other staff attached to the directorate.

D4. Approved by:

Director General of Health Services

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