

JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT- MSF OCB

Job Title	Community Health Educator
Employer	Médecins Sans Frontières - Belgium
Duty Station	Damascus
Deadline for applications	25 th June 2025
Contract status	Service Agreement for 3 months, Possible Renewable
Type of contract	Full time
Start Date	July 2025

Introduction about MSF:

Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) / أطباء بل حدود is an international, independent, medical humanitarian organization that delivers emergency aid to people in 70 countries who are affected by armed conflict, epidemics, natural disasters and exclusion from healthcare. MSF offers assistance to people based on need, irrespective of race, religion, gender or political affiliation and our actions are guided by medical ethics and the principles of neutrality and impartiality.

We offer basic healthcare, perform surgery, fight epidemics, rehabilitate and run hospitals and clinics, carry out vaccination campaigns, operate nutrition centers, and provide mental healthcare. Our activities include the treatment of injuries and disease, maternal care and the provision of humanitarian aid. Where necessary, we set up sanitation systems, supply safe drinking water, and distribute relief to assist survival.

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Main Objective of the position:

Prepare, provide and present health education sessions to the population/patients according MSF principles and values in order to promote health information through health measures and hygiene conditions as well as provide information about MSF activities in order to facilitate access to healthcare

Accountabilities:

- Prepare material and deliver health education sessions, messages and topics addressed to different populations regarding hygiene, diseases and prevention.
- Ensure all the patients and caretakers are well informed, according to protocols, about health-related issues and services provided.
- Monitor health situation and living conditions of the population by conducting nutritional screening, collecting information related to food security, checking vaccination status of children, looking actively for any defaulters in programs that require this type of research, collecting information on number of people arriving or leaving the community, births, and deaths in the community, etc.
- Identify people with medical problems, contact with medical team and report for immediate transfer if needed. He/she has to inform to the line manager about any problem encountered (population, equipment, material...).
- Report to line manager of all results of screening and visits on a regular basis.

MSF Section/Context Specific Accountabilities:

- Perform individual or group sessions focusing on health education among patients and beneficiaries availing MSF's medical services at the mobile clinic units and the PHCC in Rural Damascus
- Provide Information, Education and communication (IEC) materials to the beneficiaries as part of the health education initiative, as per MSF's standards
- Facilitate case finding and uptake of patients and beneficiaries availing medical and psychosocial services in the mobile clinic unit and the PHCC, with specific attention to survivors of ill-treatment
- Assist the beneficiaries with the patient flow within the mobile clinic unit and the PHCC in Rural Damascus
- Carry out patient satisfaction survey and other qualitative surveys needed to improve medical services delivery at the mobile clinic units and the PHCC in Rural Damascus
- Communicating regularly with the Nursing Activity Manager for feedback regarding routine activities, challenges, and updates.
- Participating in meetings with the Nurse team Supervisor/Nursing Activity Manager and any other departments when requested
- Participate in capacity building initiatives organized by MSF to improve quality of healthcare services delivery at project/ mission level
- Collecting daily HP data and submitting it to NTS at the end of the day. Data collection and reporting follows MSF's standards
- Reporting timely any incidents in the field including environmental health concerns and potential outbreaks to the Nurse Team Supervisor/Nursing Activity Manager.
- Contributing in the mapping of other actors/NGOs working in our catchment area.
- Be the back up of rest of CHE colleagues if requested
- Be flexible for any new or delegated tasks from line managers

Education	Diploma in Higher/ Secondary Education is essential. Any social courses or mental health certifications/diploma related is desirable
Experience	Minimum 2 years work experience in health promotion/community engagement. Experience working with INGOs is desirable
Languages	Arabic is essential. English is desirable.
Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Results and Quality Orientation L2 • Teamwork and Cooperation L1 • Behavioral Flexibility L1 • Commitment to MSF Principles L1 • Stress Management L2

Application process:

In order to apply for this position please send your application via following email (msfocb-syria-jobs@msf.org). Please submit your **CV, together with a motivation letter and all relevant work and education certificates**, without supporting documents the application will be not accepted.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION: 25th June 2025

*We are an equal opportunity employer; we do not charge a fee for any applications received.
Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.*