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Date: 2nd June 2023

Position: Health Economist

Location: Shillong, Meghalaya

Number of Posts: 1 (One)

Duration of Position: One year (renewable based on performance)

About IIPHS:

The Indian Institute of Public Health Shillong (IIPHS) is a northeast regional institute of public health. It was established in 2015 by the PHFI in collaboration with the Government of Meghalaya to redress the limited institutional and systems capacity in public health in the North East Region of India. In August 2020, IIPHS became an autonomous institution of the IIPHS Society registered under the Meghalaya Societies Registration Act 1983. The mission of IIPHS is to advance equitable health and wellbeing by fostering a culture of excellence in education, research and praxis.

Project Brief:

The Regional Resource Hub for Health Technology Assessment in India (RRH-HTAIn) at IIPH Shillong in collaboration with the Department of Health Research, Government of India is undertaking cost-effectiveness analysis on behalf of MoHFW. The purpose of HTAIn is to support informed policy making through economic evaluation, cost effectiveness analysis and related HTA studies.

Roles and responsibilities:

1. Undertake evidence synthesis of different health technologies and health intervention.
2. Collaborate with the Government and Development partners to generate evidence in the area of cost effectiveness of health care programs
3. Undertake evaluation of health policies and programs from an economic perspective
4. Explore e-learning or on-campus academic courses in the area of HTA
5. Develop, maintain and establish web-based source of HTA information
6. Responsible for overall activities of the center under the guidance of the PI
7. Prepare study designs, develop decision tree and Markov model, formulate the model in spreadsheet, statistical analysis, write reports and disseminate results.
8. Liaison with the government officials, health care professional and community leaders
9. Line managing of junior research staff
10. Assist in developing project related budgets and other related admin work
11. Maintain log of work and process and provide quarterly reports
12. Prepare reports, manuscripts, datasets for publication and presentations for varied audiences including DHR and other agencies
13. Any other tasks assigned by the supervisor.

Qualification

Post graduate degree in Health Economics/Public Health/Economics

Essential

PhD in Health Economics, Public Health/Economics with relevant experience in health economics or its equivalent field.

Desirable:

1. Experience in drafting policy documents for state/national-level
2. Relevant research experience in health sector and health economics
3. Experience of conducting full economic evaluation studies
4. Experience in model-based health technology assessment for health technologies and or interventions
5. Experience in developing Decision tree and or Markov model, understanding of epidemiological principles and basic biostatistics would be preferred.
6. Clinical experience would be an added advantage
7. Expertise in using statistical software such as R/SPSS/Epi-info/STATA/ADePT/Spreadsheet programming will be an advantage
8. Around 3-4 years of experience in research field

- Candidates from north-eastern region will be preferred
Annual Salary (CTC) will commensurate with available skills and fitment of the incumbent as per the selection process

How to apply:

Interested candidates may upload the required information in the Google form provided at www.iiphs.ac.in

Last date to apply -17th June 2023

Your CV should provide the following in a Word/PDF document, preferably in the following order:

1. Full name, address and contact details (including email and phone)
2. Educational qualifications – Diploma/degree/s, year and institute qualified from
3. Details of publications, presentations in conferences/seminars, and research grants held, if none please state NIL.
4. Language skills (spoken, written skills), Software skills
5. Work experience (position/job title, organization, duration) if none please state NIL
6. Reference (two persons with whom you have worked or trained under, please provide contact details)
7. Any other relevant information

General Instructions:

1. The Institute reserves the right to withdraw any advertised post at any time without giving any reason.
2. Candidates must ensure before applying that they are eligible according to the criteria stipulated in the advertisement. If the candidate is found ineligible at any stage of the recruitment process, he/she will be disqualified and their candidature will be cancelled. Hiding of information or submitting false information will lead to cancellation of candidature at any stage of recruitment.
3. Mere eligibility will not entitle any candidate for being called for an interview. Only the short-listed candidates will be called for the interview. Shortlisted candidates, called for interview, will bear the expenses of travel and stay.
4. The Institution reserves the right to reject any application without assigning any reason whatsoever.
5. The Institute reserves the right to Revise/Reschedule/Cancel/Suspend the recruitment process without assigning any reason. The decision of the Institute shall be final and no appeal shall be entertained.
6. Any corrigendum/changes/updates shall be available only on the Institutes website: www.iiphs.ac.in
7. The candidate must upload the data in the Google form link provided the original certificates would be required at the time of interview only.
8. Incomplete applications risk being rejected.
9. Applications received after the prescribed date will not be entertained.
10. Canvassing in any form and or/bringing in any influence political or otherwise is discouraged and may risk disqualification
11. The candidates are advised to satisfy themselves before applying that they possess at least the essential qualifications laid down for the post.
12. Candidates must be of sound physical and mental health. They must, if selected be prepared to undergo such medical examination and satisfy such medical authority as Institute may require.
13. The competent authority reserves the right to extend the closing date for receipt of applications and also reserves the right to postpone/cancel the recruitment exercise.

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