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Honorary Clinical Data Analyst with MCAI

The Scottish (North-West Highland-based), international medical charity Maternal & Childhealth Advocacy International (known as MCAI) is looking for an experienced data analyst to help MCAI on a long-term basis with our important Monitoring and Evaluation work for our life-saving programs in Liberia, West Africa. For more information about MCAI and our work, please see http://www.mcai.org.uk

This work will involve uploading, accurately recording, analysing, and reporting data from the following:

--Trainee/ intern/ qualified: obstetric/ neonatal/ paediatric clinician logbooks
--Obstetric outreach visits and follow up (in 4 Counties)
--Maternal fetal monitoring (currently in 4 Hospitals)
--Neonatal Resuscitation at Basic Emergency Obstetric and Neonatal Clinics (BEmONCs-18 clinics)
--Pain control in Labour (using IV paracetamol- currently in 2 hospitals)

With the possibility of the additional of further projects.

Specifics

- This role can be done virtually from home.
- This role will be on a long-term basis, at least a year in the first instance with a view to further extension.
- This role will be initially on a voluntary basis as an “Honorary” Clinical Data Analyst, but MCAI will provide an “Honorarium” of £200/ net month (on which MCAI will pay tax). (However, if MCAI can secure funding and depending on work performance, there is the potential for this role to become a part-time salaried position.)
- The role of Honorary Clinical Data Analyst will require at least a minimum of 4 hours per week with a maximum of 12 (these hours will change if this position becomes a part-time salaried position).
- MCAI will provide virtual training, supervision, and support for this work.
- It is expected that the individual will use their own computer.
- There will be a “Letter of Agreement” between the individual who is appointed as Honorary Clinical Data Analyst and MCAI instead of a work contract.

Requirements for this role

Essential
Highly experienced in using computers, especially excel, Word, and other data management software packages

Highly Experienced in data management platforms and different databases, including setting up a database if necessary.

Experienced in shared platforms such as the “Cloud” and the G-Drive

Dedicated individual who perceives this work as “vocational” and understands the life-saving nature of MCAI’s work.

Individual who pays great attention to detail

Desirable
A clinical/ healthcare-based background would be highly beneficial.

Next Steps
If you are interested, please email director@mcai.org.uk and rmacdonald@mcai.org.uk expressing your interest. We will then arrange to talk to you by phone and/or virtual audio-visual meeting. If appropriate, you will be asked for your CV and for at least 2 references. You will also be required to provide a Disclosure Scotland (or DSB if in England) clearance certificate. You will also be sent all of MCAI’s policies, including data protection, and safeguarding, to sign up to and you must agree to MCAI’s values (MCAI is a non-religious Humanitarian Charity, regulated by the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator).

Thank you!

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Honorary Medical Director MCAI

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