

WE ARE RECRUITING FOR



SOS CHILDREN'S
VILLAGES
THE GAMBIA

NATIONAL FAMILY STRENGTHENING COORDINATOR

SOS Childrens Villages in The Gambia is a non-governmental social development organisation that has been active in the field of children's rights and committed to children's need and concerns since 1982. Focussing its work on children without parental care and children in families in difficult circumstances, the organisation has a wide range of programmes, which include Children's Villages, Youth Facilities, Family Strengthening Programmes, Kindergartens, Schools, a Mother and Child Clinic, Vocational Training Centres, Child's Rights & Protection, Sustainable Nutrition Improvement, Youth Empowerment and Youth Employability and Sustainable Waste Management.

We are looking for a suitably qualified candidate for the position of a National Family Strengthening Coordinator at SOS National Coordination Office, Bakoteh.

Position summary

The National Family Strengthening (FS) Coordinator supports the development of Family Strengthening projects / programs on site and guides staff at the local level in the monitoring and evaluation of projects / programs family building.

General aim of the position

- Lead the planning and designing of the family strengthening programme in line with the organisation's mission, policies, strategies and available resources.
- Provide technical backstopping to family strengthening programme teams.
- Coordinate the implementation of family strengthening programme activities.
- Build positive relationships with the community and/or local authorities.
- Build a strong network of partner organisations.
- Build and manage a strong programme team.
- Ensures that mechanisms for ongoing monitoring and evaluation are in place and functioning well.

Qualifications/Competencies required:

- Bachelor's Degree or equivalent in social sciences, project management or any other related field.
- Minimum 3 years of experience in the field of project management.
- Knowledge of social development issues, such as child protection, education, community development, microfinance, gender, reproductive health and youth issues.
- Demonstrated capacity in capacity building.
- Proven skills in drafting reports and project documents.
- Fluency in English language.
- Ease of adaptation and ability to lead a group.
- Computer literacy.

We offer:

- Competative salary and benefits package
- A supportive team working environment
- Opportunity to work for a well respected and recognised NGO

To apply, submit a letter of interest, with Curriculum Vitae and certificates to

job.apply@sosgambia.org

Closing date for submission of applications is 28th December 2021

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