

Clinton Health Access Initiative

Senior Research Associate, Monitoring and Evaluation

Job Location: Boston, MA, USA

Business Unit: Major Programs

More information about this job:

Overview:

The Clinton Health Access Initiative (CHAI) supports partner governments to efficiently manage and rapidly expand access to high quality health services. We are seeking an individual to fill the position of Senior Research Associate on the Global Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) team. CHAI hires individuals with strong analytical capabilities, as well as a strong record of leadership. We place great value on relevant personal qualities: resourcefulness, communication skills, and work ethic. Candidate must be prepared to travel extensively.

The Senior Research Associate will play a key technical role in the monitoring and evaluating CHAI's Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission (PMTCT) programs. These programs are dynamic, not prescribed, and will require the Senior Research Associate to continually identify opportunities for CHAI to support and assess program progress. This position will work in close collaboration with the Global PMTCT team.

Responsibilities:

- Act as a key technical support for Global M&E team, focusing on the collection, management and use of data to support an individual's work;
- Design, implement and analyze evaluations of program performance and identification of key lessons learned;
- Provide technical assistance to CHAI teams, partner governments, and organizational partners to enhance data management and reporting programming;
- Develop tools to improve monitoring and evaluation capacity at the global and country level;
- Document and disseminate best practices in improving the quality of PMTCT programming;
- Write monitoring and evaluation components of proposal development for new funding opportunities, including developing evaluation plans;
- Develop and maintain relationships with key counterparts in partner organizations and the international M&E community; and
- Engage in donor and partner reporting/relations.

Qualifications:

- PhD or equivalent; masters degree considered with exceptional work experience
- Minimum 2 years relevant work experience
- Familiarity with data management systems in resource-limited settings
- Excellent knowledge of program monitoring and evaluation methodologies (qualitative and quantitative)
- Significant past experience with developing and implementing monitoring and evaluation frameworks and plans
- Demonstrated success in a technical role, including disseminating information to a variety of audiences
- Familiarity with current international standards and developments in monitoring and evaluation
- Excellent quantitative, problem solving, analytical and statistical analysis skills (including experience with STATA or SAS)
- Experience with proposal development
- Ability to multi-task and to be effective in high-pressure situations
- Excellent communication skills – both written and oral
- Ability to be a highly effective, independent worker as well as to function effectively in a team
- Experience in HIV/AIDS, PMTCT and health delivery systems in resource-limited settings preferred
- Willingness to travel internationally

Please submit application online at: <https://careers-chai.icims.com/jobs/1809/job>