



Vacancy Announcement WAF #02

Organization: World Action Fund

Job Location: Arua and Terego, districts West Nile, Uganda

Position: Part Time Counselor (2-3 times a week: this might change)

Project: Community-Based Rehabilitation

World Action Fund, an indigenous organization dedicated to improving lives in Uganda, is seeking a compassionate and experienced **Professional Counselor** to join our team in Arua. This role is integral to supporting our Community-Based Rehabilitation (CBR) project, aimed at empowering persons with disabilities and fostering inclusive development in the West Nile region.

Key Responsibilities:

- Provide individual, group, and family counseling to persons with disabilities and their caregivers.
- Conduct psychosocial assessments and develop tailored support plans.
- Facilitate community-based mental health awareness and education sessions.
- Collaborate with project teams to integrate counseling services into rehabilitation programs.
- Offer guidance and support to beneficiaries dealing with emotional, social, and psychological challenges.
- Maintain accurate and confidential records of counseling sessions and client progress.
- Provide referral services for cases requiring specialized interventions.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Bachelor's degree in Counseling or Psychology.
- At least 1 year of experience in professional counseling, preferably within a community or rehabilitation setting.
- Strong interpersonal, communication, and active listening skills.
- Proven ability to work with diverse groups, including persons with disabilities.
- Knowledge of psychosocial issues and mental health challenges in community settings.
- Fluency in English and a local language spoken in the West Nile region is an added advantage.

Key Competencies:

- Empathy and cultural sensitivity.
- Ability to handle confidential information with professionalism.
- Strong problem-solving and critical-thinking skills.
- Willingness to travel and work in community-based settings.



What We Offer:

- A dynamic and supportive work environment.
- Opportunities for professional growth and development.
- Competitive salary and benefits package.

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should submit their CV, cover letter, and academic transcripts to the Executive Director, World Action Fund, waf.uganda@wafuganda.org indicate with the subject line “**Application for Part time Counselor Position**” or deliver hard copies to the World Action Fund , P.O Box 340625 , Arua City, Ediofe Catholic Mission Cathedral/Procure Offices by **10th January, 2025 by 4:00PM EAT**. World Action Fund is an equal opportunity employer. Women and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

For more information, please contact visit our website at <https://wafuganda.org/jobs/>.

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Join us in making a difference in the lives of persons with disabilities in the West Nile region.