

# VACANCY:

### **ROLE TITLE: Pharmaceutical Technologist**

### LOCATION: COMMUNITY CENTRE SCHOOL CLINIC, MECHIMERU (Bungoma)

**Role Summary:** To execute teaching duties in line with the mission, vision and strategic objectives of the mother organization. As a teacher, you must demonstrate professionalism, competence and integrity at all times.

### **Role Details:**

- Coordinate day-to-day operations to ensure smooth workflow and quality pharmacy services are delivered to beneficiaries.
- Receive, verify prescriptions and dispense drugs promptly.
- Receiving written prescriptions or requests for prescription refill from patients and ascertain correct quantity.
- Select the correct dosage form, strength, and quantity before dispensing.
- Determining potential drug interactions and advise patients accordingly to avoid adverse reactions to medication.
- Accurately price prescriptions for purposes of dispensing.
- Check that every label placed on the medications contains the correct patient name, drug, quantity, and directions of use.
- Manage pharmacy inventory; track expiry dates and monitor movement of slow-moving drugs; ensuring medication are properly stored.
- Process medical insurance claim for medications.
- Take part in administrative tasks ie keeping patients profile, maintaining pharmacy related records and reports.
- Compound oral solutions and prepackage bulk medications when required.
- Educating patients and caregivers on the appropriate use of drugs including frequency and methods of intake or applications; counsel patients when required.
- Provides information and answers questions regarding Pharmacy Services policies and procedures, drug availability, delivery times, drug costs, and other pharmacy-related issues.
- Liaise with prescribers for inaccurate prescription orders, document errors.
- Any other duties falling within the scope of work as guided by level of training, qualification and experience as well as projected clinic activities.

### **Minimum Requirements**

- Diploma in Pharmaceutical Technology or equivalent qualification from a recognized institution in Kenya.
- HUST be a **mature born again Christian** with a supporting verifiable testimony.
- MUST have at least 1 year' work experience in hospital pharmacy practice or similar scope of operations.
- **4** Valid and current registration with Kenya Pharmacy and Poisons Board.
- Have good communication skills in English, Swahili as well as interpersonal skills;
- Good level of computer proficiency MS Office Suite, email, internet/social media and typing skills and an appreciation for emerging technology trends.
- Good organizational skills, an enthusiastic approach to work, ability to perform under minimum supervision, pressure and demanding circumstances
- MUST be flexible, self-motivated and a team player.
- HUST pay keen attention to detail; discretion and high integrity are imperative.
- Knowledge of relevant quality assurance and accountability systems is an added advantage.
- An understanding of the social dynamics of the community, being conversant with the local language and the general geographical area is a distinct advantage.

## **Application Process**

- Please send your customized cover letter via <u>https://forms.gle/YzJzQ79n9q9YCsSi8</u>
  Step 1 is a mandatory step.
- Send updated CV to <u>vacancies@yatimaoutreach.org</u> not later than end of day <u>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.</u> Do NOT send in your testimonials at this point.