

The Karnataka Health Promotion Trust (KHPT) invites applications from committed development professionals for project which aims to develop a model for strengthening continuum of care for people with diabetes or/and hypertension in Mysore city.

KHPT invites applications from committed, compassionate and competent candidates for the following position as mentioned below:

1. Counsellor-cum-Laboratory Technician: Position: 1, Mysore

Qualification, experience & Competencies:

- Master degree in Nursing/Clinical Counselling/Health counselling/Social Work/laboratory technician with counselling skills or any equivalent degree with 2-3 years of experience in similar field will be preferred.
- Candidate should have experience in managing facility based patient flow with regards to diagnostic tests and counselling.
- Candidates having experience in population based screening of disease like diabetes, hypertension and cancer will be an added advantage.
- Qualified professional with knowledge and experience of laboratory based diagnostic tests/point of care tests for diabetes and hypertension and related complications is intended.
- The person should have experience in conducting one-to-one and group counselling on both clinical and psycho-social message.
- Candidates acquainted with management of Tablet based data collection, cleaning and server upload are encouraged to apply.
- The applicant is required to have very good knowledge of Kannada language.
- Experience in operating Telemedicine systems is an added advantage.

Roles and Responsibilities:

- Assess patients/people with risks, utilizing the relevant assessment tools available under the project.
- Conduct regular anthropometric and laboratory tests for diabetes and hypertension
- Follow-up with patients for adherence to visit protocols, diagnostic advice and medication.
- Provide individual or couples, group and family counselling services to patients as necessary.
- Facilitate patient support groups if any.

- Develop and implement personalized treatment plans with patients and make modifications as necessary.
- Ensure the timely and thorough documentation of cases in the patient register and subsequently in the Electronic Health Record.
- Facilitate and promote patients to come with patient retained books each patient visit.
- Participate, as part of a multi-disciplinary team, in PHC important events, staffing and consultations.
- Provide emergency support and follow up support as necessary by informing appropriate authority.
- Any other related duties as assigned from time to time.

Reporting: The Counsellor cum laboratory technician will be reporting to the Project Officer – NCD project, Mysore or person designated by him /her.

Salary: The salary for the position is as per market rate and negotiable which will be fixed based on qualification, relevant experience, interview performance.

KHPT provides safe working environment for all its employees; follows the principle of equal opportunity and encourages women applicants. Physically challenged with required skills /knowledge and willing to travel are also encouraged to apply.

How to apply:

Interested candidates please apply using the prescribed **KHPT Application Format** and email it to jobs@khpt.org. Candidates can download the format by clicking on 'Application Format' or visit www.khpt.org to download the format.

The application should reach on or before 30th April, 2019.

Please note that completed applications in the prescribed format will help us in shortlisting.