

## **ADVERTISEMENT**

Basic information	
Position	Programme Technical Advisor
Job location	Ranchi, Jharkhand
No of positions	01 (Fixed term consultancy contract till 15 December 2022)
Last Date of Application	17-06-2022, the interviews will be conducted on a rolling basis as we keep on receiving applications till a suitable candidate is found, so the applicants are advised to apply as early as possible.

# **About PHIA Foundation and the Project**

Partnering Hope Into Action Foundation (PHIA) is a Charitable Trust registered in Delhi. Its vision is a society free from poverty, exclusion, and discrimination, and all people live with justice, peace, and dignity. PHIA works for the eradication of poverty among the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized communities in India. It works in partnership with civil society and community-based organizations. PHIA facilitates the empowerment of poor, vulnerable, and marginalized communities so that they can be in charge of their own development. Gender equality crosscuts all of PHIA's work.

PHIA Foundation interventions and programs are present in the states of Bihar, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, and Delhi NCR. It works on both long-term development programs and humanitarian responses. The organization follows a rights-based approach for inclusive and sustainable development. Evidence-based advocacy to improve policy implementation is integral to its approach. PHIA works in partnership with a variety of stakeholders that include Civil Society Organisations (CSOs), the private sector, multilateral and bilateral development agencies, philanthropy institutions, and the Government institutions to bring capabilities and capacities together to find scalable solutions to address poverty, and promote social justice, equity and dignity.

COVID 19 vaccination uptake has been low across many rural areas in Jharkhand and the process has been slow. The reason can partly be attributed to lack of planning and effective implementation but one of the key deterrents has been the hesitancy to take vaccines on account of myths and false beliefs among the rural communities especially in the remote geographies. The villages which are difficult to reach also have less vaccination coverage. The project intends to bridge this gap through intensive community mobilisation, tracking of the left outs and working closely with the state and district administration and other stakeholders to ensure that the left outs are covered under the vaccination thus reducing their health vulnerability against COVID 19. The project covers 1695 villages, 187 Gram Panchayats in 12 Blocks, 6 Districts (Hazaribagh, Simdega, Lohardaga, West Singhbhum, Ranchi Dumka) of Jharkhand.

### **About the Position**

PHIA Foundation is looking forward to recruiting a Programme Technical Advisor for the overall implementation leadership, management of the team, management of programme data and liaison with multiple stakeholders and donor reporting. The position will be reporting to the Senior Leadership at the state level and is based in Ranchi with expected travel to the six project districts and blocks.

### **Job Description**

The key responsibilities for the position of Programme Technical Advisor are as follows:

- Overall coordination with the Staff of the Project area.
- Coordination and partnership management for the Vaccination Campaign with the District and Block Administration.
- Liaison and partnership development with other stakeholders like state, and district-level like-minded organizations.
- Periodic review at the district, Block and Gram Panchayat level staff to provide strategic guidance and support.
- Donor compliance, monitoring, reporting, and documentation.
- On the job capacity building of the team members.
- Regular tracking and monitoring of project progress based on data and MIS.
- Tracking and ensuring timely budget utilization as per the project timeline.

#### Qualifications/experience/skills/knowledge and expertise

- Must have a graduate degree or equivalent Masters in social work as an educational qualification.
- At least five years of program management experience with supervisory function.
- Fluency in spoken and written English and Hindi is required. Knowledge of local dialects spoken in Jharkhand will be an added advantage.
- Excellent interpersonal, communication and organizational skills required along with computer and internet competency.
- Must be a team player with good leadership and managerial skills.
- Experience in Government and civil society partnerships.
- Experience in program monitoring and data-based report writing.
- A self-starter and able to work independently.
- Ability to work with a range of stakeholders from diverse backgrounds in an openminded and inclusive manner.

# **How to Apply**

Eligible candidates interested in this position are requested to apply through this link <a href="https://forms.gle/r2Gx5N54C3C8Fv13A">https://forms.gle/r2Gx5N54C3C8Fv13A</a> with an updated resume including the names of two referees, one of whom should be your present or last Reporting Manager, by or before 17-06-2022. The interviews will be conducted on a rolling basis as we keep on receiving applications till a suitable candidate is found, so the applicants are advised to apply as early as possible.

PHIA constantly strives to have an inclusive and diverse team and individuals from marginalised sections like Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and others, women and other gender identities are encouraged to apply. Owing to the high number of applications expected, only short-listed candidates will be contacted. If you do not hear back from us by 30 June 2022 kindly assume that your application has not been considered this time by us.