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### RESEARCH NURSE – ADOLESCENT STUDIES ONE YEAR MASIPHUMELELE

The Desmond Tutu HIV Foundation (DTHF) is a registered non-profit organisation focused on the pursuit of excellence in research, treatment and prevention of HIV and related infections in Southern Africa.

We invite applicants to apply for this one-year contract post at the Masiphumelele Youth Centre, Sunnydale, Cape Town.

#### Requirements:

- Registration with the South African Nursing Council (SANC) as a registered nurse
- At least one year research experience would be advantageous
- At least 2 years nursing experience
- Knowledge of HIV would be advantageous
- Training in Contraception including implant insertion would be advantageous
- Strong verbal, written and interpersonal communication skills
- Ability to work well under pressure and to maintain effectiveness during changing conditions
- A working knowledge of an adolescent friendly clinical environment would be advantageous
- Ability to work harmoniously with youth of diverse backgrounds
- Computer literacy with sound knowledge of email, word processing and internet
- Client focused
- Administration skills
- Must be able to work as a member of a team
- Must be detail orientated

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Providing a client focused youth friendly sexual and reproductive health service
- Maintaining strict client confidentiality
- Providing pre- and post-test counselling, as well as risk reduction counselling, for clients
- HIV testing
- Obtaining blood and tissue samples and processing them as required
- Conducting study procedures including ECG's, spirometry testing, etc
- Corresponding with the laboratory regarding query resolution
- Performing other client care procedures as required
- Entering data on case report forms and processing
- Performing Quality Control (QC) checks on CRFs and source documents
- Providing feedback to staff regarding common errors as part of the QC process

## PASSION | INNOVATION | PROGRESS

• Managing filing of CRFs, source documents and laboratory reports

To apply, quote Job reference, submit CV, motivation letter with certified copy of highest qualification and details of three (3) current contactable referees to: Attention HR Manager Jobs@hiv-research.org.za by 07<sup>th</sup> July 2016 Job reference: #DTHF/C016

NB: Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. We are committed to equity in our employment practices. It is our intention to appoint individuals with the aim of meeting our equity objectives. We reserve the right not to appoint if no suitable candidates are identified.

This job may be removed before it expires.

# If you are a foreign national applying for this position please attach a copy of your work permit to your application.

If you have not heard from us within two weeks after the closing date please consider your application as unsuccessful.

Desmond Tutu HIV Foundation is a child friendly organisation committed to the protection of children.

For more information about the organization please visit our website at www.desmondtutuhivfoundation.org.za