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COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

**PROJECT MANAGER
(12 months Fixed Term appointment)
Discipline of Psychiatry
SCHOOL OF CLINICAL MEDICINE
TOWN HILL HOSPITAL**

Ref. No.: T/CM18/2022

The Project Manager will be working with an international research team studying the Incidence of Psychosis in the Msunduzi Municipality. The PSYMAP-ZN Study team will aim to identify all incident cases of psychosis in an area of the municipality, and study the social, economic and environmental risk factors of psychosis. The Project Manager will work as part of a multi-disciplinary team to manage project activities and liaise with project partners and facilities. S/he will be responsible for coordinating the activities of a trans-disciplinary research team from South Africa, the UK, the Netherlands and the USA.

The research team is, therefore, looking for someone with good work ethic, good organizational and interpersonal skills. The person would also need to have an interest in research and have high ethical values. The Project Manager will be based predominantly at Town Hill Hospital.

The Project Manager will be required to:

The incumbent will be required to manage the PSYMAP-ZN Study. S/he will be responsible for comprehensive management of the project in terms of tracking progress, budget usage, general administration and reporting internally and externally to funders and other stakeholders. S/he will be required to meet frequently with academics, administrators, clinicians, healers, various internal and external stakeholders to advance the research.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- Masters level in Psychology/Public Health or equivalent degree
- Three years relevant or mental health research experience
- One year experience as a Project Manager

ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Fluency in isiZulu
- Proven project management skills
- Experience in working with multiple partners and stakeholders

This post reports to Prof B Chiliza. Enquiries regarding this post may be directed to Prof Chiliza on 031-260 4321. The job profile is available from Dr Vuyokazi Ntlantsana e-mail: Ntlantsanav@ukzn.ac.za. You are invited to visit the College website at <http://chs.ukzn.ac.za/Homepage.aspx>

The total remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 16 August 2022. The University reserves the right not to make any appointment.

Applicants are required to complete an online screening form <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSes8myN3THYoDw1oZobhkvwIT1sKOyGHK77n34EvY40MxDPA/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0> for the advertised post and the Application Form (support) which is available on the Vacancies website at <http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Home.aspx> . Completed forms may be sent to Miss Sthembile Jili, jilis@ukzn.ac.za. The Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the email subject line. If an applicant does not complete both the online screening form and the UKZN application form, the application for the vacancy will not be considered.