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COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

**SCHOOL OF NURSING AND PUBLIC HEALTH
CENTRE FOR RURAL HEALTH
RESEARCH INTERN (ONE YEAR FIXED TERM CONTRACT)
REFERENCE: CRH S-MhINT 1**

Southern African Research Consortium for Mental health INTegration (S-MhINT)

SMhINT is a NIH funded multi-national research and capacity building consortium located in the Centre for Rural Health within the School of Nursing and Public Health at the University of KwaZulu-Natal. Our partners include the University of Washington (UW), Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Sciences (MUHAS) in Tanzania, Health Alliance International (HAI) and the Beira Operations Research Center (CIOB) in Mozambique and the Ministries/Departments of Health in South Africa, Tanzania and Mozambique.

S-MhINT aims to use implementation science to strengthen regional mental health integration into primary health, antenatal, and chronic care platforms in under-resourced areas of eastern South Africa, central Mozambique and southern Tanzania.

The Research Intern will be based at the Centre for Rural Health, University of KwaZulu-Natal, and will assist with research administration, research design, data management, data analysis write-up and presentation of research findings within the Centre.

Minimum Requirements:

- Honours degree with Masters course work complete in research psychology or psychology
- Proven research experience in developing data collection tools, collecting of quantitative and/or qualitative data (or supervision thereof) and data entry (or supervision thereof)
- Computer skills: e-mail, word processing and spreadsheets
- Skills in data analysis (qualitative or quantitative) including experience with data analysis software e.g. Nvivo, SPSS.
- Experience with data management including data validation, cleaning and filing
- A valid driver's licence.

Advantages:

- Zulu speaking
- Facilitation experience
- Experience undertaking research activities in rural areas
- Experience in public health-related research
- Presentation of research data in peer reviewed journal or conference

- Good writing and communication skills
- Strong administration skills
- Preparedness to work on other mental health projects in the Center when necessary
- Preparedness to travel

This post reports to the S-MhINT Project Manager. The job profile is available from Mrs Bavashni Govender, Tel Number: 031 260 4500 or e-mail: crh@ukzn.ac.za.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 14 February 2019

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed forms must be sent to, crh@ukzn.ac.za. Please quote "RESEARCH INTERN" as a reference in your subject line.