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**COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
SCHOOL OF NURSING AND PUBLIC HEALTH
CENTRE FOR RURAL HEALTH
TRACING FIELDWORKER x1 (1 YEAR CONTRACT, RENEWABLE)
REFERENCE: ASENZE CRH 15**

ASENZE PROJECT

Asenze is a Research Project located in the Centre for Rural Health within the School of Nursing and Public Health at the University of KwaZulu-Natal. This study is done in collaboration with the University of Columbia and is funded by National Institutes of Health (NIH).

This study will focus on adolescents and the interrelationships between the development of risky behaviours (drug and alcohol misuse and unprotected sex) and the development of executive function in the context of early and ongoing adversity, and the role of family support. The focus will be on these interrelationships with a view to identifying both early and concurrent determinants of adolescent risk and resilience that will contribute to the development of effective preventive and supportive interventions.

The Tracing Fieldworker will be required to track and find research participants, conduct research assessments, and refer participants to additional services as required.

This appointment is based in the Valley of a 1000 Hills.

Minimum Requirements:

- Senior certificate
- Valid Drivers License and able to driver in challenging terrains in the Valley of 1000 hills region
- 3 years relevant experience working within a reserach project conducting door to door community outreach including community tracing and interviews
- Proficiency in Microsoft Excel and Word
- Fluency in isiZulu and proficiency in English

Advantages:

- Familiarity with the Valley of 1000 hills area.

This position is based full-time in the Valley of a 1000 Hills. The candidate will be required to travel within that community. The project does not cover any relocation costs. This

post reports to the Fieldwork Coordinator. Enquiries regarding this post as well as the request for the job profile may be directed to Ms Furzana Timol at timolf@ukzn.ac.za

The closing date for receipt of applications is 10 July 2020. The University however, reserves the right in special circumstances to accept late applications or extend the above date in order to facilitate further searches.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za.

Completed application forms must be accompanied by a curriculum vitae formatted to include each minimum requirement as stated in the advertisement, together with supporting documents where applicable, and a covering letter and must be sent to E-mail address crh@ukzn.ac.za. Please quote ASENZE CRH 15 as a reference in your subject line.