



HEALTH SYSTEMS STRENGTHENING DIRECTORATE

TOR-UHC DELIVERY LAB INTERNS

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1.1	JOB TITLE	UHC Delivery Lab Interns (2 positions)
1.2	Directorate/Unit	UHC Delivery Lab, Health Systems Strengthening Directorate
1.3	PHYSICAL LOCATION	Headquarters, Amref Health Africa
1.4	PERIOD	3 Months (with possibility of extension)

About Amref Health Africa:

Amref Health Africa is a leading African health organization that works to ensure lasting health change across the continent. With over 60 years of experience, Amref Health Africa envisions a continent where every person has the opportunity to enjoy a healthy life. The organization's mission is to improve the health of people in Africa by partnering with and empowering communities, and strengthening health systems.

About the UHC Delivery Lab:

The UHC Delivery Lab is a dynamic and innovative regional technical hub hosted by Amref Health Africa. Our mission is to facilitate and accelerate the journey towards Universal Health Coverage (UHC) in diverse African contexts. As a collaborative knowledge platform, we are dedicated to research, analysis, policy engagement, and advocacy, aimed at equipping stakeholders across the continent with practical insights and strategies for achieving UHC. The Lab recognizes that each country's path to UHC is unique, requiring adaptable and dynamic approaches to address the challenges faced by policymakers and implementers alike.

About the Role:

The UHC Delivery Lab is seeking motivated and enthusiastic interns to join its team. The interns will play a crucial role in supporting the Lab's various initiatives aimed at advancing UHC in diverse African contexts. This is an excellent opportunity for individuals interested in public health, policy analysis, and healthcare systems strengthening to gain practical experience and contribute to the UHC agenda in Africa.

Key Responsibilities:

- **Research and Analysis:** Conduct research on various aspects of UHC, including health systems strengthening, policy development, financing mechanisms, and service delivery models. Analyze data and contribute to the creation of evidence-based resources.
- **Knowledge Generation:** Assist in producing knowledge products such as policy briefs, reports, case studies, and presentations. Help in translating complex research findings into accessible formats for diverse stakeholders.
- **Policy Engagement:** Support the Lab's engagement with policymakers, government agencies, NGOs, and other stakeholders by providing input on policy documents, attending meetings, and contributing to strategic discussions.
- **Advocacy Support:** Contribute to advocacy efforts by assisting in the development of advocacy materials and communication strategies to promote activities both in the Lab and Health Systems Strengthening Directorate
- **Collaboration:** Collaborate with multidisciplinary teams within the directorate and across the organization to integrate different perspectives into Lab related projects.

- **Event Participation:** Participate in workshops, webinars, and conferences related to UHC and health system strengthening. Help in organizing and coordinating Lab events.

Qualifications and skills:

- Currently pursuing or recently completed a degree in public health, health policy, international development or a related field.
- Strong interest in and understanding of Universal Health Coverage, health systems strengthening, and global health issues in African contexts.
- Excellent research and analytical skills, with the ability to synthesize complex information and communicate it effectively.
- Strong written and verbal communication skills.
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively in a diverse team and adapt to a dynamic working environment.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite and other relevant software applications.
- Proactive, self-motivated, and able to manage multiple tasks and deadlines.
- Knowledge of African health systems, policies, and development challenges is desirable.

Duration:

This is a 3-month internship position with the possibility of extension based on performance and availability.

Application Process:

Please visit our website <https://amref.org/vacancies/> to make your application. You will be directed to our online portal where you will need to create an account in order for you to be able to submit your application. Your application should include a cover letter detailing why you are the best fit for this position and your CV with relevant skills and experience. Closing date will be **October 20th, 2023**. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Duly note that Amref Health Africa does not require applicants to pay any fee at whatever stage of the recruitment and selection progress.

Amref Health Africa is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff to share this commitment.