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**PROFILE**

I possess over 5 years of active support in public health interventions. My experience spans across five globally funded projects, in the areas of program planning, community mobilization and advocacy, program evaluation and capacity building. Exposing me to different areas of program implementation and program reporting requirements both qualitative and quantitative.

**SUMMARY OF SKILLS**

* Excels in priority determinations
* Ability to identify and collaborate with partners to address health inequities
* Skilful in motivating people
* Understands the importance of Community and Individual health
* Demonstrates sound understanding of determinants of health
* Strong attention to detail
* Ability to advocate
* Good communication and interpersonal skills
* Ability to work with people from diverse background
* Great evaluation and analytical skills
* Professional communication and health promotion skills.
* Ability to implement effective practice guidelines.
* Excellent time management skills.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**EXPERIENCE:**

**Black Girls Lead Program: Program Implementation and Engagement: Black Canadian Women in Action (BCW)**

**Role: Youth Mentor**

**Responsibilities:**

* Support mentees to develop leadership skills
* Develop positive and supportive relationship with assigned mentees
* Support mentees to develop positive worldviews
* Guide mentees on how to overcome mistakes
* Provide real time report on engagement with mentees

**August 2022-August 2023**

**Social Behavioral Change Communication Consultant- Institute of Human Virology Nigeria**

* Provide technical and program support to field officers across project states.
* Collaborate with the stakeholders to conduct health outreaches in communities
* Monitoring and evaluation of project deliverables
* Engage in advocacy visits with relevant stakeholders for improved program outcomes.
* Support strategy planning and execution for communication plans and programs.
* Work with internal team leads to brainstorm IEC contents, in support of various health brand initiatives.
* Work with the graphic team to provide event posters, design learning slides, approved algorithms/ SOPs, short text graphics and other relevant graphic needs of the project
* Write program success stories
* Work with state team leads to update project fact sheets.

**March 2021 – July 2022**

**Program Coordinator. Program Implementation Unit. Heartland Alliance**

* + Coordinate the activities of community volunteers across project sites
  + Interface between Ministry of Health and implementing agencies
  + Identify, document, monitor and manage project risks that would impact project delivery and the overall program performance.
  + Monitor, evaluate and report on assigned project portfolio against set KPI.
  + Ensured timely data collection and reporting to the state team to inform decision making.
  + Collate timesheets, prepare and review payment schedule for ad hoc staff and facility volunteers for further review by the finance team.
  + Continuously monitor and evaluate project performance to ensure attainment of milestones; proffer corrective actions to return projects to schedule, coordinate and document project review meetings and attendant action items.
  + Analyze and recommend capacity building needs to strengthen team members in achieving project objectives.
  + Provide daily, weekly, and monthly reports of project performance across assigned LGA project
  + Manage all stakeholders including project beneficiaries, volunteers and focal persons to ensure harmonious working relationship

**July 2020 – February 2021**

**Program Officer. Program Management Unit. AHNi**

* + Plan project activities, define deliverables and milestones in line with program objectives.
  + Monitor and evaluate program performance across all assigned projects.
  + Carry out regular stakeholder engagement to ensure smooth-running of projects.
  + Provide adequate project documentation of intervention activities.
  + Provide technical and programmatic guidance to Faith Based Organizations (FBOs) who serve majorly as Implementing partners
  + Develop facility based quarterly reports in support of program activities in the facility
  + Coordinate the activities of community volunteers across project sites
  + Interface between Ministry of Health and implementing agencies
  + Perform other duties as assigned

**Jan 2020-- June 2020**

**Volunteer FHI 360**

* + Facilitate capacity building sessions for GBV focal persons across LGAs.
  + Provide guidance on data gathering and documentation.
  + Provide direction on GBV data points as observed from facility service flow.

**Jan 2012- August 2018**

**Volunteer Program Officer. Program Management. Community Development Institute**

**Responsibilities:**

* + Plan, design and supervise implementation of community intervention programs,
  + Monitor, evaluate and report on program activities
  + Maintain updated activity tracker across approved project activities
  + Plan and monitor budget performance to ensure project is completed within budget
  + Ensure adequate and safe documentation of all relevant project activities
  + Schedule and coordinate project review meetings
  + Maintain robust stakeholder engagement with relevant individuals and organizations to achieve successful program outcomes.

**TRAININGS**

* First Aid, CPR/AED Level C (BL). 2023
* Providing First-line Support to Survivors of 2021

Gender-Based Violence in HIV Settings. Training provided by USAID

* Gender and Sexual Diversity Training 2021

Training provided by USAID, PEPFAR and

HEALTH POLICY PLUS

* M& E Fundamentals 2021

Global Health e-learning Center

* Health communication for Managers 2021

Global Health e-learning Center

**EDUCATION**

* Masters in Public Health, University of Alberta In View
* Masters in Communication (Health communication). Covenant University 2018
* Bachelor of Art Mass Communication. University of Nigeria 2005

**RESEARCH:**

* Design of Hepatitis B Intervention Plan using ACADA Model
* Intimate Partner Violence
* Awareness and Practices on Depression among University Students
* First Hundred Days of COVID -19 in Nigeria
* Awareness and Impact assessment of Televised maternal health on women
* Life Expectancy of women in North England
* Teenage Pregnancy: Thematic review of Secondary Data

**KEY TRAININGS PROVIDED**

* + Capacity building for GBV focal persons across facilities – May 2021
  + Capacity building session for CEAs on ICT cascade, ICT service delivery and service documentation July- 2021
  + Capacity building for Community and Facility Case Managers. May 2022

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

* + Project Management Professional (PMP) Boot camp

**REFERENCES**

* + Available upon request