Consultant Project Officer-
Mali

Do you have a passion for children’s rights?

Child Helpline International is a collective impact organisation with 168 child helpline members in 139 countries and territories around the world. In 2017 and 2018, our network of child helpline members received a total average of 13 million contacts. The organisation works to influence and change attitudes, transform policies and practices and coordinate advocacy, and to share the information and viewpoints, knowledge and data that will enable profound change in child protection systems at the national, regional and global levels.

Our office is based in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, but we are currently working remotely due to the COVID-19 situation.

We are excited to announce an opening for a Consultant Project Officer Mali (based in Mali) to support with the implementation of our activities aims to setting up a child helpline in Mali.

A cross-cutting issue of this project is setting up a child helpline. You will be working with key child protection stakeholders including the Government, UNICEF, Plan International, Children and young people, Telecoms, INGO in Mali.

This project is funded by UNICEF Mali

Your tasks:

You will be supporting the Project Coordinator (supervisor) and:

- Provide overall technical expertise and oversee project planning and quality assurance;
- Facilitate the planning and the implementation of the activities according to a timeline;
- Liaise with the Project Coordinator at Plan International Mali to align the activities and timeline at the country level;
- Provide timely and accurate reporting;
- Communications and liaison with key stakeholders such as Direction Nationale de l’Enfance and Plan International Mali,
- Support and supervise local consultants
- General administration and preparation of financial reports.

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Every child has a voice.
We believe that no child should be left unheard.
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Who you are:

- You have a strong interest in children’s rights and child helplines. Experience relating to the above-mentioned groups is a plus.
- A post-graduate study in international development, project management, social sciences or related fields;
- Experience in child protection and child safeguarding is a strong plus; Strong experience in child protection issues in Mali is a plus.
- Proven networking skills;
- A broad knowledge of in-country based and regional dynamics in Mali
- Fluency in French and English. Spanish and/or Portuguese will be considered an asset;
- Excellent analytical, planning and organisational skills;
- Excellent written verbal and communication skills, public speaking and presentation skills;
- Advanced ICT skills;
- Ability to work with minimum supervision at times;
- Focused, organised and flexible attitude to work with hands on mentality.

Salary Indication

€130 cross per day all inclusive, based on 8 hours and depending on relevant experience.

The initial consultancy contract period is six months with the possibility of extending for an additional six months based on performance.

The start date for this position is September 2020.

The deadline for applications is 23 August 2020, 23.59 WAT (UTC+1).

Interested applicants can send their CV and a short letter of motivation (250 words max) to Angharad Wells Angharad@childhelplineinternational.org

Only applicants with a work permit for Mali will be considered.

Looking forward to hearing from you!