



CARIBBEAN EPIDEMIOLOGY CENTRE
(CAREC/PAHO/WHO)



VACANCY –
Behavioural Change/Communication Advisor
Duty Station - BARBADOS

SUMMARY OF POSITION

The incumbent will provide technical leadership for a professional team with a broad range of specialization and for Professionals in the ECS and Barbados, to implement behavioural change interventions aimed at reducing the transmission of HIV and Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) in the Caribbean region.

QUALIFICATIONS, EXPERIENCE AND REQUIRED COMPETENCIES

Masters Degree in Public Health, the social or behavioural sciences or related discipline. At least seven years experience in training or designing, implementing and evaluating communication and behavioural interventions in health, population or a related field. Strong experience related to health, population or other development issues, particularly in developing countries, and specifically in the Caribbean or in Caribbean Communities would be an asset..

OR

Ph.D. in a relevant discipline and two years experience in a related field. International experience in a public health environment would be an asset.

PLUS

In-depth understanding of the HIV/AIDS pandemic and its implications and life style diseases.

In-depth knowledge about HIV/AIDS and other STIs and their effects on individuals and societies.

Familiarity with computer applications for greater efficiency.

COMPENSATION

A competitive salary is being offered with an attractive benefits package that includes group life insurance, a group health plan with vision and dental benefits and a provident fund scheme. The closing date for applications is **November 29, 2002**.

Applications should be addressed to : The Manager
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