Job Profile & Description – Global Fund - TB Project

Job Title	:	State Program Specialist (ACF)
Location	:	Hyderabad
Name of the state	:	Telangana
Name of the organization	:	TB Alert India

About the Project: With the support of The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria (GFATM) and guidance from the Central TB Division, will be implementing; (a) Integrated Pediatric TB care services in both the public and private health sectors to increase pediatric TB case detection and improve treatment outcomes, and (b) Active Case Finding (ACF) for early detection of missing TB cases among key and vulnerable populations, using innovative AI-enabled portable X-ray devices. SAATHII is the Principal Recipient of the grant and TB Alert India (TBAI) is the SR for implementation in state of Telangana.

TB Alert India seeks application for the post of State Program Specialist for ACF who will lead implementation of project "Decentralizing Pediatric TB Care Services in Public & Private Health Sector and enhance case detection through ACF with Handheld X-Ray across selected districts in the state of Telangana.

Project Duration: 3 years up to March 2027

Reporting to: State Technical Manager/State Director

Key Responsibilities

- Lead the overall ACF strategy using handheld portable X-ray device and provide technical support to State and district NTEP units in planning and implementation of the activities as per the Project Guidelines.
- Collaborating with various stakeholders at the State & districts level for microplanning and training sessions for health staff on the ACF campaign.
- Supervise and manage the district level field team responsible for case-finding activities by providing necessary guidance & support for seamless implementation.
- Assist or conduct health promotion activities focused on systematic TB screening using handheld/portable X-Ray.
- Conduct monthly, quarterly, and annual planning and reviews to ensure project alignment with established plans/targets.
- Lead and review data analysis mapping the Key Vulnerable Populations and identify program deliverable gaps and issues, taking responsibility for translating these findings into evidence-based program implementation and strategy.
- Ensuring the uninterrupted supply of consumables diagnostics and drugs under the project.
- Support the State TB cell in Project Implementation Plan (PIP) budgeting and provide technical leadership in articulating issues and proposing solutions.
- Lead and implement the Community Engagement activities for conducting ACF at State & Districts level.
- Ensure data quality and reporting as per the M&E framework.
- Act as the program representative in government forums, partner meetings, and professional medical association gatherings, sharing program updates.
- Facilitate the MoUs with the identified Private Labs for CXR Services wherever is required.
- Facilitate the team to Identify a Radiologist at the Districts for the interpretation support of the X-Rays and reporting.

- Perform the supportive supervision and monitoring visits ensuring the quality of the programme implementation considering the set targets to achieve.

- Assist the State Technical Manager in strengthening Paediatric TB initiatives across Telangana, particularly in ACF districts, through coordination with field teams, NTEP, and key stakeholders
- Assist State Technical Manager and State Director for developing project reports and process documents submitting periodically to the relevant stakeholders within agreed timelines.
- Conduct monthly, quarterly, and annual planning and reviews to ensure the project adheres to the established plans and addressing the technical & field level challenges.
- Undertake any other activities and responsibilities as reasonably required by the project and organization.

Qualifications and Skills:

- Postgraduate in MSW or social sciences and priority will be given for the MPH as an additional qualification.
- 7+ years of professional experience including at least 2 years of managing state level health programs, and experience with government engagement.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills in English, and working knowledge of **Telugu is must**
- Understanding of the TB program and private health sector functioning are preferable.
- Ability to liaison & engage with stakeholders from multiple sectors of government, private health care providers, civil society and communities at state levels
- Excellent computer skills, including use of Internet, MS Office™ software, and data analytics.
- Familiarity with experience of monitoring and supervision visits and using M&E data in program management.
- Willingness to be based in state headquarter, and travel extensively to project implementation geographies.
- Ability to prioritise and work independently as a team player in a complex, multicultural environment.

Remuneration

The compensation for the above-mentioned position/s will adhere to internal policies and market standards, determined by qualifications, relevant experience, and to the maximum of Rs. 70,000 (CTC) per month however this is subjected to last drawn salary and internal parity.

TBAI is an equal opportunity employer, encourage women candidates, TB Survivors and the individuals with physical challenges meeting the above criteria to apply. TBAI provides a safe, inclusive, and supportive work environment. Our selection process will consider experience, competency, suitability, and knowledge of our health programs. Only shortlisted candidates will be invited for an interview. Preference will be given to candidates with relevant experience and local candidates with the required skills.

TBAI has a zero-tolerance policy towards individuals who engage in sexual harassment, abuse, or exploitation. We strongly discourage anyone with such intentions from applying for this position. Our commitment is to maintain a safe and respectful environment for all.

TO APPLY:

Interested candidates are requested to submit their detailed CV to jobs@tbalertindia.org by **Saturday, 5th December 2026**. Please mention the position title in the subject line of your email.

Please note that recruitment will be conducted on a rolling basis, and applications may be reviewed as they are received.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for an interview, which will also be conducted on a rolling basis.