



CAPRISA

CENTRE FOR THE AIDS PROGRAMME OF RESEARCH IN SOUTH AFRICA



CAPRISA IS A UNAIDS
COLLABORATING CENTRE
FOR HIV PREVENTION RESEARCH

The Centre for the AIDS Programme of Research in South Africa (CAPRISA) is a joint venture involving the University of KwaZulu-Natal, University of Cape Town, University of the Western Cape, the National Institute for Communicable Diseases and Columbia University in New York. CAPRISA is seeking to appoint Research Nurses and an Auxiliary Nurse Associate in Vulindlela.

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Vulindlela (Howick Region)

RESEARCH NURSE (2 POSTS)

(2-year fixed-term appointment)

Treatment and Prevention Studies

(Ref. CAP11/2008)

Essential requirements: ● Degree or diploma in Nursing Science ● Community Nursing Science or Primary Health Care ● Diploma/certificate in HIV and AIDS Counselling ● Current registration with the SANC and HPCSA ● Fluent in English and isiZulu ● 2 years' experience working in the HIV-AIDS field.

Recommendations: ● Basic computer literacy ● A valid driver's licence ● Preparedness to work after hours ● Report-writing skills and experience ● Research experience strongly recommended ● Working experience in a Primary Health Care capacity.

Responsibilities: ● Clinical Nurse Practitioner ● Support research and other clinical activities within the study ● Recruitment enrolling and retaining of study participants ● Provide pre- and post-test counselling ● Education and support of project participants ● Maintain clinical and regulatory records ● Implement study procedures in accordance with Good Clinical Practice standards ● Study-related administration.

AUXILIARY NURSE

(2-year fixed-term appointment)

(Ref. CAP12/2008)

Essential requirements: ● Qualified Auxiliary Nurse registered with the SANC ● At least 1 year's post-qualification experience ● Fluent in English and Zulu.

Recommendations: ● Basic computer literacy ● Experience in the HIV-AIDS field ● Diploma/certificate in HIV and AIDS Counselling.

Responsibilities: ● Label laboratory specimens ● Handle and ship laboratory specimens ● Assist with the recruitment of potential study subjects ● Assist the Research Clinicians during patient examination ● Translation when necessary ● Monitor equipment and supplies.

Closing date: 15 AUGUST 2008.

If you are not contacted within 8 weeks of the closing date of this advertisement, please consider your application to have been unsuccessful.

Applicants are required to submit a Curriculum Vitae, quoting the relevant reference number, to: Ms Nomvula Gcaleka, Human Resources Officer, CAPRISA, Nelson R Mandela School of Medicine, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Private Bag X7, Congella 4013. Tel. +27 (0)31 260-4310. Fax: +27 (0)31 260-4822 or e-mail: gcaleka@ukzn.ac.za

In addition, applicants are requested to provide contact details (e-mail addresses, fax and telephone numbers) of three referees.

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