RESEARCH ASSISTANT POSITION IN GLOBAL HEALTH

The Center for Global Health at Weill Cornell Medical College invites applications for a 1-year plus additional year renewable global health research fellowship position based in New York, NY and offering unique opportunities to participate in global health research and program development. Our work focuses on global health research in the areas of HIV and chronic diseases (such as cardiovascular disease) in Haiti, Africa, and India. Our work includes studies in clinical epidemiology, clinical trials, and implementation science. The research assistant will report to Dr. Molly McNairy, Associate Professor of Medicine in the Weill Cornell Center for Global Health, and work with a team of research staff, students, fellows, and faculty in New York and at our international sites principally in Haiti. They will participate in scientific activities in multiple global health projects including study design and implementation, data analyses, manuscript preparation, dissemination, and development of proposals.

Our Center for Global Health has leading research programs in the clinical epidemiology of infectious diseases, women's health, and cardiometabolic diseases in Brazil, Tanzania, Haiti, India, and Uganda. The mission of our Center is to address health problems that transcend national boundaries through service, research and training. The Center has 10 core faculty members and more than 30 collaborating faculty, and it has received continual support from the National Institutes of Health for research and training for four decades. Major international partners include: The Federal University of Bahia and Fiocruz in Salvador, Brazil; GHESKIO in Port-au-Prince, Haiti; Weill Bugando School of Medicine in Mwanza, Tanzania; and BJ Medical College in Pune, India.

The research fellow will meet regularly with faculty they are assisting to create an individual development plan, review progress, trouble-shoot challenges, and guide analysis and writing of projects they are involved with.

Responsibilities

Creating meeting agendas and documentation Data cleaning and quality assurance Survey design Database and dataset management Performing literature reviews Preparation of study forms Research staff training IRB study management Assisting with grant proposal development

Requirements for this position include: fluency in English, an undergraduate degree, interest in global health and/or chronic disease research. Prior experience in a resource-poor country, proficiency in French or Haitian Creole, as well as experience in R is encouraged but not required.

Project Personnel are linked below: Molly McNairy (PI, Weill Cornell Medicine)

This one-year position with an additional renewable year will begin on or about 1st June 2024. Applications will remain open to candidates with U.S. citizenship or a visa to work in the U.S. until the position is filled. To apply, please send a letter describing research interests, writing sample, and curriculum vita to Nour Mourra (centerforglobalhealth04@gmail.com). Please include "Research Assistant in Global Health - NY" in the subject line.