Vacancy Announcement

Research Fellow- 1 position

The BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health (JPGSPH) at BRAC University was established in 2004 as an educational and research institution focusing on the integral areas of teaching, research, and services. The goal of the school is not only to impart knowledge but also to act as a center of excellence in knowledge creation through research and training that connects with practice. The Center of Excellence for health Systems and Universal Health Coverage (CoEHS&UHC) is one of the five research centers of excellence established in 2012. The center generates essential evidence to inform key stakeholders in policy and practice for necessary interventions. Research area covers UHC, equity and social determinants of health, HRH, pharmaceuticals, governance, AMR, epidemic preparedness, marginalized population and so on.

CoEHSUHC is looking for a **Research Fellow** to lead a census on community health workers in selected districts/upazilla's in the county. Details of the position are stated below:

Webpage Link: **https://bracjpgsph.org/career.php**

Key responsibilities:

- Lead, coordinate and supervise a census on community health workers in selected districts/upazillas as Co-Expert.
- Will lead producing a GIS map to show the locations of CHWs mapped in each sub-districts (upazilas) and unions.
- Designing and implementing tab-based data collection and management systems for a census.
- Develop data collection applications using Open Data Kit (ODK) such as Survey CTO and Kobo Tool Box.
- Conducting data collection training and workshop for field enumerators.
- Developing and maintaining database as per required statistical formats.
- Troubleshooting of survey application and device (tablet and mobile performance).
- Will be responsible for smoothly operating/ running the agreed methodology (especially the census) at the field level and will collaborate with other team members.
- Applying statistical tools and techniques such as Stata and R for data analysis for data management and analysis.
- Presenting census findings to donor/partners and relevant stakeholders.

Requirement

- Master's degree in Statistics/Biostatistics with three years of experience in data management and analysis.
- Training/ experience in geographical information systems (GIS).
- Ability to manage, process, analyze and interpret cross-sectional and longitudinal data.
- Attention to detail and excellent recordkeeping skills.
- Ability to interpret analyzed data for reporting.
- Ability to write report.
- Good writing and communication skills both in Bengali and English.

Salary: Negotiable. Commensurate with experience and qualification.

Contract Period: Four months (expected to start from November 2022, with possibility of extension)

Benefits: As per the policies of BRAC JPGSPH.

How to apply: Interested candidates are requested to send their CV to semonty.jahan@bracu.ac.bd by October 25, 2022.Only short-listed candidates shall be invited for the interview. The Organization reserves the right to make an appointment at a grade lower than that advertised.