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Position Title: **Psychologist**  
Organizational Unit: **Psychosocial**  
Duty Station: **Hasansham/Chamakor (1), Qayyarah Airstrip/Haj Ali (1)  
Mosul City (1), Nargizlia (1)**  
Type of Contract: **Stars Orbit, Subcontracted to IOM**  
Type of Appointment: **Six Months with Possibility of Extension**  
Grade: **Equivalent to G4**  
Closing Date: **March 26, 2017**  
Reference Code: **SVN2017/IRQ/012**

### **Context:**

In the frame of the activities of the IOM program “Mosul Emergency Response and Preparedness”, under the overall supervision of the Psychosocial Support and Social Cohesion Unit’s Program Coordinator, the direct supervision of the Psychosocial Officer, the successful candidate will be responsible to:

1. Facilitate assessment of MHPSS needs in designated communities;
2. Provide counselling services for displaced families and individuals in camps and host communities;
3. Identify severe cases that require specialized intervention and refer them.
4. Organize a system of referral in an outpatient mode;
5. Develop awareness messages/campaigns related to Mental Health and Psychosocial Support (psychological wellbeing, conflict management, cultural awareness) to be disseminated to the affected population;
6. Provide psychosocial first aid and counselling to the affected population in case of sudden/on-going emergency;
7. Train focal points/volunteers in camps and communities on psychosocial support related issues;
8. Organize support groups and forums for the affected population in camps and host communities;
9. Report on the activities/sessions conducted to the Psychosocial Officer and Program Coordinator;
10. Map the existing needs of the affected populations;
11. Any other duty as may be assigned by the Program Coordinator or Project Officer.

### **Desirable Qualifications:**

- Bachelor’s Degree in Psychology or Educational Psychology. Major in clinical or counselling psychology preferable.
- Post-graduate studies in Psychology and/or Psychosocial Support in emergency settings is an advantage.
- Previous experiences in counselling and protection activities in related Governments of intervention is an advantage.
- Experience in communicating and working with a wide range of people, including people of culturally diverse backgrounds.

**Competencies:**

- good communication, interpersonal and organizational skills;
- ability to draft clearly and concisely;
- demonstrated gender awareness and gender sensitivity;
- ability to work effectively and harmoniously with colleagues from varied cultures and professional backgrounds;
- ability to work under pressure
- personal commitment, efficiency, flexibility and drive for results;
- Proficiency in Office applications, including Word and Excel, internet explorer and basic knowledge of SPSS.

**Language:**

- Arabic is mandatory
- Knowledge of English is an advantage.

**How to apply:**

Interested candidates are invited to submit their applications via a link:

<http://iomiraq.net/vacancies/psychologist-0>

In order for an application to be considered valid, IOM only accepts online profiles duly completed. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

**Posting period:**

From: 12.03.2017 to 26.03.2017