

Social Auxiliary Worker GBV ***(Short term employment contract)***

Contract ending March 2022

Applicants should be from the Eastern Cape (OR Tambo District)

Childline South Africa is a non-profit organisation which works to protect children from violence and further the culture of children's rights in South Africa. Childline runs a national, 24-hour, toll-free telephone counselling service for children and adults.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

The incumbent will serve as a First responder at the Crisis Centre

- Provide safe and confidential crisis interventions for survivors of sexual violence.
- Assist the client in being prepared for the services that will be performed and liaise effectively with all role players to ensure that survivors are attended to promptly.
- Provide trauma containment/acute psychological support and support to survivors throughout the process of receiving services at a designated sexual violence facility.
- Provide pre- and post-test HIV testing and counselling only when sufficiently trained.
- Provide treatment literacy and linkage to care for HIV positive clients (ART) and HIV negative clients (PEP).
- Provide supportive counselling for adherence to Post-Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP).
- Screen for TB, provide treatment literacy, and linkage to care.
- Screen for STIs, provide treatment literacy and linkage to care.
- Provide treatment literacy for sexual and reproductive health services and link to appropriate care.
- Ensure the safety and comfort of survivors.
- Be present, at the survivor's request, during the taking of the survivor's statement by the police, as well as during forensic examination.
- Compile files, notes or reports that are addressed to the supervising social worker.
- Assist in social care when delegated and supervised by a social worker.
- Provide support to administrative tasks, such as assisting with reception duties.

**Requirements:**

- Qualification on Social Auxiliary worker and be registered with the South African Council for Social Service Professions
- Minimum experience on working with survivors of sexual violence
- 1-2 years working experience with survivors of sexual violence
- Experience working in HIV, TB, STI & gender-based violence programmes
- Computer literacy (Intermediate level in MS Office package)
- Ability to communicate in English and IsiXhosa or another South African language.
- Clear criminal record
- Drivers license an advantage

To apply, submit your CV with three contactable referees and a motivational letter to socialworker2@childlinesa.org.za.

Closing Date: 21st January 2022