Seed Nurse Educator

About Seed Global Health

Seed Global Health (Seed) envisions a world in which every country is strengthened by a robust health workforce that can meet the health needs of its population. We partner to train nurses, midwives, and physicians, building health teams that can provide high-quality care and save lives. We do this by strengthening clinical care delivery, improving health workforce education, and supporting policies that enable health professionals to succeed. Seed is dedicated to creating lasting change in the health systems of our partner countries: Malawi, Sierra Leone, Uganda, and Zambia. To ensure that these changes are durable, we form deep local partnerships that inform our work at both the individual and systems levels. Together, we create multi-generational impact by investing in people to not only treat today’s problems but solve for tomorrow’s.

Nurse Educators will work alongside nursing faculty at academic institutions and nursing preceptors at clinical sites in Uganda for one year. During their service they will support the development and teaching of a broad scope of nursing courses including classroom, skills/simulation lab and clinical education in Bachelors/Masters of nursing curriculum and programs such as ETAT, EMONC, and BLS.

In collaboration with their local counterparts, Seed Nurse Educators will help develop or refine locally tailored best practice approaches to nursing education and encourage a continuous culture of excellence, responsibility, and accountability in the delivery of health care. Key roles and responsibilities may include (but are not limited to):

- Providing evidence-based methods for clinical and classroom-based instruction and evaluation to students, clinicians or other learners emphasizing best practices; (e.g. EMONC, ETAT, BLS)
- Supporting formal and informal professional development and mentoring opportunities requested by partner-country faculty and clinicians;
Facilitating academic-clinical partnerships to develop practice improvement projects that strengthen care at the point of service and provide learning opportunities for students and clinical staff;

If appropriate, working with national (including ministries of health and education) nursing and midwifery organizations to assist in the planning, implementation and/or evaluation of policies that support the enhancement of the professions of nursing and midwifery;

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible to serve with Seed Global Health as a Nurse Educator, you must at minimum have:

- A Bachelor of Nursing (BSN) and a Master’s degree
- An active, valid nursing license
- At least 3-5 years of clinical experience as a Nurse
- At least 5 years of experience in both didactic and clinical teaching
- Ability to commit to a 12-month placement
- Ability to meet in-country work permit and licensing criteria and obtain clinical license in your placement country
- English language proficiency

Preference is given to applicants who demonstrate:

- Master’s in a nursing specialty (ex. Critical Care)
- 5+ years of experience in classroom assessment and curriculum development
- Certification in BLS
- Minimum of 6-months living and working in low-resource health care settings either domestically and/or internationally

Seed does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, handicap, age, religion, sexual orientation, or national or ethnic origin.