



**Position Title: Prevention and HTS Intern (8 Positions)**

**Reports to:** Prevention and HTS Officer

**Duty Station:** Mwanza

**Travel:** Up to 50% in intervention sites

**Overall Job Function:**

ICAP is inviting interested candidates to complete an internship and gain exposure in supporting HIV prevention programs on HIV Self Testing (HIVST), Social Network Strategies (SNS) and index testing services in Mwanza region. HIVST is a screening tool that provides an innovative method to stimulate demand for HIV testing services and support the accelerated identification of persons living with HIV. HIVST is currently integrated a part of routine service delivery across health facilities in Mwanza. The interns will work closely with the Prevention and HTS Officers to Scale up of testing for social contacts of clients at high risk of HIV and scale up distribution of HIV Self Tests.

**Specific responsibilities and duties:**

- Work closely with Prevention and HTS Officers to design and implement strategies for scale up of HIVST and SNT activities.
- Participate in follow up and monitoring of KVP testing activities including index testing activities.
- Document on best practices and lesson learnt on HTS activities across FIKIA+ supported districts.
- Participate in program calls to identify gaps and opportunities for improvement in current approach.
- Participate in the rollout of new innovative strategies to improve identification.
- Perform any other assigned duties by the supervisors



**Required competencies and qualifications:**

- Required: Diploma or higher in Development Studies/Sociology/Community/Development/Medical studies from recognized academic institution.
- **Required:** Excellent communication skills, including writing and presentation skills.
- Fluent in both Kiswahili and English.
- Strong computer skills (MS Excel, Access, Word, and PowerPoint at minimum).
- Flexible to work after normal working hours and weekends at various community locations.
- Ability to interact well with all targeted groups and peer volunteers by facilitating a non-judgmental, non-discriminatory, and non-stigmatizing environment in the program, to welcome all beneficiaries regardless of their background

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