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Vacancy

DENTAL THERAPIST I

Applications are invited from qualified candidates for appointment to the above post in the Civil Service tenable in the Ministry of Health.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

The candidate must have the following qualifications.

- Bachelor Degree in Dental Therapy
- Five (5) years of service as a Dental Therapist II
- Registration with Eswatini Medical and Dental Council

DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES

- To provide preventive and promotive oral health education and instructions to inpatients and outpatients including nutritional counselling and dietary analysis.
- To provide nutritional counselling and dietary analysis for prevention of common dental conditions.
- To conduct oral assessment, evaluates dental disease and formulate individualized treatment plan authorized by the collaborative Dental Practitioner.
- To carry out prescribed routine clinical interventions and assist in the provision of dental care services.
- To supervise and coaches' dental hygienists, dental assistants and support staff in the department.
- To work closely with other health care professionals and agencies linked to oral health care delivery.
- To keep and order working materials and consumables.
- To refer patients requiring treatment beyond the scope of training to seniors within the department.
- To attend to patients referred to the department from other departments and other health facilities or referred to seniors for further management.
- To monitor patients' vital signs and manage common dental emergencies.
- To screen and provide initial treatment of dental diseases.
- To clean teeth and applies topical preventive of prophylactic agents including fluoride varnishes and pit, fissure sealants and other cavity screening agents.
- To perform minor dental surgeries and procedures as per scope of training.
- To participate in dental research studies for evidence based interventions.
- To actively participate in meetings, conferences, quality projects, workshops, trainings and other professional forums.
- To perform any other official duties that may be assigned by the immediate Supervisor and/or Head of Department.

SALARY

The basic salary is on Grade **E2: E306, 871** rising to **E346, 322** per annum.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Hand deliver your application letter together with your Curriculum Vitae, ID and certified copies of Tertiary Qualifications to the Executive Secretary, Civil Service Commission. Foreign qualifications must be verified by the Eswatini Qualifications Authority (Education). Candidate who do not possess the above qualifications should **not** apply as their applications will not be considered.

NB:

If you do not receive a response in a month' s time, it would mean that your application was not successful

CLOSING DATE: 26TH SEPTEMBER, 2024