



## **Job Announcement: Multiple Positions in Tanzania**

Akros is a cutting-edge organization that establishes data-driven systems that improve the health and wellbeing of disadvantaged communities. We pride ourselves in our ground-level knowledge of the health systems where we work, and our ability to provide novel, lasting solutions implemented in developing regions.

The anticipated USAID Tanzania Malaria Case Management (TMCM) Activity (\$27 million) aims to support the Government of Tanzania (GOT) to reduce the burden of malaria and to move towards the long-term goal of malaria elimination. USAID/Tanzania will fund malaria case management, malaria in pregnancy through quality improvement initiatives and malaria surveillance, entomological monitoring and monitoring and implementation of other drug-related interventions. Estimated start date is August 2022.

**Chief of Party:** The Chief of Party (COP) will provide overall leadership and managerial direction for the program. S/he will fulfill the diverse managerial requirements of the activity. Based in Tanzania, the COP will have technical and management responsibility for all activities, including subject matter expertise in malaria case management and MiP, and personnel and will be the Recipient's representative to USAID/Tanzania, GOT, other donors, and key stakeholders. The COP will have overall responsibility for addressing award related matters. S/he will be responsible for the smooth implementation of the project, and for effectively addressing problems and challenges that arise during performance. S/he is responsible for timely and accurate delivery of all reports and other program products.

### **Minimum Requirements:**

- Master's Degree in public health or social science
- Ten years of senior level management experience in the design, implementation, and management of programs of similar size, complexity, and setting
- Fluency in Swahili at a level 4

**Finance and Administration Director:** The Finance and Administration Director is responsible for overseeing the finance and administrative functions of the program ensuring compliance with the award terms. The Finance and Administration Director will be responsible for management of all accounting, including sub-grants, and ensure financial operations are in compliance with USAID regulations. S/he will be responsible for ensuring that adequate financial management systems are in place and functioning. S/he will maintain transparent financial and reporting procedures and effective operation of financial controls and will provide concise and timely financial reports that will give an overview of the financial status of the award. S/he will be responsible for record-keeping, financial functions and internal control systems. S/he will work closely with the COP and other team members to ensure resources are effectively and efficiently budgeted and managed to achieve activity deliverables.

### **Minimum Requirements:**

- Certified Public Accountant

- Seven years' experience in financial management of U.S. assistance programs of similar size, complexity and setting
- Ability to communicate effectively in English and Swahili, both verbally and in writing

**Malaria Entomology Technical Director:** The Malaria Entomology Technical Director will provide overall technical leadership and direction for the NMCP and ZAMEP program. S/he will work in close collaboration with the Chief of Party (COP) and the technical staff of the program to provide strategic input to the program. S/he will be responsible for the quality of the entomological monitoring in both Mainland and Zanzibar. S/he will provide guidance to the GoT on other potentially viable vector control interventions that might work in the Mainland and/or Zanzibar settings. The Entomology Technical Director will be responsible for providing input into all TMCM reports related to entomology monitoring and vector control.

**Minimum Requirements:**

- Master's Degree in public health, vector biology, entomology, or a related field
- At minimum five years or more management experience in the design, implementation, and management of vector control programs of similar size, complexity, and setting
- Fluency in Swahili; English written and oral communication skills

**Malaria Surveillance and Epidemiology Officer:** The Malaria Surveillance and Epidemiology staff will work in close collaboration with the Chief of Party (COP) and technical staff of the program to provide strategic input on issues related to improving routine malaria surveillance and, in situations where applicable, working with the GOT to institute state of the art, rapid malaria case detection and response capabilities. The Malaria Surveillance and Epidemiology Officer will provide input into all TMCM reports related to malaria surveillance and response activities.

**Minimum Requirements:**

- Master's Degree in public health, demography, epidemiology, biostatistics, or a related discipline
- At minimum five years or more of experience in management of malaria or other infectious disease surveillance and monitoring systems
- Demonstrated skills in oral and written communication in Swahili will be evaluated favorably

In addition to the above, we are anticipating additional positions required for this activity. If you have relevant experience, please contact us in reference to one of more of the below positions:

- Deputy Chief of Party
- Technical specialists (capacity building, social and behavior change, malaria case management, malaria in pregnancy, drug efficacy and entomological monitoring)

**Application Instructions**

Please submit a cover letter and CV to [careers@akros.com](mailto:careers@akros.com). Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. Applicants are encouraged to apply by March 9th, 2022. Please include the following subject line in your email: 'Application: USAID Tanzania – Position Title'. **Submissions which do not indicate a position in the subject line will not be reviewed.** To learn more please visit [www.akros.com/careers](http://www.akros.com/careers).