

MEDICINES CONTROL AGENCY

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE POSITION OF PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Applications are invited from suitably qualified Gambians for the position of **Pharmacy Technician** at the Medicines Control Agency.

Applicants are required to submit: Cover Letter, CV and all relevant certificates and documents to: **Executive Director, Medicines Control Agency, The Gambia.**

Address: 54 Kairaba Avenue, 2nd Floor, opposite US Embassy, Pipeline, The Gambia. Tel (+220) 4380632.

Deadline for submission: Time and Date; Wednesday, **18**th **August 2023**, at **12 Noon**.

Job Title: PHARMACY TECHNICIAN/INSPECTOR

Number of Positions: Three (3)

Reports To: Regulatory Officer

Overall Function: To assist the Inspectorate Department in inspection and enforcement of the Medicines and Related Products Act 2014 and Regulations.

Duties and Responsibilities

- 1. Assists Regulatory Officers in vetting of Applications and its support documentation.
- 2. Collate and manage information in relation to Medicine and Related Products.
- 3. Ensure compliance with regulations set by Medicines Control Agency.
- 4. Provide information to pharmaceutical outlets about medicines and related products regulations.
- 5. Prepare documents and write reports in timely manner.
- 6. Conduct inspections of pharmaceutical outlets, warehouses and ports of entry.
- 7. Closing down of illegal premises during inspection.
- 8. Taking samples from imported medicines and related products consignment.
- 9. Assists in compiling and documentation of samples for quality control testing.
- 10. Seizing of products illegally imported, distributed, stored or sold.
- 11. Prepare inventory of seized medicines and related products.
- 12. Accounting for all seized medicines and related products.
- 13. Assists in performance of other regulatory functions.



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14. Any other duty assigned.

Qualification and Experience

- 1. Diploma in Pharmacy Technician.
- 2. Registration with the Pharmacy Council of The Gambia.
- 3. At least Three (3) years post qualification working experience.

Knowledge and Skills

- Knowledge in Medicines Regulations
- Excellent teamwork skills
- Excellent communication and writing skills
- Computer literate (Word, Excel, PowerPoint etc.)
- Critical thinking skills
- Analytical skills
- Interpersonal skills
- Time management skills.

SALARY: Attractive