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## International Aid Services (IAS)

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### Vacancy

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**Title:** Community Development Officer – WATSAN

**Post:** 1 (one)

**Period:** 1 year

**Duty Station:** Pader

**Reports to:** Project Coordinator

International Aid Services (IAS) is a faith-based Non Governmental relief and Development Organization operating and implementing projects in Sudan, Uganda, Kenya, Somalia, Djibouti and Ethiopia. Our projects are in the following: Water and Sanitation, Health, Education, Agriculture, Christian Ministries and Women programs.

IAS in Uganda implements projects in Water & Sanitation, Agriculture and is now seeking a Community Development Officer to give overall oversight to the Water & Sanitation project in Pader.

#### **Primary Purpose of the position**

The Community Development officer with the support of the Project Coordinator is responsible for the smooth running of the entire Water & Sanitation project activities in IAS area of operation according to planned objectives.

#### **Main Educational and professional requirement**

- Should have a Diploma in Public Health/Environmental Health;
- At least 1 year work experience in a similar position, preferably with an NGO
- Working knowledge in Microsoft Office

#### **Key duties/responsibilities will include but not limited to:**

- Carry out community home visits
- Sensitize the communities on general Hygiene and Sanitation activities
- Provide Participatory Hygiene & Sanitation Transformation (PHAST) training and training of trainers as required
- Assist in the design and review of hygiene promotion materials
- Coordinate and liaise with local authorities in the promotion of Water & Sanitation (WATSAN) activities in the community.
- Carry out Knowledge, Attitude and practices (KAP) surveys
- Assist communities on pit latrine sinking, construction and appropriate technology improvement of the pit latrines.
- Write weekly and monthly reports.
- Conform to the norms and values of the organization

### **Profile**

- Good analytical, organizational, reporting skills with a sense of priorities
- Experienced, responsible with a high sense of integrity and team spirit
- Flexible and willing to work extra hours when required
- Good communication skills
- Good interpersonal relationship skills

Interested candidates should submit their application with a detailed CV indicating postal and phone contacts, copies of certificates and a minimum of two referees.

Applications should be addressed to the Country Representative, sent by e-mail to [ias-kampala@ias.nu](mailto:ias-kampala@ias.nu) or hand delivered, in a sealed envelope and delivered at International Aid Services offices.

**In Pader office, at ASB office premises near COOPI**

**In Kampala office, at Amber House building, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, Room B401**

**The dead line for the submission of applications is *February 6<sup>th</sup> 2009.***

**Only short listed persons will be contacted.**

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