

BOARD MEMBER

**With a focus on public health, mental health and psychosocial support services in fragile countries.
NGO, voluntary**

HealthNet TPO is an international non-governmental organisation, based in Amsterdam, Netherlands. HealthNet TPO works with communities affected by conflict and disaster to help them to regain control and improve their health, mental health and psychosocial wellbeing. We employ over 2,500 staff members. We are looking for a Board Member with a focus on **Public Health and Mental Health and Psychosocial Support**.

Roles and responsibilities

General responsibilities as a Member of the Board

- Fulfil all statutory responsibilities as an active member of the Board.
- Network with internal and external stakeholders.

Public Health, MHPSS

- Advise and supports the Managing Director and his (country) teams on Public Health and MHPSS matters and strategy.
- Advocate for MHPSS in fragile countries.
- Represent HealthNet TPO and its HSS/MHPSS capabilities in relevant forums.

Others responsibilities

- Engage with all members of the Board for good board functioning.
- Carry out any other duties as agreed with the Board.

Requirements

- A relevant degree within the field of Public Health, MHPSS in fragile countries.

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- Knowledge of health systems development, research, innovation, including health information infrastructures.

Experience

- At least 20 years relevant experience within international development, multi-lateral organisations and/or academia, with at least several years in a senior leadership role.
- Work experience in the fields of Public Health, MHPSS and medical services in fragile countries.
- Work experience in the fields of program development and monitoring & evaluation.
- Has a good understanding of dynamics within an international aid organisation
- Prior experience as a Board member.

Specific Skills

- Excellent leadership, interpersonal and communication skills.
- A polished “well rounded” professional presence.
- Inspires, persuades, influences and gains support for ideas or actions.
- Understands and utilises the formal and informal decision-making structures within the organisation
- High level of conflict resolution abilities and emotional intelligence.

Key Terms & Conditions

- This is a voluntary and unpaid position, by law.
- A time commitment of approximately two days per month/24 days per annum for Board Meetings, Committee Meetings and related work or as needed to achieve the responsibilities as member of the Board.
- Out of pocket expenses will be reimbursed.

The board seeks to diversify for unique and distinct knowledge, experience and viewpoints to ensure that its decisions serve this organisation and its stakeholders in the best possible way.

More information?

To apply, please send your CV and application letter (including your motivation) to: recruitment@hntpo.org by November 26, 2020.

For specific questions about this position, please contact our Director, J.H. Grootendorst, via recruitment@hntpo.org or 020-6200005.

For more information about HealthNet TPO, please visit www.healthnettpo.org.