

Post : Doctor (all specialties / experience levels)

Conditions : Voluntary, minimum 2 week commitment

Responsible to : Coordinator



Context

Moria Refugee Camp, on the Greek island of Lesbos, houses a vulnerable and underserved population which at times exceeds 17,000 people. Conditions are extremely harsh, overcrowded and unhygienic. Access to healthcare is limited and the local hospital is unable to meet the additional demand.

Healthbridge seeks to address the current lack of capacity by providing emergency and urgent care to the population of Moria from our Urgent Care Centre located opposite Moria Camp, and by providing an immediate response to emergencies within the camp.

Role

As a Doctor with Healthbridge you will work 8-9 hour shifts, 5-6 days per week in our clinic located just outside Moria. We have a range of roles for Doctors and will aim to match your skills and specialties with an equivalent role within the clinic, however a willingness to adapt (within your scope of practice and competence) is essential.

You will work within a multi-disciplinary team, being required to work in challenging and dynamic circumstances while ensuring the safety of yourself and others.

Requirements

Applicants are required to hold a relevant qualification and professional registration in their home country, and have a minimum of 1 year post-graduate experience in a patient-facing role. In all cases, you will be required to meet the following requirements,

Patient-focussed and driven by a commitment to first meet the needs of the people of Moria above any desire for personal development.

Able to work collaboratively as part of a multidisciplinary team to deliver high quality, evidence-based healthcare within your own scope of practice and subject to limitations set by the organisation and Greek law.

Strong communication skills and fluency in English.

Able to adapt to and work creatively within a setting where resources and referral pathways are limited.

Appreciation of, and sensitivity to, diverse cultural practices and beliefs. You will be prepared to respect beliefs different to your own without prejudice, and have no intention of promoting your own religious, political or cultural beliefs .

No current investigations into or restrictions on your practice (for example allegations of misconduct or concerns regarding your competence) either with your employer or registering body. All previous investigations must also be openly declared at application.

Valid, current (within 12 months) criminal record check or equivalent.

Application Process

Please complete the application form in the "Volunteer" section of the website as fully as possible. You will then be contacted by a member of the team to discuss your application and verify your qualifications.

Please submit your application a minimum of 4 weeks prior to your proposed start date to allow for the time taking in processing your application and registering you with the Greek authorities.

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Healthbridge, we look forward to working with you to deliver a high standard of healthcare to the people of Moria.