HARMONIZED HEALTH IMPACT & PARTNERSHIP METRICS TO ACCELERATE KNOWLEDGE SHARING AND UTILIZATION

Research Associate Job Opening

The Canadian Coalition for Global Health Research (CCGHR) and McGill University, along with the participation of HealthBridge, Université Laval and the Regroupement stratégique en santé mondiale of the Réseau de recherche en santé des populations du Québec (RS-SMo (RRSPQ)) are partnering on a 22 month project to strengthen women’s and children’s global health (WaCH) metrics. CCGHR will be hiring a research associate to play a leading role in this project. It will be a 0.6 FT position over 22 months duration at annual salary base of $70,000 + 24% fringe benefits. This proposal maintains that better creation, sharing and use of knowledge among all stakeholders is fundamental to addressing WaCH challenges. A proven strategy to make progress on this front is: 1) to encourage harmonization of congruent, consistent and efficient data collection tools; and 2) to put more emphasis on the importance of partnership processes and outcomes that facilitate knowledge translation. Innovative capacity development, connecting academia and civil society (CSOs) in Canada and in partner countries.

Qualifications:

- PhD in Epidemiology, Psychology or a related field
- Fluently bilingual in French and English
- Work experience involving health metrics in a low income country
- Demonstrated communication and writing skills
- Willing to reside in Montreal

Responsibilities: Under the direction of the project PI and co-PIs, to

- plan and conduct a survey among CCGHR institutional members, Canadian NGOs and partner LMIC organizations to identify two high priority WaCH themes with relatively underdeveloped metrics. To be followed by a critical appraisal of existing measurement tools addressing the two themes.
- conduct a critical appraisal of existing partnership assessment tools
- assist with the planning and conduct of workshops and training modules in Canada and two LICs.
- Oversee the development and pilot testing of the identified measurement tools
- Participate in knowledge translation and dissemination activities.

Start date: mid-September, 2018

End date: 31 June, 2020