JOB DESCRIPTION

A IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

A1 Job title: Registered Midwife

A2 Department/Programme: Administration

A3 Section/Project: Medical

A4 Reports to (position): Senior Nursing Officer

A5 Supervises (Name of Positions): Enrolled Midwife

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B1 Overall purpose of the job.

To provide quality nursing care to pregnant mothers.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide total care to mothers during pregnancy (antenatal) and after pregnancy (postnatal) through running special clinics.
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- Participate in the continuous nursing coverage on wards, receive reports and effectively hand over to in-coming shift staff
- Manage obstetrical emergencies and consult the doctor on complicated cases Carry out observation on patients and maintain their records.
- Register and notify authorities about births and deaths of new born.
- Participate actively in Management of wards and labour suite.
- Order for drugs from the pharmacy.
- Maintain all hospitals linen, Instruments and other materials.
- Prepare for sterile procedures and work hand in hand with the Doctors.
- Supervise junior staff in the wards
- Supervise the cleanliness of the wards and maintain high standards of hygiene.
- Adhere to the safety, health and environment policy of the company.
- Conduct meetings in the maternity wards.
- Participates in planning and budgeting for the hospital and lower units
- Perform any other related duties as maybe assigned by the Senior Nursing Officer/Management from time to time.

C Knowledge, qualifications & Experience

C1.1 Education:
A minimum of a Diploma in General Midwifery and Registration with Uganda Nurses and Midwives Council.

C1.2 Experience, Skills and Competences:

A minimum of one (1) year working experience as a registered midwife.

SPECIFIC KNOWLEDGE/SKILLS:

Specific knowledge in the nursing code of conduct, counselling skills, good communication skills and a good team player.