MB05500
WEIGHT MEASURER

Level 1

Reports to (Hierarchical)
Activity Supervisor

Reports to (Functional)
Activity Manager

Job Family
Medical

Main Purpose
Perform and keep record of anthropometrical measurements (height, weight, etc.) of patients according to**MSF** protocols, in order to complete and supervise their files and to preserve data traceability.

Accountabilities
- Measure weight, height and Middle Upper Arm Circumference (MUAC) of children and patients.
- Detect sign of oedemas.
- Participate in nutritional surveys and assessments outside health facility.
- Record in individual patient’s card and registration books all information measured, i.e. MUAC, weight and height.
- Inform patients and carers about results of measuring, i.e. weight, height, difference from previous measurement, if any.
- Look after all equipment provided.
- Ensure that no material is taken out of weight and height measure area without prior authorisation.
- Report medical staff on any possible health problem or issue (big loss of weight, missing file).
- Report daily measurements, i.e. number and results, at the end of each day.
- Report line manager on any incidence regarding weight, height and measurers or on equipment or material (broken, missing).

Education
Essential literacy.

Experience

Not required, desirable experience with other NGOs.

Language Level Description
A2 Basic User
Waystage or elementary

- Can understand sentences and frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment).
- Can communicate in simple and routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information on familiar and routine matters.
- Can describe in simple terms aspects of his/her background, immediate environment and matters in areas of immediate need.

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