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### PROFILE

Over 11 years of experience practicing tropical medicine, managing health programs, HIV/AIDS patients, and nutrition. A medical doctor and general practitioner with experience in medical field ranging from Internal Medicine, Gynecology-Obstetrics Emergency Surgery to Trauma-Orthopedics C-section, and Hysterectomy. Holds a license to practice medicine in Burundi from the National Order of Physicians. Possesses a valid CardioPulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) certificate, a valid Ontario driver's licence and Police Criminal record clearance. I am Completely Vaccinated against COVID-19. Currently I am a member of the French Language Health Services Network of Eastern Ontario.

### HIGHLIGHT OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Directed public health projects at national, regional, and international level.
- Managed and trained medical staff to improve services from different departments as such MNCH and surgical setting on how to make effective decisions autonomously.
- Organized and conducted medical presentations, conferences, and workshops to introduce health projects in specific areas.
- Experience in studying and working in Internal Medicine, Gynecology-Obstetrics Emergency Surgery, C-section and Hysterectomy of hemostasis, Trauma-Orthopedics.
- Represented International Medical Corps (IMC) of Central African Republic to the UN (MUNISCA, Multidimensional United Nations Integrated Stabilization Mission Central Africa) and liaised with relevant external stakeholders, local leaders and government officials and foster transparent practices.
- Great communications skills and bilingual in English and French.
- Computer proficient with knowledge in Microsoft Office Suit and video conferencing MS Teams, Zoom and Skype.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### ➤ Public Health International Medical Graduate

March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 up to now

Canadian Red Cross

- Work in different Clinical and Public Health contexts including Swab supervision, rapid testing, vaccination, Epidemic Prevention and Control (EPC), physician assistant and other roles (as allowed by provincial /Territorial health jurisdiction regulations).
- Contribute to the delivery of trainings including but not limited to: EPC/IPC measures (hand hygiene, donning & doffing, etc..), swab supervision, rapid testing, contact tracing, either in-person or through reminders, online trainings, updates or sharing of policies or guidance documents.
- Monitor and reinforce compliance of IPC measures/ protocols and PPE to ensure overall health and safety of clients, staff and other stakeholders
- Escalate technical issues to CRC Health technical line manager or health authorities for decision or follow-up.
- Support and carry out timely, quality reporting and incident reporting to supervisors, line managers or other health authorities/stakeholders for decision or follow-up.
- Collaborate directly with PHAC, Health Canada and other technical partners as required
- Support any new or changing procedures as standards evolve during the covid-19 pandemic and required to deploy in Canada as part of an advance team or operational team as needed.

➤ **Vaccinator / Injector COVID-19 Vaccine**

**December 2021- Feb 2022**

*CISSS de Outaouais/ Gatineau Québec*

- Introduce to the user.
- Scan the barcode on the user's health insurance card. If you touch the card with your hands, perform hand hygiene.
- Open the "injector" form and validate the identity of the user by asking for his full name and date of birth (double identification).
- Check the name of the vaccine to be administered
- Carry out hand hygiene.
- Prepare the material: alcohol swab, cotton wool, diachylon and vaccine.
- On the form, choose the correct template corresponding to the name and lot number of the vaccine identified on the label. Check if it is the 1st or 2nd dose.
- Carry out vaccination, do the hand hygiene, choose, and disinfect with alcohol the injection site, Strain the injection site (pinch the muscle if the person is thin) and inject the vaccine into it, place a cotton wool at the injection site and then place a diachylon without applying pressure and make again the hand hygiene.
- Remind the user to respect the post-vaccination waiting period (15 minutes or 30 minutes) depending on the assessment before leaving.
- Register the vaccine administration site, ensure that the form is completed and then proceed to registration.
- Print the vaccination proof corresponding to the vaccine administered and stick it on the slip. Sign the proof of vaccination, indicate if it is the 1st or 2nd dose, then give it to the user and explain to him to keep it well.
- Direct the user to the observation room.

➤ **Field Site Manager**

**February 2019 – October 2021**

*International Medical Corps (IMC), Central African Republic*

**Funding, Internal and External Coordination**

- Generated an overall positive image of IMC and its personnel in assigned areas.
- Represented IMC to UN and INGO community and visit assigned areas. Built collaborative partnerships with NGO partners, sub-grantees, and other stakeholders.
- Coordinated activities with local agencies and other IMC field managers in charge of other grants in Vakaga BHA (USAID's Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance) Funds, CHF (The Common Humanitarian Fund (CHF), EU Trust Fund.
- Set directions by prioritizing and organizing actions and resources to meet objectives and contribute to the country-wide strategy development.
- Wrote donors' reports.

**Security Management**

- Worked closely with the Security Management Teams and CD to ensure that Standard Operating Procedures are developed for the areas of operations. Assist in the revision of security plans as needed.
- Ensured staff is well trained and knowledgeable in company Standard Operating Procedures.
- Understood and monitor changes in the surroundings and alert security managers.

**Program Management**

- Assisted teams in the development and execution of work plans.
- Regularly review implementation against expenditure and propose solutions to trends in over or under spending.

- Ensured monitoring and evaluation systems are in place for effective program reporting and for use in coordination with program staff.
- Integrated community approaches, gender sensitivity and capacity building into all activities as appropriate.

### Medical Quality of the Program

- Reinforced the IMC national medical team by visiting health posts and operating mobiles clinics.
- Conducted routine and emergency surgeries if necessary.
- Managed all the staff of Birao Hospital and supervise its entire services.
- Conducted on-the-job training for medical staff.
- Assessed local capacity of doctors and health care teams and conduct trauma and emergency trainings as needed.

#### ➤ Medical Doctor

May 2015 – Feb 2019

*International Medical Corps, Central African Republic*

- Conducted routine and emergency surgeries as required in the absence of local surgeons or when complex surgeries require advanced skills lacking from the local staff.
- Performed routine or emergency ultrasounds if necessary.
- Managed all the staff of Birao Hospital and supervise its entire services.
- Assessed local capacity of doctors and health care teams and conduct trauma and emergency trainings as needed.
- Implemented standard surgical and sterilization practices; oversee the implementation of MoH and WHO standards regarding PHC, ICCM, CMAM, EPI and MCH plus GBV programming in the project.
- Oversee data collection, supervision of data collectors, quality control and the analysis of medical data.
- Determined the training needs of the medical staff.
- Trained senior national staff to increase their responsibilities to build capacity and ensure the programs' sustainability.

#### ➤ Medical Coordinator

January 2013– April 2015

*Foundation for the Development of Orthopedics in Burundi, Canadian NGO*

- Coordinated all SIGN Program activities in Burundi under supervision.
- Investigated and diagnose injured patients and arrange for their appropriate treatments.
- Reduced and treat closed and open fractures.
- Trained and transmit skills on SIGN Nail (non-telescopic-intramedullary and interlocking nails) techniques to surgeons in Burundi
- Filled out medical records and postoperative X-rays of surgical patients in the SIGN nail database.
- Follow up in short and long-term of patients after their surgery.
- Shared the quarterly reports in Canada with Surgeon who operated on patients in Burundi.
- Managed the Foundation warehouse and make available surgical materials to Burundian and local surgeons.
- Worked closely with surgeon candidates from the University of Burundi.

#### ➤ General Practitioner

July 2013 – December 2013

*African Revival Ministries' surgical and medical Clinic, Burundi*

- General medical practice.
- Follow-ups of in-patients.
- Wrote reports of surgical patients.

- Participated in surgical procedures in the operating room.
- Performed minor surgeries in the emergency unit.

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Medical Volunteer, General Practitioner 2012-2013  
Department of Surgery of the Prince Regent Charles Hospital. Bujumbura- Burundi
- Volunteer General Practitioner 2012-2014  
Archdiocese of Bujumbura/Mirango Health Centre. Bujumbura- Burundi
- General Practitioner 2012  
Vugizo Health center. Bujumbura- Burundi
- Medical consultant 2011-2012  
Burundi's Garden Company. Bujumbura- Burundi

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

General Medicine Degree - 2012  
University of Ngozi. Burundi

### **PUBLICATION**

Evolution of C-section's rate and indications at The PRINCE LOUIS RWAGASORE Clinic -  
A 5-year retrospective study about 2610 collected cases from January 2006 to December 2010.  
Bujumbura, Burundi on March 7, 2012.

### **TRAINING**

- Education Program for Immunization Competencies by the Canadian Paediatric Society 2022
- Training in Vaccine Management by CISSS de Outaouais/ Quebec 2022
- Training in COVID-19 VACCINATION by CISSS de Outaouais/ Quebec 2022
- CardioPulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) /AED Level C by Canadian Red Cross 2021
- Security Course by International Medical Corps 2021
- COVID-19 Training for HealthCare Workers by Stanford School of Medicine 2021
- Importance of Duty of Care by Risk and Strategic Management, Corps (RSM) 2021
- Project Management for Development Professionals (PMDPro) by Humentum 2019
- Conflicts of Interest by International Medical Corps 2016
- Prevention of human Trafficking by International Medical Corps 2016
- Prevention of Harassment in the Workplace by International Medical Corps 2016
- Prevention of Sexual Exploitation & Abuse by International Medical Corps 2016
- Security Courses by International Medical Corps 2016
- Orthopedics on interlocking non-telescopic intramedullary nail by Canadian and American surgeons from Foundation for the Development of Orthopedics in Burundi 2015
- Obstetrical and Pelvic Ultrasound 2012