Volunteer Opportunity:

ACADEMIC PHARMACIST in SOUTH AFRICA

Requirements:
- PharmD degree or equivalent
- At least 3 years’ experience in academic pharmacy
- Experience in program or curriculum development
- Ability to support and encourage development of faculty teaching skills

Availability:
- Placements are 6 months to 2 years in duration; Full time, 8 hours/day, 5 days/week

Scope of Work:
- Assist in developing lecture and practical material for PT/PTA modules
- Assist in teaching, training and evaluating PT/PTA students
- Develop the teaching skills of faculty in Pharmacy Department
- Assist faculty with reporting to donors and other stakeholders, identifying grant opportunities

Benefits:
AIHA’s HIV/AIDS Twinning Center covers expenses for airfare, visa, work permits as well as provides a housing stipend, living allowance, medical evacuation insurance and in-country support.

Help Build the Capacity of South Africa’s First Pharmacy Technician Program!

The American International Health Alliance’s Volunteer Healthcare Corps (VHC) is recruiting an Academic Pharmacist to serve as a mentor at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU) in Port Elizabeth, South Africa.

NMMU is the first institution in South Africa to train a new cadre of Pharmacy Technicians and Pharmacy Technical Assistants (PT/PTA).

Currently, approximately 1,000 pharmacy support personnel are being produced annually despite the South Africa Pharmacy Council’s goal to register 2,500 each year. The NMMU PT/PTA Program is helping to reduce this marked shortage of mid-level pharmacy workers needed to meet the healthcare challenges in the country.

Apply Today!

Visit www.TwinningAgainstAIDS.org/volunteer.html and submit an online application or contact vhc@aiha.com for more information.

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