

Program Associate (Nutrition) - UN World Food Programme

Assisting more than 115.5 million people in 120 + countries each year, the World Food Program (WFP) is the leading humanitarian organization saving lives and changing lives, delivering food assistance in emergencies, and working with communities to improve nutrition and build resilience

Location: Beirut, Lebanon

Deadline for application: December 5, 2024

Contract Duration: 12 Months, (Renewable based on availability of funds, Business needs and performance)

Major: degree in Nutritional Sciences, Food Science and Technology, Public Health and Development Sciences, or any related field

Experience: 4-6 years of experience in the humanitarian or development sectors, with at least three years of experience in food production, nutrition, or public health, particularly in food fortification or similar initiatives

Major Responsibilities:

- Liaise with internal counterparts to support effective collaboration, implementation and monitoring of ongoing project activities.
- Coordinate and communicate with local partners, agencies, NGOs and government institutions to perform accurate food security analyses and to ensure efficient delivery of food assistance.
- Support the capacity building of WFP staff, cooperating partners and national government within the specific technical area.
- Act as a point of contact for resolution of a range of operational queries and problems within a specific technical area of responsibility.
- Oversee and/or review the work of other support staff, providing practical advice and guidance, to contribute to delivering objectives to agreed standards and deadlines.
- Follow standard emergency preparedness practices to ensure WFP is able to quickly respond and deploy needed resources to affected areas at the onset of the crisis.
- Perform other related duties, as required.

Additional Requirements:

- Good knowledge of nutrition principles, food security, food systems and production, public health concepts and issues
- Practical experience in implementing programs, especially nutrition activities/projects.
- Experience working with technical teams, and with different stakeholders such as NGOs, communities, government, donors.

How to Apply:

Kindly send your CV or contact the Career Services Center, Email: career.services@balamand.ledu.lb, Ext. 7801; 7802