

Major Office	Profile	Programme/Area of Work	Duty Station	Assignment	Summary of Assignment
WPRO	WP/23/02	Integrated Communicable Diseases	Manila, Philippines	Technical Officer	<p>Under the supervision of the ICD Unit Coordinator and guidance of the relevant Team Leads, the Junior Professional Officer (JPO) will support the work on various activities relating to reaching the unreached to eliminate and eradicate the diseases targeted for elimination and eradication in the Western Pacific Region. The position specifically supports activities aimed at the elimination of diseases such as Malaria, Lymphatic Filariasis, Trachoma, Schistosomiasis, Leprosy, Rabies, and Soil-Transmitted Helminths (STH) as public health problems, eradication of Yaws and elimination of mother-to-child transmission of HIV, Syphilis, and Hepatitis B.</p> <p>The roles will include technical support to the Member States to enhance Primary Health Care capacity in critical areas such as integrated disease screening, diagnosis, treatment, care and support, disability and morbidity management, disease prevention, and integrated disease surveillance. In addition, the JPO will support the ICD unit in strengthening data collection, analysis, and reporting and supporting countries in their requests for health commodities required for disease elimination. The JPO will also support activities to enhance special approaches such as Preventive Chemotherapy, Transmission Assessment Surveys, preparation of dossiers to validate disease elimination by WHO dossiers review groups and post-elimination surveillance. This work includes coordination and collaboration within WHO, including WHO Headquarters and Country Offices, and coordination with the relevant external stakeholders such as national, regional, and global validation committees. The responsibilities will also involve producing timely and accurate reports and participating in field missions and global and regional meetings.</p> <p>At the WHO's Regional Office for the Western Pacific, we are committed to fostering the learning, professional growth, and advancement of our Junior Professional Officers (JPO). We recognise the importance of investing in our JPOs and offer a supportive environment to nurture their career in global public health. The selected JPO will access direct support, supervision, and mentorship from experienced professionals. Besides, the JPO will benefit from formal training opportunities to enhance technical skills and competencies. The JPO will actively participate in global and regional meetings, gaining exposure to cutting-edge research, emerging trends, and best practices in communicable disease control and elimination, building resilient and sustainable systems for health, and socioeconomic determinants of health.</p> <p>Additionally, the JPO will have the invaluable opportunity for country and field visits, engaging with a wide range of stakeholders, gaining hands-on experience in diverse settings, and fostering a deeper understanding of public health challenges. Following the 'learning by doing' approach, the JPO will be set on a trajectory towards a bright and fulfilling career in global public health. We are committed to supporting the JPO's professional journey and equipping them with the knowledge and skills needed to excel in this field.</p> <p>Supervisor: ICD Coordinator</p>
WPRO	WP/23/01	WHO Asia-Pacific Centre for Environment and Health	Seoul, Republic of Korea	Technical Officer	<p>The Junior Professional Officer (JPO) will work in ACE of the WHO Regional Office for the Western Pacific. Under the supervision of the Head of Office, the JPO will be expected to contribute to the implementation of ACE programmed activities to address the health impact of climate change and environment.</p> <p>Supervisor: Head of Office, WHO Asia-Pacific Centre for Environment and Health in WPR</p>