Job Announcement

The Leibniz-Institute for Prevention Research and Epidemiology – BIPS offers a position as a

Researcher (m/f/d)

in the research group “Implementation research and Mental Health” led by Prof. Daniela Fuhr.

Salary Scale 13 of the German Public Sector Salary System (TV-L)
39.20 hours/week (100%) starting as soon as possible for the duration of 2 years. Part-time employment might be possible (depending on approval of the funding agency).

Job description

The research group “Implementation Research and Mental Health” is concerned with the development and implementation of brief psychological interventions (for anxiety disorders, depression and alcohol misuse), and focuses on vulnerable population groups (e.g. refugees). Your tasks in the research group are:

− Support the project CHANGE (https://www.lshtm.ac.uk/research/centres-projects-groups/change) that aims to develop and implement a brief psychological intervention in Uganda and Ukraine. In the CHANGE project you will support - from Bremen - the team in Ukraine. With support of other team members you will be responsible for the planning of the feasibility study, and the randomised control trial, and you will support the analysis of qualitative data.
− You develop your own research questions (within or related to the CHANGE project), and take the lead in developing a research protocol, and collecting/analysing data.
− You undertake high quality research and scholarship and support the drafting of major grant proposals and/or leading on drafting small grant proposals on implementing preventative interventions
− You contribute to peer reviewed publications and other output.

Requirements

− A postgraduate degree, ideally a doctoral degree in clinical psychology, public health, or epidemiology
− Experience in the prevention or treatment of common mental disorders
− Knowledge of (pilot) trial design and/or experience in conducting definite randomised controlled trials
− Experience in the collection and analyses of qualitative data
− Very good English and German language skills

We expect willingness to travel, very good communication skills, high motivation and commitment, independent work and the ability to work well in and with an interdisciplinary team in Bremen.

What we offer

The Leibniz Institute of Prevention Research and Epidemiology – BIPS is a renowned epidemiological research institute in Germany. The work of the research group “Mental Health and Implementation Research” takes an international perspective and participates and leads international consortia. We offer a stimulating international environment, close ties to the University of Bremen and an engaged, supportive and cooperative team. Severely disabled applicants will be given priority conditional on equal professional and personal qualifications. The institute strives to promote its employees' work-life balance and has been certified for its family friendliness (audit “berufundfamilie”).

How to apply

Please send us your letter of motivation and CV by September 18, 2023 by email as a single pdf to:

bewerbung@leibniz-bips.de
Applications should be sent quoting the reference number A23/40.

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Additional information can be found on our homepage: https://www.leibniz-bips.de/en.