**ROLE PURPOSE**

**Role Title:** Health Economist  
**Division:** Office of the CEO  
**Location:** Global  
**Date:** May 2024

**Employment type:** Full time, Permanent  
**Reports to:** Senior Health Economist  
**Number of direct reports:** 0  
**Leadership Band:** Leads self

**Purpose of the role:**

The Health Economist will contribute to a globally important and growing portfolio of work on **eye health economics** and **financing** as part of the design and operational delivery of **Global Advocacy** programs and support aligned to The Foundation’s strategic framework.

The Health Economist will own the outcomes of:

1. Collaborating closely across the Global Advocacy team and Programs Division and other divisions to support country program teams to deliver relevant and effective health economics and financing-related research and programming.
2. Supporting the coordination of expert consultants in collaboration with country staff on specific projects to ensure high quality advice and coherence across the broad health economics portfolio of work in-line with the global health economics and financing strategy.
3. Contributing to the implementation of The Fred Hollows Foundation 2024 – 2028 strategy and the aligned health economics and financing portfolio of work including:
   a. Building and promoting a rigorous, evidence-based investment case for eye health action.
   b. Investigating how evidence can be best used to unlock funding and resourcing and promote multi-sector action for eye health.
   c. Influencing the appropriate, efficient, effective, and equitable inclusion of eye health in national health financing schemes, aligning this to and informing broader universal health coverage goals.
4. Supporting national, regional and global influencing and advocacy as required for The Foundation’s development work.
5. Facilitating strong working relationship across The Foundation and drive shared initiatives.
6. Other tasks as requested by manager.

**Our Capabilities:**

**As a member of The Foundation Family, you will:**

1. Live by the values of The Foundation and support The Foundation’s culture, performance and brand.
2. Adhere to all The Foundation’s policies and procedures.
3. Strengthen the health, safety and well-being of all/look out for the well-being.
4. Lead, collaborate and contribute in all interactions.

**Skills:**

- Knowledge and experience in economic costing and evaluation of health programs.
- Knowledge and experience in working with social protection and financing schemes in developing countries.
- Knowledge and experience in implementing health and economic research projects (using primary and secondary data).
- Quantitative analysis including use of relevant software packages (e.g. STATA, excel).

**Qualifications:**

- Undergraduate qualification in economics.
- Post graduate qualification in health economics or related field.

**The position involves:**

This position is recognised as having "Contact with Children "either direct or indirect

**Additional Responsibility:**

Ensure that the work for which they are responsible is carried out in ways which safeguard the health and safety of workers.

**Travel:**

This position will involve travel including to South and East Asia and Africa.

This role purpose defines the broad accountabilities of the positions, which may change based on organisational need. Please refer to the divisional, team and individual work plans for more specific details

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