

Masanga Hospital in Tonkolili district, Sierra Leone is looking for a:

Medical Officer/Arts Internationale Gezondheidszorg (AIG)

Masanga Teaching Hospital is situated in Tonkolili district, in the Northern Province of Sierra Leone. It is a governmental teaching hospital, supported by the NGO's Masanga Nederland, Masanga UK, CapaCare (Norway) and German Doctors. This former leprosy hospital provides paediatric, maternity, medical and surgical care, hosts several training programmes and has 120 clinical beds. In addition, the Masanga Medical Research Unit (MMRU) was established in 2017 by Prof. Martin P. Grobusch. It aims to promote medical research in Sierra Leone and focus on training and quality enhancement of the Masanga laboratory.

The job entitles 50% clinical and 50% non-clinical work. You will work in a team with both national and international healthcare workers. Basic surgical skills and the ability to treat obstetrical emergencies are required.

Job description:

- Participating in daily clinical work (ward rounds, labour ward, operation theatre, participating in on call schedule).
- Providing training and teaching during the daily clinical work, surgeries and handovers to the students of the surgical - (CapaCare), paediatric - (German Doctors) and internal medicine training program (Partners In Health), as well as nurses and clinical health officers.
- Working on quality improvement in the hospital and the Peripheral Health Unit.
- Being the contact person for the Masanga Netherlands/UK group, including participating in the online meetings (every 6 weeks).
- Maintaining relationship with (potential) international donors. Some experience and affinity with fundraising are a plus. Fundraising activities and proposal writing will be supported by the Masanga NL/UK group.
- Being part of the local hospital management, working in close relationship with the Medical Superintendent.
- Responsible for the yearly international medicine and consumable order (together with the Medical Superintendent) and focal person for medical donations from (international) partners.

Terms and conditions

Masanga Hospital provides housing in Masanga. Furthermore, there is an allowance of 2000,- euro per month for other expenses such as: medical license, (medical) insurances, travel and living costs.

If you are interested in surgery, obstetrics, teaching, public health, improving quality of care, hospital management and have finished the Dutch course in tropical medicine (or similar training) we encourage you to apply. We also welcome applicants who want to bring their partner or family along to Sierra Leone.

Deadline for the application is **1st of November 2025**.

Interviews: first week of November, exact date will follow. Starting date: **December 2025, for 1 year with possible extension.**

More information?

Please, don't hesitate to call Hanna Mathéron, chair of Masanga Nederland on +31633692040 (only Whatsapp call) for more information or send an email to: masanganederland@gmail.com.

You are welcome to submit your application to: masanganederland@gmail.com (CV and letter in English, please).