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## **MB05500**

### **WEIGHT MEASURER**

**Level 1**

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#### **Reports to (Hierarchical)**

Activity Supervisor

#### **Reports to (Functional)**

Activity Manager

#### **Job Family**

Medical

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#### **Main Purpose**

Perform and keep record of anthropometrical measurements (height, weight, etc.) of patients according to **MSF** protocols, in order to complete and supervise their files and to preserve data traceability.

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#### **Accountabilities**

- Measure weight, height and Middle Upper Arm Circumference (MUAC) of children and patients.
  - Detect sign of oedemas.
  - Participate in nutritional surveys and assessments outside health facility.
  - Record in individual patient's card and registration books all information measured, i.e. MUAC, weight and height.
  - Inform patients and carers about results of measuring, i.e. weight, height, difference from previous measurement, if any.
  - Look after all equipment provided.
  - Ensure that no material is taken out of weight and height measure area without prior authorisation.
  - Report medical staff on any possible health problem or issue (big loss of weight, missing file).
  - Report daily measurements, i.e. number and results, at the end of each day.
  - Report line manager on any incidence regarding weight, height and measurers or on equipment or material (broken, missing).
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#### **Education**

Essential literacy.

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## **Experience**

Not required, desirable experience with other NGOs.

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## **Language Level Description**

### **A2 Basic User**

#### **Waystage or elementary**

- Can understand sentences and frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment).
  - Can communicate in simple and routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information on familiar and routine matters.
  - Can describe in simple terms aspects of his/her background, immediate environment and matters in areas of immediate need.
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