



The [Institute of Nursing Science of the Basel University](http://www.unibas.ch/en/Institute/Institute-of-Nursing-Science) invites applications for the position of a

Program Director (80%-100%)

for the “**BRIGHT**” (**B**uilding **R**esearch **I**nitiative **G**roup: **C**hronic **I**llness **M**anagement and **A**d**H**erence in **T**ransplantation)-study” – an international multicenter program which aims at assessing medication adherence and its associated patient, health care provider and healthcare system-related factors in heart transplant recipients.

The Program Director collaborates with the Principal Investigator, develops, under minimal supervision, the infrastructure and coordinates the day-to-day operations of the project.

Duties and Responsibilities

The program director:

- Directs the daily activities of the project, leads the development and implementation of standard operating procedures.
- Establishes project goals and monitors the operational effectiveness of the infrastructure in terms of meeting project goals in collaboration with the PI.
- Collaborates with the PI to maintain an organizational structure and staffing to effectively accomplish the project goals, and recruits, trains, and supervises the staff.
- Develops and maintains a website to help disseminating project documents to the project team.
- Manages the budget of the project.
- Communicates and collaborates with subcontractors to ensure project deliverables are received on time.
- Communicates and collaborates with an international consortium of researchers on study progress.
- Communicates and collaborates with Transplant Centers to ensure IRB compliance, fidelity to study protocol.
- Oversees the development of an infrastructure supporting center tracking databases, patient recruitment and response rate databases, and instrument level databases.
- Assists in the writing of publications and presentations.

Minimum Requirements

- Masters or PhD in related area
- At least 5 years of experience in managing multicenter research projects
- Ability to work in interdisciplinary teams particularly in the context of clinical research
- Experience with survey data or large datasets
- Proficient in Microsoft Office, SAS, SPSS or STATA.
- Written and oral language proficiency in English: Proficiency in other languages is an asset.

Applications including a curriculum vitae should be sent **by 30.09.2009** to:

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