## Research Intern (Part-Time), HAPPI Project

Posting Date: April 1, 2025

**Application Deadline:** April 11, 2025

Position Type: Part-time, up to 20 hours/week

Position Category: Internship

Company/Division: JSI - R & T/International

Hiring Manager: D. Scott LaMontagne, PhD, MPH, FRSPH, Senior Technical Advisor, JSI

Affiliate Associate Professor, Department of Global Health, University of Washington

**Location:** Any US Office, including Boston, MA

Salary: Commensurate with experience and location

Starting Date: April 15, 2025

**Duration:** 12 weeks

## **Description:**

JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc. (JSI) is a public health management consulting and research organization dedicated to improving the health of individuals and communities throughout the world. The HPV Vaccine Acceleration Program Partners Initiative (HAPPI) Consortium was awarded to JSI by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation in October 2022. The HAPPI project is managed by JSI in collaboration with Clinton Health Access Initiative (CHAI), the International Vaccine Access Center (IVAC), Jhpiego, and PATH. Together, partners will enable global coordination efforts around the HPV vaccine, in addition to supporting HPV vaccine introduction in Nigeria.

In Nigeria, over 12.9 million girls ages 9-14 years have been vaccinated since the start of its phased national introduction in October 2023. The HAPPI project supported Nigeria with planning, implementation, and evaluation of the national introduction and is now seeking a graduate-level research intern to support a synthesis of existing written reports and slide decks that have assessed the experience of the national introduction of HPV vaccines in the country.

The Research Intern will assist project team members to compile, synthesize, and summarize the overall learning from the introduction of the HPV vaccine in Nigeria into a single summary report with thematic 1-page briefs. This content synthesis will utilize qualitative analysis approaches and follow key thematic areas related to HPV vaccination programs, such as preparations, training, communications, cold chain and vaccine logistics, data recording and reporting, etc. The Research Intern will create a codebook for analysis and conduct interrogations of the data using inductive and deductive approaches with Nvivo or Atlas.ti (or other qualitative analysis software) for data manipulation and compilation of the original text data from the published reports or slide decks, and Excel may be used to store the extracted data from reports. Findings may be summarized in tables, figures, visuals to be included in a report with 1-page thematic briefs.

## Responsibilities:

The Research Intern will support tasks related to synthesizing program implementation and evaluation reports into a single summary report through:

Study and review of the content of each report or slide deck

- Develop data extraction coding themes and subthemes, based on this content
- Conduct inductive and deductive synthesis of textual data (including the use of Nvivo or similar computer software)
- Collaborate with and report on progress to project team members in the US and Nigeria
- Generate any appropriate summary statistics, if applicable
- Lead drafting a report of overall learnings, with possible single-page thematic annexes on key topics, e.g., communications or gender or delivery strategy.
- Regularly report to the project Senior Technical Advisor and meet weekly to review progress and plan for upcoming tasks.

## **Qualifications:**

- Must be pursuing a Master's in Public Health degree at an accredited institution.
- Exposure to global health and/or immunization programs in LMICs is desired.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Excel and experience with qualitative data analysis processes and software.
- Previous experience with data extraction and qualitative analysis preferred.
- Excellent time management skills.
- Ability to work both independently and in a team-based remote-work environment.
- Reside in a US state in which JSI is registered: Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas, US Virgin Islands, Vermont, Virginia, Washington (state), Washington, DC, Wisconsin.