



HEAL Initiative Rotating Fellow Role Description

Position title: Ob/Gyn Health Systems HEAL Fellow

Organization: [Musso](#), Mali

Musso is a rapidly growing global health organization, committed that no one should die waiting for health care. We believe that every person has the right to access health care, and we are committed to designing health care systems to make that right a reality. Our team focuses on how *redesigning* health care systems can improve health outcomes by reaching patients with the right care earlier in the course of their illness—beginning by doorstep care delivered by professional proactive Community Health Workers (CHWs), integrated into quality care at primary care centers and hospitals, without user fees. Musso has spent the past decade partnering with Mali's Ministry of Health (MoH) to develop and iterate on our Proactive Care model. In February 2019, the President of Mali committed to a bold national health care reform scaling up some of the principles we have piloted together, so as to remake the country's health care system at the community and the health center level for Mali's 19 million people.

In addition to providing technical support to Mali's MoH for designing and delivering national healthcare reform, Musso currently works in partnership with Mali's MoH to directly provide proactive free health care to 350,000 patients via 381 CHWs and across nine primary health care centers, two mobile clinics, and two district hospitals in peri-urban and rural Mali. We embed rigorous academic research and strategic advocacy to identify and share strategies that can accelerate global efforts for child survival, maternal health, and universal health coverage. We have an academic base at UCSF, and collaborate closely with researchers at Mali's University of Bamako Medical School, UC Berkeley, the National Institute of Health, and the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

Department:

- 1) **Learning and Innovations Team at Musso:** this team includes two general practitioner (GP) physicians including department director and a clinical training and innovations assistant, training manager and tech innovations manager, and training assistants
- 2) **Medical team at Yirimadjo Community Health Center:** a peri-urban public community health center (CSCOM) providing care to about 200,000 people through a partnership between Musso and Mali's MoH. The CSCOM evaluates more than 100 patients/ daily for urgent care and routine visits, and has an inpatient observation unit for stays <24 hours, as well as a wound care unit, pre and postnatal care, labor and delivery and postpartum unit (more than 3,500 deliveries/year), family planning unit, vaccination unit, and inpatient/outpatient malnutrition treatment unit. It is staffed by GP physicians, a part time OB/GYN, midwives, nurse practitioners, nurses, medical assistants, an ultrasound tech, GP interns, and medical and midwifery students.

About the Position

- *Ob/Gyn position description coming soon!*

Job Requirements and Key Qualifications:

- By 1 July 2022 applicants must have completed residency training at a US-based residency program
- Proficiency in French required
- Ability to go in listening, with humility, in a spirit of solidarity and service, through a partnerships approach required

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- Experience with quality improvement, health care delivery systems, or clinical teaching/training is a plus
- Ability to conduct literature reviews to answer focused programmatic, clinical, or health systems questions
- Excellent cross-cultural communications skills
- Adaptability, patience and a sense of humor
- Resilience and grit; the ability to persevere in the face of challenges
- Capacity to self-manage time and deliver consistently, with quality, on deadline

HEAL Initiative

The HEAL Initiative aims to train and support health providers to thrive in hard places by fostering a community of front line health professionals dedicated to serving the underserved. HEAL is an immersive two-year fellowship dedicated to health equity and catalyzing life experience serving underserved.

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📍 Mali, West Africa



ORGANIZATION PROFILE

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HISTORY OF HEAL

4 rotating fellows total:

IM and Med-Peds

2 site fellows total

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