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Intensive Care Unit Staff

Johanniter-Unfall-Hilfe e.V. is looking for motivated **Intensive Care Unit Staff** to join our Intensive Care Unit Specialised Care Team for international disaster response missions on voluntary basis.

Overall Job Purpose:

The Intensive Care Unit Specialised Care Team (ICU SCT) – truck based is designed to complement existing local medical facilities or other medical disaster response teams during sudden onset disasters and health crisis by adding an intensive care component or by enhancing pre-existing intensive care capabilities. This supplementation or expansion is achieved not only through additional personnel but also by providing additional treatment space—truck-based—with capacities for up to six critical care patients, along with the necessary consumables to support this increased capacity.

The ICU SCT will be composed of 22 to 33 persons and the equipment is composed of an intensive care unit treatment container, a warehouse container as well as several tents for office and accommodation under field conditions. Deployments of a minimum of 14 days should be assumable.

Position Summary:

The team can provide comprehensive intensive care comparable with a level 2 advanced intensive care unit and includes amongst others:

- Ventilation therapy
- Basic cardiovascular support
- Hemodialysis
- Bronchoscopy
- Physiotherapy
- Diagnostics (eg X-ray, Ultrasound, TTE)

Required Qualifications:

We are looking for ICU medical doctors, nurses and ICU Supporting Staff with a professional training degree in their respective profession (BA/MA) or presenting at least two years of job experience in (one of) the following areas:

- Anesthesiology
- Internal medicine
- Intensive medicine
- Intensive care
- Physiotherapy
- Clinical pharmacy
- Specialised and qualified hygiene

On top of that all team members have to meet the following further requirements:

- Citizen of an EU member state or Türkiye
- Minimum age of 21 years
- Good knowledge of English; minimum level B1, preferred level C1

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- Good computer skills in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)
 - Ability to work effectively as a team player
 - High stress tolerance
 - Willingness to work and live under basic conditions (e.g. sleeping on camp beds in tents) for a minimum of 14 days during a deployment
 - Willingness to undergo all necessary vaccinations and medical check-ups
 - Arrangement with the employer for a leave of absence on short-term basis for a minimum of 14 days in the event of a mission. A compensation for loss of earnings will be paid.
- **home, insurance package** (health, repatriation, indemnity, liability)
 - **Training:** You will get a comprehensive training on the ICU Capacity as well as deployment related courses in online- and in-person trainings.
 - **Exercise:** Before getting out in mission our team will participate in a large-scale field exercise to train in a real mission setting and to enhance interoperability between the different medical capacities and the host nation support.
 - **“Ready-to-deploy” status** is actually defined by the European Commission as for mid of 2026.

Compensation & Benefits:

- **Compensation for loss of earnings/Insurances:** Continued remuneration during mission, depending on your type of employment at

Join ICU SCT and deployment related training courses and go on missions!

Application:

If you are interested, contact us via email stating your professional qualification:

 staff-application-de@resceu-emt.eu

Please indicate “rescEU Staff Application” in the subject line of your e-mail.

Applications possible at any time. Detailed application process information will be provided via email.

Only short-listed candidates will be notified.

Please note that Johanniter might require background and reference checks.

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Organisation Description:

Johanniter-Unfall-Hilfe is a German non-governmental organisation, dedicated to excellence in the field of first aid, ambulance service, social service programmes and other projects in the medical and social field. The Johanniter Competence Center EU Civil Protection and Disaster Assistance is based in Frankfurt, Germany. Our commitment is based on mutual learning, respect and trust. We prioritise accountability, inclusivity and safeguarding in our work.

Deployment Structure Description:

The rescEU EMT project is developed to strengthen the response capacity of the UCPM with twenty-one medical capacities or specialised care teams, which will be established, trained, WHO-certified, and kept operational by Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Luxembourg, Portugal, Romania, and Türkiye under the lead of the rescEU desk of the European Commission. The German rescEU EMT capacities are being set up on behalf of the German Federal Ministry of the Interior and Community. The project started in 2022 and the capacities will be ready for deployment latest in September 2026.