

WSA CARE SUPPORT PROGRAM VACANCIES

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There are several vacancies related to the WSA Care Support Program that urgently need filling

WSA Care Support Program Administrator – oversees the entire care program, which currently includes the Subud Emergency Fund and the Subud Education Fund.

WSA Subud Emergency Fund Coordinator – overseeing the assistance program that supports members in emergency situations with one-time grants. This includes reviewing grant applications, ensuring funds are administered properly, working with emergency fund helpers and other related tasks.

WSA Subud Education Fund Coordinator – overseeing the education program that supports children and young adults with education scholarships. This includes reviewing grant applications, ensuring funds are administered properly, working with emergency fund helpers and other related tasks.

At the moment, the Care Support Administrator and Emergency Fund Coordinator positions are filled by one person, Rayner Sutherland in Canada, on a temporary basis while we continue to look for his replacement. We have been looking for Rayner's replacement since he became the Muhammad Subuh Foundation Executive Director last summer. Rayner agreed to remain in these roles until the Christchurch World Congress when his term officially ended and now has graciously extended his service until March 1st.

Kumari Beck helped create the scholarship program and is currently its coordinator, but was elected SDIA Chair at the World Congress and needs to find a replacement. She is willing to continue as an assistant to the new coordinator.

All Care Support Programs receive ongoing funding from both the WSA and MSF. Fundraising is not required.

The program is continuing to evolve and has come a long way in recent years, expanding the programs it administers and assisting more members. We would like to see the program expand even more to include communicating with members who, for whatever reason, need additional support. The strong and dedicated team in Canada has established Care Support on firm ground and will work with the incoming team during transition. It is an exciting and creative time to be involved and we urgently encourage anyone with an interest to consider one of these positions. The Care Support Administrator and Emergency Fund Coordinator roles may either continue to be combined or separate.

Please contact the WSA executive (ISC), Maxwell and Julia, at wsa@subud.org if you have questions or to review the job descriptions and apply. Ideal candidates would have experience

and/or education related to any of the helping fields, such as social work, easy access to the internet, speak two or more languages and be competent, reliable, caring, non-judgmental and a strong team player.

It is possible for a new team to be located anywhere internationally, whether all in one location or in different cities and countries. Please consider the possibilities and personal rewards for being involved and, most importantly, how important it is for our community to assist Subud members and their families during critical times.

To learn more about the Care Support Program in general, go to www.subud.org and visit the Care Support page under 'Programs for Subud'