

Vacancy Announcement

Communication Officer

Child-Help International Tanzania

Position: Communication Officer

Location: Moshi, Tanzania

Application Deadline: 15th February 2026

Contract Type: Full-time

Reports to: Fundraising and Communication Manager, Executive Director

Compensation: Competitive Salary

Email: jobs@child-help.international

About Child-Help International

Child-Help International Tanzania (CHITA) is an international NGO registered in Tanzania. The primary aim of CHITA is to enable all children with spina bifida and hydrocephalus to have a fair start in the world by 2050. We are working towards this vision through two major strategic goals:

- Building the Knowledge Centre (virtual and physical): centralizing the knowledge gathered over decades, developing it further with experts from around the world, and making it easily accessible and affordable for our target group.
- Supporting national cooperation for change: we improve the quality of life of children and adults living with spina bifida and hydrocephalus through support to local partners, capacity building, provision of lifesaving medical material, and the development of sustainable, accessible care systems.

CHITA operates as a network of member organizations in Belgium, the Netherlands and Germany, with coordination and support provided through CHITA's international structure.

How to Apply

Please send your **cover letter and CV (maximum 3 pages)** to jobs@child-help.international with the subject line: **Application – Communication Officer**

Applications will be accepted until **15th February 2026**.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Job Description – Communication Officer

Purpose of the Role

The **Communications Officer** is responsible for managing internal and external communication for Child-Help International Tanzania. This position ensures that the organisation's mission, impact, and values are communicated authentically from the local context to national and international audiences.

This role represents a key step in localising communication, enabling stories, results, and voices to be shared directly from the Global South.

Key Responsibilities

- Develop and implement a communication strategy aligned with Child-Help's mission and vision under the guidance of the Fundraising and Communication Manager.
- Create and manage content for social media, website, newsletters, and reports inline with the developed communication strategy.
- Collect and write impact stories from communities, children, and families.
- Support fundraising campaigns through strong storytelling and visual content.
- Ensure ethical and respectful communication about children and disability.
- Maintain consistent branding and messaging across all platforms.
- Liaise with international partners and the global Child-Help country members and programs.

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

Success in this role will be measured by:

- Communication tasks delivered in line with priorities and guidance provided by the Fundraising & Communications Manager.
- Regular and timely communication outputs produced across agreed platforms.
- Communication content aligned with organisational messaging, branding, and ethical standards.
- Effective collection and use of programme stories, visuals, and updates.
- Communication support provided to fundraising and awareness activities as planned.
- Communication materials delivered within agreed timelines.
- Communication files and content archives maintained in an organised and accessible manner.
- Positive collaboration with fundraising, programme, and operations teams.

Required Qualifications

- Background in communications, journalism, marketing, or related fields.
- Strong writing skills in English.
- Experience with social media, website publications and digital communication tools.
- Creative, organised, and able to work independently.

- Sensitivity to ethical storytelling and safeguarding principles.
- Ability to translate local impact into messages for an international audience.
- Experience with video and photography.

Reporting

- **Reports to:** Fundraising and Communication Manager, Executive Director

What Child-Help Offers

- A key role in shaping the public voice of Child-Help international.
- The opportunity to amplify local stories on a global platform.
- Professional support within an international NGO network.
- A dynamic, purpose-driven working environment.

Child-Help International is an equal opportunity employer.

We value diversity and encourage applications from all qualified individuals, regardless of gender, disability, or background.