

# **Psychologist/ Counsellor Volunteers**

#### Who we are:

Justice Centre Hong Kong is a non-profit, human-rights organisation working fearlessly to protect the rights of Hong Kong's most vulnerable forced migrants - refugees, other people seeking protection and survivors of modern slavery.

Launched in March 2014, Justice Centre Hong Kong was formerly Hong Kong Refugee Advice Centre, which over a period of seven years, helped more than 2,000 refugee men, women and children on the road to a new life.

Building on our expertise in refugee issues, Justice Centre Hong Kong identified a clear need for an increased response to tackling modern slavery in the region and has expanded our advocacy remit to fill the gap.

## Purpose of position

Are you a qualified psychologist, counsellor and/or therapist? Are you passionate about the opportunity to offer psychological support on a volunteer, pro-bono basis to asylum seekers and refugees?

We are currently seeking volunteer psychologists, counsellors and/or therapists to support our Mental Health Assessment and Support Service which offers a unique service to one of Hong Kong's most vulnerable groups; young women, men and children presenting with a myriad of trauma experiences. Our clinical team of psychologists and counsellors work closely with their legal colleagues to enable the clients to best engage with the legal process for seeking protection.

The psychologist is responsible for contributing to the work of Justice Centre Hong Kong's Protection Claimant Services (PCS) Programme. The psychologist/ counsellor will provide direct services to protection claimants through Justice Centre's Mental Health Assessment and Support Service.

## Essential

- •Qualified to practice clinical psychology/ counselling in Hong Kong;
- •English fluency, written and verbal;
- •Familiarity of working with vulnerable people;
- •A permit to volunteer in Hong Kong.

#### Desirable

•A demonstrable passion and commitment to human rights.



•Fluency in French – written and verbal.

•Experience in working with asylum seekers and refugees.

If you are interested please e-mail alison@iusticecentre.org.hk

Unfortunately, due to the high level of interest in our organisation, we are only able to reply to shortlisted volunteer applicants.