

## MANAGER, Advocacy

(with focus on Implementation of Good Samaritan Law)

### ABOUT SAVELIFE FOUNDATION

We are an independent, non-profit organization committed to improving road safety and access to emergency medical care across India and the developing world. Our team members are highly motivated individuals with fire in their belly and passion for their work. We are a team connected with the spirit of public service.

Globally, 1.35 million people are killed each year in road crashes. 90% of these fatalities occur in the developing world with India leading the global death toll with 150,000 deaths each year. We are committed to saving lives on Indian roads and to do so, we connect research, advocacy, communication and on ground execution (RACE). Over the past few years, we have facilitated the enactment of key legislations in India such as the Motor Vehicles Amendment Act, 2019 and Good Samaritan Law, adopted one of India's deadliest highways to transform it into a zero-fatality corridor, trained thousands of Police officers and volunteers in life-saving techniques and built award-winning technology to connect and assist stakeholders including bereaved families from extremely poor backgrounds.

Our path-breaking work has been recognised both nationally as well as internationally. SLF has been recognised as the best NGO in India by Rockefeller Foundation; we have also won the prestigious Prince Michael International Road Safety Award, and we got featured by Satyamev Jayate TV Show hosted by actor Aamir Khan.

### JOB DESCRIPTION

SLF's success hinges on its highly dynamic team, which it is now expanding to scale impact.

As the Manager- Advocacy at SLF you would be a part of a high-energy team where you will play a key role in the implementation of Good Samaritan Law in India. You have a great understanding of legal issues and you look forward to communicating with a variety of stakeholders. The role will require you to demonstrate the following:

- **Skills and efficiency** in working with state governments on specific legislative and legal issues. Experience of articulating legal and other legislative arguments in clear, simple and lucid terms.
- **Interest** to provide support to expand the coverage and reach of Good Samaritan Law in India and other developing countries.
- **Passion** to engage with a wide variety of stakeholders and invest at least 3 years to its mission

### DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- **Lead and Coordinate** all components of implementation of Good Samaritan Law in India and the developing world.
- Coordinate with focal point persons in different state governments to accelerate the process of enactment of Good Samaritan Law in specific States
- Facilitate finalization of State Good Samaritan Laws in specific states.
- **Review existing policies**, notifications, Guidelines on the Good Samaritan law in different states in India and **assess opportunities in each state**.
- **Create a National Plan** for ensuring effective implementation of Good Samaritan Law through different instruments including State Bills, Specific departmental notifications, State Motor Vehicle Rules etc.
- Conduct legal and policy research across legislations and jurisdictions

- Draft notifications on various facets of Good Samaritan Law.
- Create materials on the basis of thorough research and verified data for consumption of policy makers, public and press.
- Use data and numbers to draw conclusions on specific policy interventions and represent data in a visually interesting manner to the general public and media.
- Keep abreast with the latest research, policy/legal related news/events on road safety & emergency care.
- Carry out any other duties and responsibilities as maybe assigned

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Graduate/Post-Graduate degree in law is **desirable**. Candidates with a degree in Public Policy and/or Political Science or a related topic can also apply.
- Minimum 6-7 years' experience in public policy advocacy including government relationship management, drafting/reviewing legislation, media management, persuasion, and negotiation.
- Specific policy advocacy experience and team management skills.
- Skills must include writing policy briefs and cross-sectoral communication.
- Strong communication skills in Hindi and English a must. Knowledge of other vernacular languages will be an asset.
- Experience of working with various government departments and liaising with numerous stakeholders.
- Exceptional organisational skills.
- Strong collaborative approach and ability to work in teams as well as ability to spearhead and expand the work.

**Compensation:** Commensurate with experience and qualifications. Additionally, medical insurance and other benefits as per organization policy.

**Location:** New Delhi with travel across India.

## HOW TO APPLY

The interested candidate should send the following documents to [careers@savelifefoundation.org](mailto:careers@savelifefoundation.org) . Mention the name of the position in the subject of the email.

1. Send a copy of your resume along with a cover letter expressing your interest in the role and with details of your current and expected annual CTC.
2. Send us a copy of an article or report independently prepared by you in the last two years.