



(Medior/assistant) Project Manager Ukraine Medair (1 day per week)

Expression of Interest

As part of our expanding portfolio in Ukraine, we are pleased to offer an opportunity for a (medior/assistant) Project Manager to join the Ukraine team. This role will focus specifically on managing the UPF Medair project, funded by RVO and led by Medair NGO. The total project budget is €4,444,444, of which €508,187 will be managed by VEI focusing on peer-to-peer support. The project will be implemented from 1st of October until 31st of March 2028. In this role, you will report to Patrick Egan and be responsible for overseeing the project's implementation. External reporting will be conducted per the agreed project requirements and this will be outlined by Medair, while internal reporting will be managed through the VEI Monitoring & Evaluation (M&E) app.

Project Overview

As (medior/assistant) Project Manager, you will be responsible for executing the project in accordance with the attached proposal. Seven mentee Ukraine water and sanitation utilities (known as Vodokanals) have been identified in the proposal, although this number may be reduced by Medair depending on a needs assessment.

In collaboration with the VEI Resourcing Department, you will organize online training sessions on topics to be confirmed, totaling 135 training days. You will also agree with the selected Vodokanals what equipment is required to supplement the trainings.

Additionally, you will coordinate a visit from the participating utilities to the Netherlands.

Throughout the project, you will work closely with Patrick and other team members, including translators and the project coordinator in Ukraine. The estimated time commitment for the Project Manager is approximately one day per week.

Procedure Expression of Interest

Are you interested to become (medior/assistant) project manager for this project? We kindly express your interest by sending an e-mail with CV to HR@vei.nl. Deadline: October 7th 2026.

Note: this position is only available for people contracted by VEI or if you are contracted within the Dutch Drinking Water Utilities. This position will be filled to conform with the Short Term Expert conditions and/or your current position. We have a preferred candidate for this role, but we're keen to find out more about you.

You are expected to work in the Netherlands, to join the Monthly Ukraine team meetings (in Utrecht) and participate in the exposure/training visit you are organizing.

Based on the interests expressed, a selection will be made by Emma Lesterhuis and Patrick Egan as soon as possible.

