



**Samaritan Aviation
Line Pilot
Job Description**

Reports to: Provincial Director on all matters non-aviation related. All aviation related matters reported to the Chief Pilot.

Minimum skills/qualifications required:

- Commercial License with Instrument and Sea Plane rating.
- Minimum of 500 flight time hours.
- 100 hours of high-performance time.
- Airframe and Power Plant Certificate preferred.

General description

The Pilot is an integral part of Samaritan Aviation. The person in this position will need to fulfill their responsibilities with professionalism along with a spirit of cooperation with other members of the Samaritan Aviation staff. This position will primarily be conducting Life Flights, Medical Supply Flights and Disaster Relief Flights along the Sepik River in the East Sepik Province (ESP).

Aviation Responsibilities:

- Perform flights as assigned by the Chief Pilot.
- At times will be assigned to be on call 24/7 to respond to emergency Life Flights.
- Coordinate with the Medical Director to determine if a Life Flights needs to be conducted.
- Coordinate with nurses from Boram hospital and our partners to ensure a flight nurse will be on each Life Flight.
- Coordinate with nurses from Boram hospital to ensure we have supplies on all flights including needles/bandages, drip lines etc.
- Coordinate with Samaritan Aviation staff to confirm an ambulance is on-site when patient arrives.
- Coordinate with the Medical Director for information of supplies needed for each medical supply delivery flight.

Ministry responsibilities:

- Initiate contact and develop relationships in villages and aid posts for evangelistic and mentoring purposes.
- Develop a mentoring/discipleship plan with national staff.
- Participate in evangelism opportunities in Wewak and along the Sepik.
- Be willing and able to assist as needed in the Hospital ministry and outreach efforts.

Samaritan Aviation is committed to maximizing the efficiency of all mission-related activities, with aviation being one of our highest priorities. In order for Samaritan Aviation to conduct safe flight operations and also maximize the delivery of medical and disaster relief supplies, it is important for our organization to consider that ministry is maximized with increased payload. Therefore, flight crew weight is a factor in the candidate screening process, and also a consideration for our pilots on the field. Please note that these requirements are permitted by the Religion Clauses of the First Amendment.