



# VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

***The Department of Health has a career opportunity for qualified candidates for the following position:***

Title <b>Research Scientist 2 [Classified Non-Competitive]</b>			Salary <b>P28 \$79,848.66 - \$113,786.94</b>
Posting Number <b>80-23</b>	Position Number <b>055142</b>	Number of Positions <b>1</b>	Posting Period * From: <b>01/24/2023</b> To: <b>02/07/2023</b>
Location: <b>Office of the Commissioner, Integrated Health Services Office of Long-Term Care Resiliency 55 North Willow Street, 5th Floor Trenton, NJ 08618</b>			Scope of Eligibility/Open to: <b>Applicants who Meet the Requirements</b>
<b>GENERAL DESCRIPTION</b>			
<p>Under the supervision of the Executive Director of the Office of Long-Term Care Resiliency (OLTCR), this position will be responsible for managing and analyzing the LTC website and dashboard, analyzing and supporting the interoperability of all 657 LTC facilities across NJ, analyzing hot spots and trends in outbreaks, analyzing data acquired from external websites, federal reports, and CDC reports, collating data for report generation, and consulting with Mission Critical teams to define trends and deficiencies within the LTC community.</p> <p>This position will oversee evaluations and collation of data into reports, will summarize collectively appropriate interventions, and will create documents that will allow for interpretation and appropriate quality assurance measures to be taken.</p> <p>This position will interpret legislation and provide data-related support to the LTC task force.</p> <p>This position may be eligible to participate in the Department's pilot telework program, which offers eligible employees the opportunity to work remotely for up to two (2) days per week, as approved by management</p>			
<b>REQUIREMENTS (EDUCATION / EXPERIENCE / LICENSES)</b>			
<p><b>EDUCATION:</b> Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree in a discipline appropriate to the position.</p> <p><b>EXPERIENCE:</b> Three (3) years of full-time experience in a field appropriate to the position.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> A Doctorate in a discipline appropriate to the position may be substituted for two (2) years of experience indicated above.</p> <p><b>LICENSE:</b> Appointees will be required to possess a valid driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform the essentials duties of the position.</p>			
<b>IMPORTANT FILING INSTRUCTIONS</b>			
<p>If interested in this position, you can reply in one of two ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Forward the required documents electronically to: <b><i>PSTOC@doh.nj.gov</i></b></li><li>• Mail the required documents to: <b>Kevin Jennings, Supervising Mgt. Impr. Specialist Management and Administration Reference Posting #80-23 New Jersey Department of Health PO Box 360 Trenton, NJ 08625-0360</b></li></ul> <p><b>Required documents:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• cover letter</li><li>• resume</li><li>• completed application, found at: <a href="http://www.nj.gov/health/forms/dpf-663.pdf">http://www.nj.gov/health/forms/dpf-663.pdf</a></li></ul> <p><i>* Responses received after the closing date MAY be considered if the position is not filled.</i></p>			

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- *Newly hired employees must agree to a thorough background check that will include fingerprinting.*
  - *If you are a candidate for a position in our Public Health and Environmental Laboratories, you may be subject to pre- and /or post-employment alcohol and drug testing.*
  - *If you are a candidate for a position that involves direct client care in one of the State facilities/programs, you may be subject to pre- and/or post-employment drug testing/screening. The cost of any pre-employment testing will be at the candidate's expense. Candidates with a positive drug test result, or those who refuse to be tested and/or cooperate with the testing requirement, will not be hired.*
  - *In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification form upon hire.*
  - *In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7, the "New Jersey First Act", all employees must reside in the State of New Jersey, unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in New Jersey, you have one year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to New Jersey.*
  - **The New Jersey Department of Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer.**
  - *RESUME NOTE: Applicants who possess foreign degrees (degrees earned outside of the U.S.) are required to provide an evaluation indicating the U.S. equivalency prior to the closing date. Failure to do so may result in your ineligibility.*