

DeKalb County Board of Health

Hourly Research Assistant Position # 10666 (Up 29 hours per week)

POSTED: November 14, 2022

DEADLINE TO APPLY: November 28, 2022

LOCATION: E.L. Richardson Health Center – DCH/HAP-CURDSE

ORGANIZATION SUMMARY: DeKalb County Board of Health works to protect, promote and improve the health of those who live, work and play in DeKalb County. We are committed to our mission through service quality, diversity, innovation, a professional workforce and leadership. Our vision is to be the leader in creating a healthier DeKalb through information, education, empowerment, partnerships, policies and planning, quality and excellence. We invite you to come and be a part of our team. For more information about our agency please visit <https://www.dekalbhealth.net>.

WHAT WE OFFER: A generous benefits package, which includes employee retirement plan; 12 paid holidays annually; vacation and sick leave; health, dental, vision, legal, disability, accidental death and dismemberment, health and childcare spending account.

SALARY INFORMATION: \$26 per hour/Pay Grade K

DUTIES: Under limited supervision, the Research Assistant will be responsible for assisting in planning, implementing, and evaluating research activities. This position will support grant-specific program activities for Georgia Community-Engagement Research Alliance Against COVID 19 (CEAL), funded by the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) – NIH. Research activities include but are not limited to quantitative and qualitative research and data analysis conducted to understand knowledge, beliefs, and perceived risks of COVID-19 vaccines among diverse populations. A community health worker model will support the recruitment and community engagement efforts in partnership with Morehouse School of Medicine, community partners, and department staff. The community-engagement research aims to help communities disproportionately affected by the pandemic rapidly respond to COVID-19 and alleviate health inequities.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Completion of a bachelor's degree in a field related to the area of assignment and three years' experience in performing work related to public health, social work, behavioral health, and or health administration.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: In addition to the minimum qualifications, preference will be given to applicants who possess a master's degree in public health, health education, community engagement, and community outreach experience. Preference will also be given to candidates with community-based participatory research, program management, evaluation, and health equity experience.

NOTE: Employment with the DeKalb County Board of Health is not complete or official until applicants meet all pre-employment requirements. If this position requires a college degree and you are selected for an interview, you will be required to submit official transcripts to the Human Resources Department prior to any official offer of employment.

Not Every Applicant Will Receive an Interview and Only Those Selected for an Interview Will Be Notified

ALL APPLICANTS MUST APPLY FOR THIS POSITION AT:

www.dph.georgia.gov
(Must complete application)

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