



JOSEPHINE COUNTY

Human Resources 500 NW 6th Street, Dept. 11 Grants Pass, OR 97526

Job Opportunities

Internal/External Announcement

Public Health Director

\$59,118 - \$80,216 Annually

The Public Health Director is responsible for administering public health services provided by Josephine County. Work is performed under the general direction of the Board of County Commissioners, with the County Board of Health providing input on overall departmental direction. Responsibilities include coordination and preparation of an annual county health plan and integration of the plan with other agencies and groups to meet current public health needs of the community. The Public Health Director provides operational oversight for all County public health programs, including emergency preparedness, environmental health services, adult jail health clinic, and animal protection and regulation.

Position responsibilities include providing information to the media, health providers, and other partners in the community regarding public health concerns/issues. The Public Health Director also serves on advisory boards and committees concerned with public health issues, and answers questions from the public on various health topics. Advanced knowledge of emergency preparedness in order to respond during emergency situations is necessary. Work is reviewed primarily on the basis of results attained, the assessment and accomplishment of established annual goals, compliance with state and local contract provisions and regular on-site reviews by state and federal representatives regarding compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

Master's Degree in Public Health Administration or a closely related field is preferred. The Public Health Director position requires a Bachelor's Degree; three years of progressively responsible public health or management experience in a related healthcare field; graduate level classes in the following: biostatistics, epidemiology, environmental health, health services administration and social and behavioral sciences relevant to public health problems; and the skills and ability to meet minimum standards as defined by the Conference of Local Health Officials (CLHO) and other associated governing entities.

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Posting Dates:

10/29/2010

Until Filled

Posting #:

10-76

First review of applications will be those received by :

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