

THE CITY OF EAST ORANGE

Job Posting

Job Title:	Health Officer		Job Category:	Non-Competitive
Department/Group:	Health & Human Services		Job Code	01988
Location:	44 CITY HALL PLAZA		Travel Req'd	LOCAL
Level/Salary Range:	\$70,363.00-\$113,279.00		Position Type:	Full-time
HR Contact:	Shatera Smith		Posting Period	6/15/22-6/29/22
Applications Accepted By:				
Fax: 973-673-3172 Email: <u>shatera.smith@eastorange-nj.gov</u> Attention: Health Officer		Mail: Shatera Smith Department of Human Resources The City of East Orange NJ 44 City Hall Plaza East Orange, NJ 07018		

Job Description

Role and Responsibilities:

Under direction, assists in planning, developing, coordinating and directing the work programs of the municipal health department and in directing the enforcement of public health laws within the municipality; does other related tasks as required:

- Recommends to the director the establishment of local health policies and programs.
- Plans and directs the measures required to control and prevent communicable diseases.
- Directs and coordinates the inspection, investigation, legal and other measures required by local and state health laws.
- Supervises sanitation measures and inspections throughout the municipality.
- Plans and directs the measures required to abate nuisances which may affect health and sanitation.
- Ensures that an adequate program of child health service is provided
- Collect and analyze data—including using observations, interviews, surveys, and samples of blood or other bodily fluids—to find the causes of diseases or other health problems.
- Maintains a current record of all diseases reported within the community.

Qualifications and Education Requirements

Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. Possession of a valid Health Officer License issued by the Department of Health and Senior Services. Master's degree in Public Health from an accredited college or university. Experience in the area of Epidemiology a plus. Appointees will be required to possess a driver's license valid in NJ only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform essential duties of the position.

Preferred Skills

- Knowledge of Federal, State and local public health laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, policies, standards and procedures and their application to specific situations.
- Knowledge of the provisions of the local sanitary codes.

Ability to: analyze and interpret public health law, regulations, rules and procedures and apply them to specific situations; recognize and identify contagious diseases and to take the proper control action; maintain and establish effective working relationships with citizens, physicians and other on health matters; provide assignments and instructions to staff and supervise the performance of their work.