



Looking for Work That Matters?

We're Hiring! Join Our Team.

We are Accepting Applications for the Following Position: **Behavior Specialist (10435)**

Founded in the 1920s and headquartered in Decatur, GA, DeKalb Public Health (DKPH) works to protect, promote and improve the health and well-being of all DeKalb County residents.

Our vision is for a healthier DeKalb where all residents have equitable access to public health resources and live healthy lives. If you have a passion for people and are looking to make an impact on the health of the community, we invite you to join our team! For more information about our agency please visit dekalbpublichealth.com.

POSTING DATE: 07/25/2025

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 08/25/2025

EXCEPTIONAL BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- 13 Paid Holidays
- 3 Weeks Annual Leave
- 3 Weeks Sick Leave
- Flexible Schedules within our core working hours of M-F 8:15am-5pm
- Pension Plan
- Employer 401K Match
- Payroll Deductible Health Benefits
- Payroll Deductible Flex Benefits
- Flexible Spending Accounts
- Worksite Wellness
- Diverse Workforce
- Opportunities for Growth
- Hybrid teleworking option for eligible positions after probation

LOCATION: T.O. Vinson Health Center

DIVISION/DEPARTMENT: Community Health / MCH

SALARY INFORMATION: \$40,020.34 Annually / Pay Grade H / Job Code HCP101

DUTIES: Under general supervision, coordinates the implementation of the health district's Early Intervention Specialist instruction and /or assessment programs. Performs direct service. assesses infants and toddlers development needs, summarizes results, designs program activities and instruction, and/or provides consultation on instructional strategies to families and service providers. Participates as a member of the primary service provider team, maintains knowledge of current trends for service provision for children with special needs. Perform other duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's degree in in counseling or a related field from an accredited college or university and two (2) years of job related experience.

OR

One (1) year of experience at the lower level Behavioral Health Counselor 1 (HCP100) or position equivalent. Note: Some positions may require certification or licensure.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Preference will be given to applicants with a Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education, Child Development, Early Childhood or Special Education; and one (1) year of professional experience providing services to or teaching children under the age of 5; experience administering a variety of standardized assessment tools.

NOTE: Thank you for your interest in DKPH. Due to the volume of applications, we are unable to provide application status by phone or email. All qualified candidates will be considered but may not necessarily receive an interview.

Selected applicants will be contacted for next steps. Applicants who are not selected will not receive notification. We have the right to close any position at any time for any reason.

Employment with DeKalb Public Health is not complete or official until applicants meet all pre-employment requirements. Requirements for this position may be subject to: Pre-Employment Drug Screening, Criminal Background Check/Fingerprinting, Previous Employment Reference Check, Specific Immunizations, Motor vehicle check, and/or Education and/or Licensure verification.

ALL APPLICANTS MUST APPLY FOR THIS POSITION & COMPLETE APPLICATION IN: "Career Opportunities" at [Job Opportunities | Locations: dekalb county | Sorted by Posting Date descending | JOB OPPORTUNITIES \(governmentjobs.com\)](#) *If you require accommodations under the American Disability Act (ADA), email request by the closing date of this announcement to: jannise.gray1@dph.ga.gov.*

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