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We're Hiring! Join Our Team.

We are Accepting Applications for the Following Position: **Epidemiologist 2 (10263)**

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: 08/07/2026

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 09/07/2026

EXCEPTIONAL BENEFITS INCLUDE:

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

LOCATION: Richardson Health Center

DIVISION/DEPARTMENT: Office of Epidemiology

SALARY INFORMATION: \$66,309.52 Annually / Pay Grade M / Job Code HCP181

DUTIES: This Epidemiologist 2 position focuses on infectious diseases with environmental health components. Under general supervision, Epidemiologist 2 develops, plans, and conducts epidemiologic investigations, public health surveillance, and interventions limited in scope and/or complexity. Epidemiologist 2 collects, analyzes, and interprets statistical data and prepares epidemiologic reports. Epidemiologist 2 serves as an intermediate-level professional epidemiologist and is responsible for carrying out a broad and complex range of analytical epidemiologic activities related to the surveillance, detection, prevention, and control of notifiable diseases. This role involves substantial communication with members of the public and community partners in verbal and written formats.

The Epidemiologist 2 is responsible for follow-up of notifiable conditions including animal bites and other rabies exposures (including rabies post-exposure prophylaxis), foodborne illness outbreaks, vector borne illnesses, legionellosis, and others. Epidemiologist 2 works both independently, and as an experienced team member. The Epidemiologist 2 guides Tier 1 Epidemiologists in conducting public health surveillance, project management, and analytic pursuits.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Master's degree in public health or a closely related field from an accredited college or university **AND** Two years of experience performing epidemiologic work or work in a closely related field

OR

Bachelor's degree in any field from an accredited college or university **AND** Three years of experience performing epidemiologic work or work in a closely related field

OR

Two years of experience at the lower-level Epidemiologist 1 (HCP180) or position equivalent.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: In addition to the minimum qualifications, preference will be given to applicants with environmental health backgrounds and experience demonstrating competence in conducting epidemiologic investigations, public health surveillance, epidemiologic data analysis, public health interventions, and implementing control measures.

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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