



# VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

**The Department of Health has a career opportunity for qualified candidates for the following position:**

Title <b>Nursing Consultant [Classified Non-Competitive]</b>			Salary <b>P28 \$75,243.18 - \$107,223.96</b>
Posting Number <b>431-20</b>	Position Number <b>009757</b>	Number of Positions <b>1</b>	Posting Period * From: <b>11/24/2020</b> To: <b>12/08/2020</b>
Location: <b>55 N. Willow Street. Trenton Nj, 08625</b>			Scope of Eligibility/Open to: <b>Applicants who Meet the Requirements</b>

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Under the supervision of the Executive Director of the Office of Long-Term Care Resiliency, the individual shall:

Participates in the development of quality management policies and conducts periodic quality management reviews. Evaluates data to evaluate and manage efficiency and productivity of field operations.

Collaborates with the long-term healthcare team to assure implementation of infection prevention and control practices.

Educate healthcare personnel and the public about infectious diseases and how to limit their spread. Provides consultation and assistance in the resolution of long-term care issues, problems or complaints.

Consults to prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAIs) in healthcare facilities by isolating sources of infections and limiting their transmission.

Collect, analyze, and interpret health data in order to track infection trends, plan appropriate interventions, measure quality, and report relevant data to public health agencies.

Participates as a member of task forces and work groups involving long-term care services.

Provides consultation and assistance in the resolution of long-term care issues, problems, and complaints.

## REQUIREMENTS (EDUCATION / EXPERIENCE / LICENSES)

**EDUCATION:** Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Bachelor's degree in Nursing or related health field and a Master's degree with a major course of study in Nursing Supervision, Administration, Public Health, Medical Care, Nursing, Health Education, or related health field.

**NOTE:** Applicants who do not possess the required Bachelor's degree but possess an Associates degree in Nursing or graduated from an accredited School of Nursing may substitute two (2) years of additional clinical nursing experience as indicated.

**NOTE:** Applicants who do not possess the required Master's degree may substitute one (1) year of additional clinical nursing experience as indicated.

**EXPERIENCE:** Six (6) years of clinical nursing experience in an acute care, long-term or community-based setting.

**LICENSE:** Current registration as a Professional Nurse in the State of New Jersey.

## IMPORTANT FILING INSTRUCTIONS

If interested in this position, you can reply in one of two ways:

- Forward the required documents electronically to:  
**PSTOC@doh.nj.gov**
- Mail the required documents to:  
**Kevin Jennings, Supervising Mgt. Impr. Specialist  
Management and Administration  
Reference Posting #431-20  
New Jersey Department of Health  
PO Box 360  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0360**

### Required documents:

- cover letter
- resume
- completed application, found at:  
<http://www.nj.gov/health/forms/dpf-663.pdf>

\* Responses received after the closing date MAY be considered if the position is not filled.

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- *Newly hired employees must agree to a thorough background check that will include fingerprinting.*
  - *If you are a candidate for a position in our Public Health and Environmental Laboratories, you may be subject to pre- and /or post-employment alcohol and drug testing.*
  - *If you are a candidate for a position that involves direct client care in one of the State facilities/programs, you may be subject to pre- and/or post-employment drug testing/screening. The cost of any pre-employment testing will be at the candidate's expense. Candidates with a positive drug test result, or those who refuse to be tested and/or cooperate with the testing requirement, will not be hired.*
  - *In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification form upon hire.*
  - *In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7, the "New Jersey First Act", all employees must reside in the State of New Jersey, unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in New Jersey, you have one year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to New Jersey.*
  - **The New Jersey Department of Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer.**
  - *RESUME NOTE: Applicants who possess foreign degrees (degrees earned outside of the U.S.) are required to provide an evaluation indicating the U.S. equivalency prior to the closing date. Failure to do so may result in your ineligibility.*

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