



Position: Lead Poisoning Case Investigator (Registered Sanitarian)

Basic Qualifications:

- Bachelors Degree in Public Health, Environmental Health, Engineering, Natural/Physical/Life Science or related field
- Possession of a current Registered Sanitarian license issued by the state of Ohio
- Credentialed as a Health Homes Specialist by the National Environmental Health Association (NEHA)
- Strong communication (both oral and written) and organizational skills
- Understanding of environmental hazards in homes and their impact on health behaviors
- A valid driver's license and reliable transportation are required

Preferred Qualifications

- Strong background in environmental toxicology, environmental epidemiology, public health, health promotion, or health planning.
- Experience in environmental lead exposure including blood-level investigations and lead poisoning prevention.

Responsibilities:

- 1 Conduct interviews with parents or guardians of all children whose blood-lead levels test 5 mcg/dL or higher
- 2 Conduct environmental assessments of houses, schools and daycares where clients with elevated BLLs live or spend a majority of their time; write report of findings for each location
- 3 Utilize the Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Surveillance System (HHL PSS) to conduct case management activities
- 4 Follow-up with clients to ensure environmental hazards are being mitigated safely
- 5 Provide education on Healthy Homes and lead poisoning prevention; interact with health professionals to encourage screening of children at risk for lead poisoning.
- 6 Coordinate and/or participate in community efforts to promote Healthy Homes initiatives; market the HUD program through community awareness activities
- 7 Assist with the development and implementation of HUD program policies, procedures, and strategies to reduce childhood lead poisoning
- 8 Enforce local lead ordinances in accordance to home remediation
- 9 Prepares letters to providers and parents for children with elevated BLLs as required by program guidelines; tracks letter actions for returns and re-sends
- 10 Coordinates with health case manager, physicians, state and local agencies, etc. as appropriate; tracks progress of individual cases through time, in consultation with health case manager

Other Responsibilities: Represent the Health Department to other partnering agencies, community organizations, and the public. Answer phone, participates on internal and external committees, and performs other duties as assigned.

Please email or mail cover letter and resume to:

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