



County of Los Angeles- Department of Public Health
Tuberculosis Control Program



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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The Department of Public Health's Tuberculosis Control Program (TBCP) is seeking a well-qualified individual to fill the position of Public Health Nurse.

Essential Job functions:

- Performs surveillance, case finding and report TB suspect and cases to the TB Control Program and District Public Health Centers while patients receiving care in DHS facility.
- Acts as the TB Controller's designee to review and approve or deny the TB Discharge care to ensure appropriate utilization of services and to prevent transmission of TB in the community.
- As a representative of TBCP, serves as a consultant and resource person at the DHS facility, to district health center staff, outside health disciplines and community agencies to promote continuity of care.
- Participates as an expert consultant in the identification, evaluation and treatment of persons exposed to tuberculosis at the facility to ensure a comprehensive contact investigation is conducted after an exposure event at the facility.
- Facilitates the sharing of information between DHS and public healthcare staff including National, State and local partners to ensure continuity of care for all reported TB cases and those under evaluation for TB.
- Provides health teaching about tuberculosis to patients, professional staff and the general public.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Must currently be a permanent Los Angeles County employee who has passed their initial probationary period and currently holds the payroll title of Public Health Nurse.

Desired Qualifications:

- Minimum 2 years of district PHN experience with strong knowledge of tuberculosis transmission principles, pathophysiology, and treatment standards.
- Experience and ability to work with all levels of professional staff and community partners.

This vacancy is located at: Olive View Medical Center
14445 Olive View Drive Nursing Education Building Sylmar, CA 91342

Interested applicants may send (e-mail) their resumes and last two Performance Evaluations, to Sun Leon (Email: sleon@ph.lacounty.gov)

Only the most qualified applicants will be called for an interview.

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