



**GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC HEALTH (GA)
invites applications for the
position of:**

Interpreter 1

Georgia Department of Public Health

SALARY: \$20,413.00 - \$24,170.47 Annually

OPENING DATE: 11/05/18

CLOSING DATE: 11/19/18 11:59 PM

DESCRIPTION:

Location: Hall County Health Department, 1290 Athens Street, Gainesville, GA 30507

Recruitment: This position is open to all qualified applicants

Position: 00188200

District 2 Public Health serves 13 counties in the northeastern portion of Georgia and includes Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White counties. The mission of public health is to promote and protect the health of people in Georgia wherever they live, work and play. We embrace this mission by serving individuals, families, and communities to improve their health and enhance their quality of life.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Under direct supervision, serves as an interpreter and translator for limited English proficient clients.
- Interprets and translates orally and in writing for Spanish speaking patients/clients.
- Interpret/Translate for Spanish speaking patients as needed for communicating lab results, appointments and other necessary information.
- Interpret/Translate interviews to obtain pertinent information for family and patient history and current health status, specifically for Child Health.
- Record all information gathered through interviewing and testing into computer and/or patient charts.
- Documents all information accurately and completely 100% of the time.
- Interpret/Translate children's hearing and vision screenings.
- Assist with routing patients from check-in to check-out areas to keep clinic flowing efficiently.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

High school diploma or GED AND proficiency in the foreign language specific to the position of assignment.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

Fluent in Spanish (speak, read, write)
Prior Lab or Medical Office experience
Prior OB/GYN experience
Experience with data-entry, computers and filing

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

To be considered for employment at District 2 Public Health you must complete an online application. This job application can be found at www.dph.georgia.gov. Click on "About DPH" and then "Careers", locate position then click "Apply" to begin your application. Please make sure you have selected the specific job you are interested in and qualified for. You will receive an email or telephone call if you are selected to participate in the interview process. Please do not send hard copies of application materials. All information can be uploaded to the online system.

Applications must include an email address and daytime phone number where applicant can be reached. Incomplete applications may not be considered.

Due to the volume of applications received, we are unable to provide information on application status by phone or e-mail. All qualified applicants will be considered, but may not necessarily receive an interview. Selected applicants will be contacted by the hiring agency for next steps in the selection process. Applicants who are not selected will not receive notification. This position is subject to close at any time once a satisfactory applicant pool has been identified.

Pre-employment drug screen and criminal records check (fingerprinting) are required.

Note: An applicant who has a disability requiring special accommodations should contact this office. In accordance with Georgia's Drug Free Workplace Act, it has been determined that certain positions warrant pre-employment drug testing.

We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

For more information regarding employment with District 2 Public Health please visit our website at www.phdistrict2.org.