

St. Lawrence County Government
Position Advertisement Form

St. Lawrence County Public Health Department is in search of:

Public Health Specialist

Salary: \$58,992 with excellent benefits as described below

Benefits: Generous vacation and sick time allowance, Public Service Loan Forgiveness eligibility and the option to enroll in the St. Lawrence County's health insurance or opt out of the insurance and receive a buyout in the amount of \$2,000 for single coverage or \$4,000 for family.

This position is responsible for designing, conducting, and evaluating activities that improve health in targeted populations, promoting healthy lifestyles and reducing the financial burden of health care for the county's population. These activities can take place in a variety of settings including schools, communities, health care facilities, businesses and governmental agencies. The incumbent is responsible for assessing community needs, assets and capacity, and administering strategies, interventions and programs. The incumbent also acts as a community resource person and advocates for health prevention and promotion. The work is performed under the general direction of the Public Health Nurse with a high level of autonomy and use of independent judgment in carrying out the duties.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Either:

- A) Possession of a master's degree or higher in Public Health, Health Education, Nursing, Human Services, Human Ecology, Education, or related field; **OR**
- B) Possession of a bachelor's degree in public health, health education, nursing, human services, human ecology, education, or related field and one year of experience working in public health education or human services program that includes a community outreach component; **OR**
- C) An equivalent combination of experience and training as outlined by the limits of (A) and (B) above.

Your degree must have been awarded by a college or university accredited by a regional, national, or specialized agency recognized as an accrediting agency by the U.S. Department of Education/U.S. Secretary of Education. If your degree was awarded by an educational institution outside of the United States and its territories, you must provide independent verification of equivalency. A list of acceptable companies who provide this service can be found on the Internet at <http://www.cs.ny.gov/jobseeker/degrees.cfm>. You must pay the required evaluation fee.

Additional Employment Information: This position is currently being filled under the HELP Program and will not require an examination at this time.

Applications accepted until position has been filled. Send application/resume to:

You can apply online at <https://stlaw-portal.mycivilservice.com>.

Applications can also be obtained from the St. Lawrence County's website, <https://stlawco.gov/Departments/HumanResources> or by contacting Human Resources

(315)379-2210.

Send application to:

St. Lawrence County Human Resources Office
48 Court Street
Canton, NY 13617

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