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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Government of the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) seeks well qualified individuals to fill a position of Epidemiologist at the Department of Health and Social Affairs, Division of Health Services.

The position: The Epidemiologist is responsible for the management of the public health surveillance and communicable disease control section and for the development of epidemiology program. It includes both management and technical duties as follows:

- Participates in disease outbreak investigations, including collecting data from local agencies and interviewing cases and controls;
- Work with HIS team to ensure that epidemiological data bases are populated as required, to enable analysis of health problems;
- Participates in the design and management of surveillance systems for diseases of public health importance;
- Performs epidemiological analysis or interpretation of data and provide information for persons who have responsibility for program or policy development;
- Identify or proposes corrective action or interventions to prevent or alleviate public health problems based on epidemiological findings;
- Collects surveillance information and analyzes surveillance data;
- Produces routine statistical summary reports and special reports as needed;
- Trains interviewers and field workers in the conduct of investigations;
- Conducts previously developed case control, cohort or cross sectional studies to identify the incidence, prevalence, or causes of human morbidity or mortality;
- Develops and conducts training for local staff in the conduct of investigation;
- Performs other duties as assigned.

Incumbent: Minimum education is graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's Degree in Public Health, plus three (3) years successful working experience in public health, preferably in community programs on communicable disease survey, and their prevention and evaluation and research in public health. Knowledge of federal health programs and ability to write grants proposal is desirable.

Benefits: Annual salary of \$25,000.00 but not to exceed \$35,000.00 depending on upon the qualification of the applicant. Housing and other benefits will be provided as applicable.

To Apply: Send applications/resume to the following addresses:

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The Office of Personnel will be accepting application/resume from 7/18/17 until filled.

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