

Environmental Health Sanitarian – Branch County

Sanitarians work under the supervision of the Environmental Health Supervisor and perform the on-site inspections at commercial, residential, or public locations in the district to determine conformity with federal, state and county sanitation and environmental health laws to safeguard the public health. They also provide consultation to the general public on environmental health and sanitation issues. Sanitarians are required to maintain records of activities and prepare related reports. The successful applicant will be performing on-site inspections of private wells, septic systems, campgrounds, body art facilities, investigating nuisance complaints and may participate in the inspection of public swimming pools and food establishments if needed. Sanitarians must provide their own reliable transportation.

Employment Qualifications:

Education: Bachelor's degree in environmental health or related field is required.

Experience & Required Skills:

- Must be able to work independently as well as with other staff and clients.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills necessary to effectively communicate with the Supervisor, and the public.
- Computer skills necessary to effectively utilize word processing, spreadsheet, and EH software systems.
- Ability to handle simultaneous projects requiring concentration and attention to detail.
- Strong organizational skills.
- Ability to deal with difficult people in a firm but professional manner.
- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds

Special Requirement: Must have a valid Michigan Driver's License and reliable transportation, as work-related travel is required.

Salary and Fringe Benefits:

This is a full-time position located in the Coldwater office; 37.5 hours per week with a starting wage of \$26.77 per hour, \$30.25 if an REHS. BHSJCHA offers a full range of fringe benefits including Health, Dental, Optical, and Life Insurances, Sick and Annual Leaves, an Employer Contributed Retirement Savings Plan and HSA Plan options.

Application Process:

Qualified applicants should submit their resumes with cover letter to:

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- Make a difference in the community
- Promote a healthy environment
- Job stability and opportunities for career development
- The field is ever evolving and you can influence health policy
- Improve the lives of children, families, and the elderly
- Eradicate disease



- 12 Paid Holidays -no waiting to be eligible for holiday pay
- Health, Dental and Vision insurance coverage begins 1st day of employment
- Vacation Time accrues from first day of employment, 16 days earned in the first year
- Sick Time accrues from first day of employment, 12 days annually
- Work week is 37.5 hours, generally Monday-Friday from 8 am - 4 pm
- Company paid Life Insurance and Short-Term Disability
- AFLAC coverage options available
- Healthcare Savings Accounts available
- Municipal Employee Retirement System with employer contribution of 5%
- Qualified Employer under the Public Service Student Loan Forgiveness Program

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