



**LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
CLINIC SERVICES DIVISION
SERVICE PLANNING AREA (SPA) 6 & 8 -
MOBILE VACCINE TEAM
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE**

The **People Experiencing Homelessness - Public Health Nurse (PEH-PHN)** in SPA 6 & 8 promotes healthy people in healthy communities and sets out to advance the conditions that support optimal health and well-being of SPA 6 & 8 residents. PEH-PHN works under Clinic Services Division, the Mobile Vaccine Team to develop and implement activities in line with clinic services and Public Health goals. The PEH-PHN implements activities that promote more robust outreach and engagement efforts targeting homeless encampments that are identified to have high health risk concerns.

The duties and responsibilities of the position include but are not limited to:

- Participate in community programs and collaborative partnerships that focus on creating healthy communities and a better quality of life for individuals experiencing homelessness
- Provide outreach, referrals, education, support, linkages, care coordination and case management services as appropriate for outreach team clients who need assistance managing health conditions
- Provide field-based services and trauma-informed care to chronically homeless adults with serious mental illnesses, substance use disorders and/or physical health problems and addresses psychosocial needs for persons experiencing homelessness
- Lead field vaccination efforts for PEH during respiratory season and in response to identified outbreaks among this population
- Provide homeless resources and Public Health Nursing expertise to internal and external stakeholders

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- A license to practice as a Registered Nurse and a Public Health Nurse Certificate issued by the California Board of Registered Nursing
- A valid California Class C Driver License
- Must currently hold the payroll title of a Public Health Nurse for lateral transfer or be on a reachable PHN list

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Ability to work with persons experiencing homelessness
- District PHN and PEH case management experience
- Strong Interpersonal skills, self-motivated and flexible
- Ability to work independently and as a team member
- Strong problem-solving skills

Work Location: Central Health Center, 241 N. Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and copies of their last two (2) performance evaluations to:

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This position will be filled as qualified candidates are interviewed
Only the most qualified applicants will be called for interview
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