

PRHE Science Policy Analyst

Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences

Full Time

Requisition #55534BR

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Job Summary

JOB OVERVIEW

The PRHE Science Policy Analyst, Science & Policy, in the Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment (PRHE) is responsible for contributing substantive science and policy work to an innovative academic program on research translation focused on environmental health at UCSF. The position is within the Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences (Ob/Gyn & RS) and will report to the Associate Director, Science & Policy in PRHE.

The PRHE Science Policy Analyst uses skills as a seasoned, experienced professional with a full understanding of analytical practices, policies and procedures; researches, analyzes and develops solutions to a wide range of issues. Demonstrates good judgment in selecting methods and techniques for obtaining solutions. Primarily deals with policies, programs and proposals which are complex in nature and diverse in scope. Develops new programs, policies or procedures for possible implementation.

The successful candidate will demonstrate expertise in environmental health sciences, public health, occupational health, epidemiology, toxicology, systematic review methods or related field as well as knowledge of, and practice in environmental health science and policy in the United States. This person will have a publication track record in the peer-reviewed literature and demonstrate a high level of written and oral communications skills specifically in communicating with scientists and non-scientists.

OBSTETRICS, GYNECOLOGY AND REPRODUCTIVE SCIENCES / PRHE

The Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences (Ob/Gyn & RS) is a major academic Department in the School of Medicine (SOM), engaged in clinical, research and training activities at the Parnassus, Mt. Zion and San Francisco General Hospital (SFGH) campuses, the new Betty Irene Moore Women's Hospital at Mission Bay, as well as satellite locations throughout the Bay Area, with an annual operating budget of \$129 million. The Department has 100 full-time faculty, 117 other academic appointees, 13 post-doctoral fellows, 20 clinical fellows, 32 residents, 138 voluntary clinical faculty and 270 staff.

The mission of the UCSF Department of OBGYN & Reproductive Sciences is to improve the lives and health of all women through excellence, innovation and leadership in Patient Care, Scientific Discovery, Education and Advocacy. "Leading the way in women's health."

The UCSF Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment (PRHE) advances scientific

inquiry, professional training, public education, and health policies that reduce the impacts of environmental contaminants on reproductive and developmental health. We are a fast-paced and committed team conducting novel research linking developmental exposures to environmental chemicals to health and creating new methods for research translation in environmental health science. We seek to foster and promote student and professional interest and capacity in environmental health research, policy and education.

The Science & Policy team contributes to PRHE's mission by: informing health-protective policies by conducting research and analysis, educating and engaging policymakers, health professionals, scientists, advocates, and members of the media; transforming the process for evaluating evidence in the environmental health sciences globally to comprehensive, transparent systematic review methods; and by maintaining PRHE's reputation as a premier research translation program focused on evidence-based policy with high scientific credibility through peer-reviewed publications and participation at leading conferences.

ABOUT UCSF

The University of California, San Francisco (UCSF) is a leading university dedicated to promoting health worldwide through advanced biomedical research, graduate-level education in the life sciences and health professions, and excellence in patient care. It is the only campus in the 10-campus UC system dedicated exclusively to the health sciences.

Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's (BA or BS) degree with three to five years of experience in environmental health and/or an equivalent combination of education and experience in environmental health which can include environmental epidemiology, risk assessment, economics analysis, public health, and/or toxicology
- Demonstrated expertise in environmental health sciences, public health, occupational health, epidemiology, toxicology, systematic review methods or related field
- Ability to use some computer and technology programs, including End Note, and Asana
- Demonstrated high level of written and oral communications skills and ability to communicate with scientists and non-scientists
- Strong level of attention to detail and ability to manage many moving priorities and projects
- Possess a desire to learn about science-policy work and demonstrated commitment to lifelong learning
- Commitment to public health advocacy
- Ability to work well with others and desire to work on collaborative projects
- Possess a level of creativity and a willingness to try different solutions to solve problems or advance the work, technologically or otherwise

Preferred Qualifications

- Advanced degree (MPH, M.Sc.) and/or an equivalent combination of education and experience in environmental health which can include environmental epidemiology, risk assessment, economics analysis, public health, and/or toxicology
- Knowledge of, and practice in environmental health science and policy in the United States
- Experience in public health advocacy
- Knowledge of the application of systematic review methods
- Experience with social media and usage in a professional/academic setting
- Expertise in Biostatistics

License/Certification

n/a

Job Code and Payroll Title

7398 Project Policy Analyst III

Organization

Campus

Appointment Type

Career

Percentage

100%

Location

Mission Bay

Work Days

Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Shift

Days

Shift Length

8 Hours

Equal Employment Opportunity

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- Enter the requisition number in the search field and click “Search”
- On the position description page, click “Submit to job” at bottom of the page and follow prompts to apply