



Redding Health Department

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Job Opening

Sanitarian/Environmental Health Officer

The Redding Health Department is seeking a full-time sanitarian to conduct a wide variety of duties associated with the enforcement of the Public Health Code and local codes in the town of Redding. Environmental Health Services encompass, but are not limited to, food service, wells, septic systems, housing, lead, public pools, public sewers, and day care centers. The position reports to the First Selectman/woman.

Qualifications:

A bachelor's degree in public health or environmental health or a related field is required plus two years-experience in the field of environmental health. Preference will be given to those who are CT certified in septic Phase I & II, CT food service inspection, and CT lead inspection. Must be able to communicate effectively, possess good computer skills, and have the ability to work safely and independently. Valid CT motor vehicle license required.

Responsibilities: The Sanitarian will investigate a wide variety of environmental complaints; inspect daycare centers, public pools, public sewer, and respond to housing complaints. The Sanitarian shall inspect subsurface sewage disposal systems, water supply wells for compliance with Federal, State and local codes and ordinances, and collect water, food, and other samples for analysis. The Sanitarian will perform plan reviews for food service and septic systems and possess the ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with associates and the general public. They will participate in both local and regional public health emergency preparedness planning and response activities such as drills and exercises and dispensing of medications and vaccines.

Compensation:

This position is Full Time Exempt and Non-Union at 36.5 hours per week. Hours and workdays are currently Monday – Wednesday 8:30-5:30, and Thursdays 8:30-6pm. The office is closed on Fridays.

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The position often requires time beyond the scheduled hours to meet the demands of the job duties.

Salary and Benefits

Salary for R.S. \$65,000 based on experience. Paid vacation, sick time, personal days, and holidays. Health/dental/vision/life/long term disability insurance available. Use of town vehicle during work hours is available.

Selection Process

All appointments and promotions shall be made according to merit and fitness for performing the functions of the position, including factors such as education, experience, aptitude, knowledge, character, ethics, references provided, or other qualifications that would determine the best candidate for the position. Offers of employment are contingent upon satisfactory results on a background check and verification of information on the employment application.

To Apply:

Submit a cover letter, resume, and application, which can be located on the Town's website at Townofreddingct.org, to Alice Smith, Executive Assistant to the First Selectwoman at asmith@townofreddingct.org. The position will remain open until a suitable candidate is identified.

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