

Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Field Interviewer—NHBS-HET-2

The Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics in the George Washington University School of Public Health and Health Services (GWU SPHHS) is launching the quantitative data collection component of its ongoing annual behavioral surveillance study in conjunction with its Public Health/Academic Partnership with the DC Department of Health/HIV/AIDS Administration.

The Department is seeking multiple part-time Field Interviewers (FI) to work on these studies. Together with the GWU faculty and staff, the FI will assist research faculty and staff in implementing the study. Under the supervision of the Field Supervisor (FS) and in concert with the Project Director and the Principal Investigator, the FI will collect data using computerized interview system on a handheld computer and contribute to research activities and data collection activities for both studies in both clinic and mobile van settings, including but not limited to survey data collection and HIV rapid testing. The FIs may participate in other research support activities as requested. The majority of work will take place off-campus. Travel to trainings and meetings may be required. Flexible hours, responsible research demeanor, and willingness to work in a variety of locations is required.

- 1) Bachelor's degree with 1-2 years public health research experience. Must be a matriculated student in the GWU SPHHS graduate program.
- 2) Previous experience in interviewing in the HIV public health research context, meticulous attention to detail and ability to follow protocols
- 3) Previous experience in conducting research interviews in urban settings
- 4) Familiarity with HIV and STD testing/ pre- and post-test counseling preferred.
- 5) Knowledge of computer assisted data collection preferred
- 6) Previous experience in working in an urban setting and/or phlebotomy preferred.
- 7) Proficient verbal and written skills; comfortable in academic, professional, and healthcare settings; excellent interpersonal skills. Spanish fluency and phlebotomy skills desired but not required.
- 8) Ability to work autonomously when needed but also functions well in a team; ability to work flexible hours if needed, including evenings and weekends.
- 9) Ability to provide own transportation to and from the study sites.

Interested candidate should submit a cover letter and resumé via email to Ms. Susan Lin, Assistant Department Manager, Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, GWU SPHHS, at sphsxl@gwumc.edu. Only complete applications will be considered.

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