

Epidemiologist

Description of Duties

Evaluates epidemiological study proposals, protocols, analyses, and reports as part of product application reviews; Provides recommendations based on knowledge of epidemiologic principles and best practices; Synthesizes epidemiological evidence to inform policy decisions; Conducts epidemiological research to inform tobacco product regulation; Analyze data from epidemiologic studies to investigate tobacco use behavior, its determinants, and health impacts.

Qualifications

- A full 4-year course of study in an accredited college or university leading to a bachelor's or higher degree with major study in an academic field related to Health Sciences or Allied Sciences appropriate to the work of the position. A combination of education (coursework equivalent to a major) and experience may be considered.
- U.S. citizenship is required.

Education

An official transcript, unofficial transcript, or a list including courses, grades earned, completion dates, and quarter and semester hours earned may be required. If you are using education completed in foreign colleges or universities to meet the qualification requirements, you must show that the education credentials have been evaluated by a private organization that specializes in interpretation of foreign education programs and such education has been deemed equivalent to that gained in an accredited U.S. education program; or full credit has been given for the courses at a U.S. accredited college or university. For further information, click on: [foreign education](#).

Note: Please review each grade announcement for the specific qualifications and specialized experience.

Grade (Salary) Level

Federal General Schedule (GS) grade levels at which Epidemiologist positions are commonly filled are:

- GS-12 through GS-14 (\$79,720.00 to \$145,629.00 / Per Year)

Geographic Location

Epidemiologists are located at FDA headquarters in Silver Spring, MD