

HEALTH SURVEY RESEARCHER

Mathematica is inviting survey researchers with expertise in health to join us in directing important studies of health policy. Mathematica is a nationally recognized research organization that conducts social policy studies on health care, disability, education, welfare, nutrition, and related topics. Our mission is to improve public well-being by bringing the highest standards of quality, objectivity, and excellence to bear on the work we do for our clients, which include federal, state, and local government agencies, as well as private foundations. We have offices in Princeton, N.J., Washington D.C., and Cambridge, MA.

We currently have openings for health survey researchers. As a health survey researcher, you would join our staff of health research professionals who conduct a range of research projects in the areas of disability, mental health, substance abuse, Medicare, Medicaid, State Children's Health Insurance programs, private health insurance markets, managed care, quality of care, information technology, state health policy, maternal and child health, and long-term care.

As a health survey researcher, you would work in a multidisciplinary setting that includes staff with doctoral and masters-level degrees in health economics, public health, health policy, education, economics, sociology, demography, and survey methodology. We encourage and provide support for staff to engage in professional activities, such as preparing journal articles and participating in conferences. We offer our employees a stimulating, team-oriented work environment, competitive salaries, and a comprehensive benefits package, as well as the advantages of employee ownership.

Responsibilities

- **Study design**, including questionnaire design and pretesting; instrument specification; conducting qualitative or quantitative research with health professionals, health care organizations and consumers; implementation and analysis of methodological studies; and writing professional reports on survey research activities suitable for publication or dissemination.
- **Survey management** including directing and managing survey teams; implementing and monitoring sample design; training interviewers; interacting with health care agencies and community health programs; overseeing longitudinal data collections; preparing and monitoring budgets, and conducting cost analyses.
- **Business development**, including contributing proposal text and preparing budgets.

Qualifications

- Ph.D. in health policy, health administration, public health, or a related field, or an equivalent combination of education and experience
- Knowledge of survey research methods; experience directing health related data collection efforts, and the ability to design and direct large-scale, complex, longitudinal surveys
- Demonstrated experience conducting health policy research
- Knowledge and experience in qualitative and quantitative research methods
- Strong analytical and organizational skills
- Excellent written and oral communication skills

- Ability to work well in teams

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