



Town of Nantucket, Massachusetts Public Health Director

The Town of Nantucket, Massachusetts has an immediate opening for the position of Public Health Director.

The island of Nantucket is located approximately 30 miles south of Cape Cod, with an approximate year-round population of 14,500 and a seasonal population that can exceed 50,000. Although well-known as a summer destination spot, Nantucket has numerous boutiques and shops, restaurants, a vibrant year-round community, including a K-12 public school system, plus two small private schools, a hospital, its own airport and a pier facility on the waterfront. Residents and visitors enjoy its windswept beaches, sand dunes, historic character, lighthouses and a charming pace of life. Nantucket is 14 miles in length and 3.5 miles wide and includes the small islands of Tuckernuck and Muskeget. Once the world's foremost whaling port, the Island is now designated a National Historic Landmark. Nantucket is brimming with seaside cottages, old whaling captains' mansions, historic harbors and large tracts of scenic open space.

Appointed by the Town Manager, the Public Health Director assists with the coordination and administration of the divisions of the Department that handle a diversity of functions related to the physical well-being of residents and visitors. The Director acts as the Board of Health liaison, supervises department staff, disseminates public health regulations to the community, and oversees inspections and enforcement of local and state public health laws. The Director is responsible for planning, directing, coordinating, and staffing all activities within the department and ensuring that all staff are appropriately trained.

The Department is funded for staff of fourteen (14), including positions of (4) Public Health Inspectors, Human Services Director, Community Health Clinical Administrator, Environmental Contamination Administrator, Chief Health Officer, Veterans Agent and Administrative Support Staff.

RECOMMENDED QUALIFICATIONS

A degree in biology, sanitation, public health, environmental health or related sciences with a minimum of three years' experience in a position requiring administrative management responsibility in public health or related field preferred; or any equivalent combination of experience and education in a related background will be considered.

Salary and Benefits:

Salary range of \$125,400 - \$172,400, commensurate with qualifications. The Town of Nantucket offers a retirement pension through Barnstable County Retirement, 90% employer-sponsored health insurance plan options, and a diverse selection of supplemental insurance policies. *The Town of Nantucket is actively working to secure housing for this position.*

Interested applicants should apply online [here](#). Please attach a cover letter and resume. The application deadline is 4:00 pm on March 31, 2024.

The town of Nantucket is an equal opportunity employer, qualified minority candidates are encouraged to apply.