

REIMBURSABLE DETAIL
Center for Tobacco Products
Office of Science

The Center for Tobacco Products (CTP), Office of Science (OS), Division of Population Health Science (DPHS) is offering a detail opportunity to an Unclassified Duties (Mathematical Statistician) GS-1529-14-equivalent position. The Detail is available immediately for a period up to 120 days. Applicants at the GS-14 are encouraged to apply. Commissioned Corps Officers at the rank of O-6 are encouraged to apply. A temporary promotion will not be considered.

Bargaining Unit Status: Bargaining Unit Position

Office Location: Anywhere in the U.S.
(REMOTE Job)

Opening Date: **March 21, 2023**

Closing Date: **March 27, 2023**

Area of Consideration: CTP-Wide

The CTP Office of Science offers a fast-paced, dynamic environment and an opportunity to work with dedicated, energetic people who really want to make a difference and improve public health. This detail position is ideal for someone who wants to have a critical role in the organization and would enjoy the challenge of applying population modeling and other statistical techniques to inform population health priorities.

Duties:

The detail will be in the Immediate Office (IO) within the Division of Population Health Science (DPHS). Duties for this position may include:

- Applies advanced mathematical and computational statistical techniques to unique, critical, and highly complex scientific situations.
- Leads development, refinement, review, and interpretation of population health models from CTP, as well as models submitted to CTP in applications, public comments, or through other means.
- Provides expert statistical advice in the development of new and amended guidance, regulations, and policies.
- Independently reviews and evaluates a wide range of scientific investigations on tobacco products to determine scientific validity of results from a statistical and mathematical point of view.
- Prepares well-reasoned professional reports or manuscripts.
- Provides expert advice and assistance to statisticians and non-statisticians on a wide range of statistical topics.
- Provides verbal and written conclusions to other federal agencies, industry, academia, state, local, and international organizations.

- Advises management on issues related to scientific statistical subject matter.
- Fosters collaboration and communication on statistical modeling issues within and between working groups, DPHS, OS, OR and other internal and external stakeholders.
- Performs other similar duties as assigned.

Desired Knowledge and Skills:

- Expertise in the development, application, and interpretation of population health modeling approaches.
- Expertise in applying advanced mathematical and statistical theories, principles, and concepts, to be able to develop new applications to extend or modify theories, concepts, or assumptions.
- Devises novel approaches within the regulatory environment to assure scientific validity of conclusions and subsequent decisions.
- Excellent organizational skills and effective verbal and written communication skills.
- Ability to foster accountability and commitment to the mission of the DPHS.

Application Procedure:

This detail opportunity is open to all qualified candidates at the GS-14 grade level or Commissioned Corps Officers at an equivalent rank. A temporary promotion will not be available.

Interested applicants should submit a copy of their resume, transcripts, most recent copy of SF-50 (Notification of Personnel Action) that identifies your current pay plan, series, grade, full performance level, and time in grade, and a statement indicating the interest in being considered for this detail via email to:

CTP-Recruitment@fda.hhs.gov

Please enter in the subject line:

Detail: CTP, OS, DPHS – Unclassified Duties (Mathematical Statistician) GS-1529-14

Travel Expenses will not be paid.

Candidates must express interest by March 27, 2023.

Supervisory concurrence is required to apply to this position.

*This is not an official vacancy announcement under the Merit Promotion System.