

## **Epidemiologist Fellowship ([NIOSH/CDC](#))**

This position will be a four year fellowship to provide analytical support and assist with the oversight for a four-year project to enhance occupational health surveillance in the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN). The NHSN is an internet-based surveillance system established in 2005 by the CDC's National Center for Infectious Diseases, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion (DHQP) that includes both patient safety and healthcare personnel health and safety modules. The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) is working with DHQP to enhance the collection of data regarding healthcare personnel safety and health. We will develop NHSN modules to assess (1) musculoskeletal disorders due to patient handling and working in awkward postures, (2) traumatic injuries (from falls and workplace violence), (3) dermatitis, (4) work-related asthma, and (5) airborne transmission of infectious agents. Collecting these data through the NHSN will help healthcare facilities monitor the health of their employees, identify and address problems, and meet record-keeping requirements for OSHA and accrediting bodies.

Please view the following link below for more information.

<http://careers.apha.org/jobdetail.cfm?job=3154880#emp>