

Position Announcement (US Department of Veterans Affairs)

The US Department of Veterans Affairs Office of Veterans Health Education and Information manages and coordinates health education programs and services across the Veterans Health Administration (VHA). VHA is the largest integrated health delivery system in the US. The position will be based in the Durham, NC office. It will guide and promote health education programs and services, working closely with staff in the VA Headquarters in Washington DC, and the 153 VA Medical Centers and over 800 VA community-based clinics across the country.

The VA Human Resources Department has just posted an opening for a full-time MPH Health Educator in the Durham, NC office. The posting appears on USA Jobs, www.usajobs.gov. The position number is VZ-09-TLC-282325. The salary range is from \$69,704 to \$107,756 depending on the experience of the person selected, and the position offers excellent benefits. The position will:

1. Use health education theory and principles to design and implement health education programs and resources in a healthcare environment.
2. Consult with a wide variety of healthcare professionals and leadership levels to promote health education across the health care continuum from health promotion and disease prevention, primary care, chronic disease, acute care, rehabilitation and long-term care. We also partner with other federal agencies and community groups.
3. Communicate orally and in writing with the targeted populations of interest (patients, healthcare providers and facility leadership). Sample materials developed for these audiences may be requested.
4. Manage a wide variety of health education programs and projects in a health care environment.
5. Chair or serve as a member of national committees representing the discipline of health education.

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