

# **Opportunity Title:** CDC 2024 Office of Readiness and Response Fellowship **Opportunity Reference Code:** CDC-ORR-2024-0004

Organization Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

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A complete application consists of:

- An application
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- A current resume/CV, including academic history, employment history, relevant experiences, and publication list
- One educational or professional recommendation. Your application will be considered incomplete, and will not be reviewed until one recommendation is submitted.

All documents must be in English or include an official English translation.

#### Application Deadline 2/27/2024 3:00:00 PM Eastern Time Zone

### Description \*Applications will be reviewed on a rolling-basis.

**CDC Office and Location:** A research opportunity is available in the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) located in Atlanta, Georgia.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is one of the major operation components of the Department of Health and Human Services. CDC works to protect America from health, safety and security threats, both foreign and in the U.S. Whether diseases start at home or abroad, are chronic or acute, curable or preventable, human error or deliberate attack, CDC fights disease and supports communities and citizens to do the same.

**Research Project:** You will collaborate on projects that help the Office of Readiness and Response (ORR) advance the Nation's preparedness and response for public health emergencies and emerging threats. They include natural, biological, chemical, nuclear, and radiological events.

## Learning Objectives:

You'll gain experience in agency- and center-led efforts to meet the preparedness and response challenges of tomorrow. As a fellow, you might:

- Review and analyze quantitative and qualitative data.
- Help develop and present public health communication materials.
- Research and analyze public health policy and contracts.
- Collaborate with scientific teams and research groups.
- Develop innovative tools to evaluate gamification of public health emergencies
- Contribute to data modernization, knowledge management, and advancing the science of public health.

Your contributions-regardless of your assignment-will help CDC improve

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preparedness and response capabilities.

**Mentor(s):** The mentor for this opportunity is Shawnbria Ray (<u>OrrsummerOrise@cdc.gov</u>). If you have questions about the nature of the research please contact the mentor(s).

Anticipated Appointment Start Date: May 22, 2024. Start date is flexible and will depend on a variety of factors.

**Appointment Length:** The appointment will initially be May 22, 2024-July 26, 2024.

Level of Participation: The appointment is full time.

**Participant Stipend:** Stipend rates may vary based on numerous factors, including opportunity, location, education, and experience.

Undergraduates stipends are approximately \$3,300 and Post-Bachelor's stipends are approximately \$4,100. If you are interviewed, you can inquire about the exact stipend rate at that time and if selected, your appointment offer will include the monthly stipend rate.

**Citizenship Requirements:** This opportunity is available to U.S. citizens only.

**ORISE Information:** This program, administered by ORAU through its contract with the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to manage the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE), was established through an interagency agreement between DOE and CDC. Participants do not become employees of CDC, DOE or the program administrator, and there are no employment-related benefits. Proof of health insurance is required for participation in this program. Health insurance can be obtained through ORISE.

The successful applicant(s) will be required to comply with Environmental, Safety and Health (ES&H) requirements of the hosting facility, including but not limited to, COVID-19 requirements (e.g. facial covering, physical distancing, testing, vaccination).

**Questions:** Please visit our <u>Program Website</u>. After reading, if you have additional questions about the application process please email <u>ORISE.CDC.ORR@orau.org</u> and include the reference code for this opportunity.

Qualifications The qualified candidate should be currently pursuing or have received a bachelor's, master's, or doctoral degree in the one of the relevant fields. Degree must have been received within the past five years, or be currently pursuing.

Eligibility • Citizenship: U.S. Citizen Only

- Requirements
- **Degree:** Bachelor's Degree, Master's Degree, or Doctoral Degree received within the last 60 months or currently pursuing.
- Discipline(s):



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- Chemistry and Materials Sciences (12. )
- Communications and Graphics Design (2. )
- Computer, Information, and Data Sciences (17. )
- Earth and Geosciences (21 (\*)
- Engineering (<u>27</u> <sup>(</sup>))
- Environmental and Marine Sciences (14 )
- Life Health and Medical Sciences (<u>51</u><sup>(1)</sup>)
- Mathematics and Statistics (<u>11</u>)
- Physics (<u>16</u>)
- Science & Engineering-related (2.)
- Social and Behavioral Sciences (29 (19)
- Affirmation I certify that I have not previously been employed by CDC or by a contractor working directly for CDC. I understand that CDC does not permit individuals with a prior employment relationship with CDC or its contractors to participate as trainees in the ORISE program. (Exceptions may be granted for individuals who, since the previous CDC employment, have obtained a new STEM degree which necessitates training in a new field.)