The County of Sacramento is accepting applications for:

**Physician III**

**Part Time**

**(32 hours weekly)**

$137,458 - $151,538

**Approximate Annual Salary**

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**SACRAMENTO COUNTY**

Sacramento County continually strives to meet the changing needs of the residents of the County. Sacramento County was incorporated in 1850 and operates under the County Charter, where an elected five member Board of Supervisors serves as the governing body of the county, and is responsible for appointing a County Executive who oversees day to day administration.

The County currently employs over 11,000 individuals and operates with an annual budget of nearly $4 billion. The County is comprised of 40 departments and provides traditional county-wide services (public assistance, public health, child protective services and mental health services, etc.) to all residents and certain municipal services (planning and development, Sheriff’s patrol, code enforcement, water utilities, etc.).
THE REGION

Home to the capital city of the world’s 6th largest economy, Sacramento County represents a unique blend of our region’s history merged with a foundational vision for a vibrant future. The Sacramento region takes full advantage of its location within California’s Central Valley – the state’s prime agricultural region – and boasts America’s Farm-to-Fork capital. Of the county’s approximately 1.5 million residents, nearly 500,000 live in the City of Sacramento, which is consistently recognized as one of the most diverse cities in America.

When not at work, residents are exposed to a dizzying array of recreational opportunities. For those looking to enjoy the great outdoors – hike, bike or run one of our numerous trails or enjoy the natural beauty of our local parks and waterways. Interested in our rich cultural history or burgeoning arts scene? Check out Old Sacramento or any number of museums and galleries in the area. Looking for a true Farm-to-Fork experience? The regions talented chefs celebrate our local agriculture and excel in incorporating fresh, seasonal ingredients into amazing dishes all year round – not to mention the local breweries and wineries throughout the region.

For the sports fan, professional baseball (River Cats – SF Giants AAA affiliate), soccer (Sac Republic FC) and basketball (Sacramento Kings) are fan favorites. In addition to the Sacramento Kings, the new Golden 1 Center is quickly becoming a destination of choice for many of the world’s most popular acts in entertainment, and numerous local music venues provide ample opportunities to discover new talent or enjoy an established favorite.

THE PROGRAM

The Sacramento County Tuberculosis Control Program is responsible for the surveillance, evaluation and treatment of tuberculosis suspects and cases in Sacramento County. Clinical care for Tuberculosis is provided at the Chest Clinic located at the Primary Care Center at 4600 Broadway in Sacramento. The County works closely with the healthcare community and public to identify and treat cases of active tuberculosis, their contacts and latent tuberculosis infection and to prevent further spread of the disease in the community.
THE POSITION

Sacramento County Tuberculosis Control Program Physician III: The primary function of this position is to diagnose, treat and control tuberculosis in Sacramento County. The primary duty of this position is the practice of medicine as a licensed physician specializing in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of tuberculosis in Sacramento County.

The Physician III is responsible for:

- Examining, treating and monitoring of tuberculosis suspects, tuberculosis cases and contacts including adults and children with active tuberculosis or latent tuberculosis infection.
- Interpreting x-ray and lab results, management of standard and alternative drug regimens for treatment of tuberculosis and multi-drug resistant tuberculosis, monitoring and management of complications of tuberculosis and latent tuberculosis infection therapy.
- Working with a multi-disciplinary case-management team, Tuberculosis Controller, and the County Health Officer to manage cases and outbreaks and provide medical decisions.
- Providing consultation on primary care medical cases of tuberculosis, including the monitoring and consultation of jail and prison cases.
- Evaluating individuals for shelter screening, Electronic Disease Notifications Class B referrals, and the monitoring of acid-fast bacillus test results.
- Participate in regional and state-wide trainings and activities with the California Tuberculosis Controllers Association, tuberculosis care partners, and Curry International Tuberculosis Center.
- Provide medical staff orientation and in-service training.
- Participates in quality improvement programs such as chart audits and reports to State Tuberculosis Control Program.

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE

Qualifications:

Experience: At least 3 years in medical case management and experience in clinical practice and disease management.

Education: A Doctoral Degree in medicine and hold an unrestricted license to practice medicine in the State of California.
APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

Individuals interested in this outstanding opportunity, please submit:

- A current curriculum vitae which reflects years and months of positions held.
- Three work related references.

Filing Deadline: Open until filled

Curricula vitae will be screened in relation to the criteria outlined in this brochure. Candidates deemed to have the most relevant background will be invited to participate in a series of one or more interviews.

If you have questions regarding this recruitment you may contact Olivia Kasirye, M.D., MS, via phone, (916)875-5881. To apply send electronic curriculum vitae and references to kasiyee@saccounty.net.

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS

The approximate annual salary range for this position is $137,458—$151,538. An excellent benefits package is also provided which includes:

- Holidays: 3.5 paid holidays per year. Part-time employees receive Holiday time on a prorated basis.
- Vacation: Part-time employees receive 3.1 hours of paid vacation time after working 80.00 hours (equivalent to a full pay period).
- Sick leave: Part-time employees earn 4.6 hours of sick leave time after working 80.00 hours (equivalent to a full pay period).
- Medical Insurance: Choice of medical plans through a cafeteria program. Most plans include vision coverage and some plans allow participation in an individual Health Savings Account. The County contributes 80% of the premium of the lowest cost Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) for an employee and an employee plus family which equates monthly to $539.80 or $1,381.90 respectively for 2017. The amount is re-indexed each year based on carrier premium renewals.
- Dental Insurance: Includes 100% of the dental plan premium for the employee and eligible dependents.
- Flexible Spending Accounts: Employees may set aside funds on a pre-tax basis to pay for eligible medical and/or dependent care expenses.
- Life Insurance: $50,000 in life insurance coverage for the employee and $2,000 for all eligible dependents. Employees have the option to buy up to $600,000 in additional life insurance coverage.
- Deferred Compensation: A deferred compensation program is available through the County 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan. The County will match contributions to the 457(b) plan up to 1% of the monthly gross salary into a 401(a) plan as long as the contributions to the 457(b) plan are at least 1% of the gross salary continuously throughout the year.
- Retirement: The County’s Retirement plan is provided by the County Retirement Act of 1937 and is managed by the Sacramento County Employees’ Retirement System.
- Other Benefits: The County contributes $25.00 per pay period into a Retiree Health Savings Plan.