



Assistant/Associate/Professor in Health and Social Services

The College of Health and Social Services at New Mexico State University (NMSU) seeks an Assistant, Associate, or Professor with the skills and experience to enhance the scholarly mission of the College and University. This college-wide search seeks a dynamic individual with demonstrated ability to secure funding for research and development activities through grant writing. The successful candidate should be able to form collaborative relationships with diverse faculty and engage others in grant writing and scholarly production.

The ideal applicant will conduct research with the potential to benefit individuals, families, and communities in a culturally diverse environment. The specific tenure-track departmental affiliation of the successful candidate will be made into either the Department of Social Work, Public Health Sciences, or Nursing depending on the specific research and teaching expertise of the candidate. The position includes a 9-month annual appointment, with rank, tenure, and salary commensurate with qualifications. Applicants must have a Ph.D. in Social Work, Nursing, Public Health, or other closely related field. Primary responsibilities include developing a program of funded research with limited teaching and service responsibilities.

NMSU is a comprehensive and accredited land-grant institution of higher learning. Exceeding \$140 million in research and public service expenditures, NMSU is classified as a Hispanic-serving institution by the federal government with a total minority enrollment over 48%. Faculty at NMSU participate NIH funded student training programs and in several NIH funded statewide and regional networks (e.g., Mountain West Research Consortium, IDeA Networks of Biomedical Research Excellence), which provide opportunities for pilot funding for faculty projects. Local foundations, such as the Con Alma Health Foundation and Paso del Norte Health Foundation, provide support for efforts targeting health disparities in New Mexico and the southwest border region. NMSU is located in Las Cruces, which features desert mesas, the farmlands of the Rio Grande Valley, and the Organ Mountains, an extension of the Rocky Mountain chain. The University is committed to building a culturally diverse educational environment.

The Deadline to apply is December 1, 2014. The start date for this position is August 2015 or January 2016. Applicants are requested to submit a letter of interest, a CV, a statement of research interests, and names and contact information for three professional references through the university job portal at <http://jobs.nmsu.edu/postings/19941>. Questions about this position may be directed to Dr. Joe Tomaka at tomaka@nmsu.edu.

New Mexico State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer; Minorities, Females, Veterans, and those with a Disability are encouraged to apply.