

What Can I Do in Public Health?

Sociology



Skills and experiences you may have developed through your degree include:

- Cultural competency
- Program and project planning
- Gathering data
- Teamwork
- Interacting and negotiating with others

Specialty Areas



Health Promotion and Education



Program Referral

Potential Employers

- Local (city/county) health departments
- State health departments
- Federal health institutions (CDC)
- Non-profit organizations

Examples of Entry-Level Job Postings (with Texas DSHS)

- **Public Health and Prevention Specialist I or II**
 - Provide education to the community on preventing chronic disease
- **Program Specialist I or II**
 - Conduct coalition building and program planning work for a DSHS initiative
- **Community Health Specialist**
 - Identify health care needs in a community and provide education
- **Customer Service Representative**
 - Communicate with partners regarding a DSHS service (e.g., Vital Statistics, Immunization Information Services) and keep records related to this program

To view current job postings at the Texas HHS, visit: <https://jobshportal.hhsc.state.tx.us/ENG/careerportal/>



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