



Department of Health

STATISTICIAN/ QUANTITATIVE ANALYST HEALTHCARE UTILISATION

DIRECTORATE: Health Economics and Financing

REF NO: 7044688

SALARY: R719 613 per annum (all inclusive remuneration package, of which a portion can be structured according to the individual's needs)

CENTRE: Central Office - Johannesburg

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must have an advanced degree in one of the following: Mathematics, statistics, biostatistics, economics, epidemiology, health services research, econometrics or an equivalent related field degree supported by extensive experience within the healthcare utilisation sphere. A masters degree in any of these fields would be an advantage. An above average knowledge of health systems and the public health sector in particular. Well developed computer skills (spreadsheets, statistical analysis, database, SAS/SQL, word processing). Should be able to take calculated risks and work with minimum supervision. Keen analytical and problem solving skills. Solid oral and written communication skills. Some ability in project management as well as the ability to supervise junior colleagues.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES: The successful incumbent will be responsible for retrospective tracking and reporting of key utilisation trends in the Gauteng Healthcare facilities. He/She will provide input that will inform understanding of financial and economic costs of providing healthcare in the province across all levels of the healthcare services delivery value-chain. The incumbent will identify and refine indicators at health facility level that will, on an on-going basis, inform the Department of the components of utilisation that are essential for the delivery of relevant healthcare. The analyst will also conduct trend analysis of utilisation indicators against established norms and standards.

ENQUIRIES: Mr. T. Masebula. Tel. No: (011) 355 3883

CLOSING DATE: 05 November 2012

We welcome applications from persons with disabilities

The Provincial Government of Gauteng is committed to the achievement and maintenance of diversity and equity in employment, especially of race, gender and disability. **NOTE:** Appointment is subject to the signing of a performance agreement contract. The successful candidate will be required to submit to a security clearance check.

A curriculum vitae with a detailed description of duties and the names of two referees must accompany your application for employment (Z83). It will be required of the successful candidate to undergo an appropriate security clearance. An indication in this regard will facilitate the processing of applications. Correspondence will be limited to shortlisted candidates only. If you have not been contacted within three months after the closing date of this advertisement, please accept that your application was unsuccessful. It is the applicant's responsibility to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualification Authority (SAQA). Short listed candidates might be subjected to undergo competency assessment. The Gauteng Department of Health supports the appointment of persons with disabilities.

PLEASE NOTE: Applications must be posted to Recruitment and Selection Unit Department of Health, Private Bag X 085, Marshalltown 2000, or hand delivery to 37 Sauer Street, Bank of Lisbon Building, Corner Market and Sauer Street, Johannesburg. For Attention: Mr. T. Mphelo

PLEASE NOTE: Due to the large number of applications we envisage to receive, applications will not be acknowledged. If you do not receive any response within 3 months, please accept that your application was unsuccessful.