



# Public Health Laboratory Fellowship Opportunities

## Advance Your Career!

The Association of Public Health Laboratories (APHL) and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) are seeking degreed applicants who are interested in starting or furthering an exciting new career in laboratory science while working collaboratively with industry leaders and developing professional networks.

## APHL-CDC Public Health Laboratory Fellowship Program

APHL-CDC fellowships support a wide spectrum of public health laboratory program areas, such as: bioinformatics, biorisk management (biosafety), environmental health, infectious disease, informatics, food safety, newborn screening, and quality management. Each fellow will be trained in alignment with established public health laboratory core competencies and functions and will work on unique program-specific projects and other initiatives in host laboratories.

- **Eligible Candidates:** bachelor's, master's or doctorate degrees
- **Applications:** Accepted year-round
- **Start and End Dates:** Flexible
- **Hours and Program Length:** Approximately 40 hours a week, one to two years



### About APHL

APHL works to strengthen laboratory systems serving the public's health in the U.S. and globally. APHL's member laboratories protect the public's health by monitoring and detecting infectious and foodborne diseases, environmental contaminants, terrorist agents, genetic disorders in newborns and other diverse health threats.

### About Public Health Laboratories

Public health laboratories are highly specialized governmental laboratories that monitor and detect a range of health threats, such as genetic disorders in newborns, infectious diseases, environmental hazards and biological terrorist agents and more.

### Application Requirements

- Undergraduate and/or graduate transcripts
- Two letters of professional recommendation
- Resume/CV
- Completed interest and experience survey
- Narrative and oral submissions for screening interview
- U.S. citizenship or permanent residency

### Fellowship Benefits

- Experienced mentor actively working in the public health field
- Hands-on skills in laboratory techniques
- Specialization in an area of your choosing
- APHL student membership
- Competitive stipend and benefits package



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# CAREER PATHWAYS

The Public Health Laboratory Fellowship Program

An APHL-CDC Initiative



## AREAS OF INTEREST

- Bioinformatics
- Infectious Disease\*
- Biorisk Management\*
- Informatics
- Environmental Health\*
- Newborn Screening\*
- Food Safety\*
- Quality Management\*

\* Bench laboratory experience preferred

## COMPETITIVE STIPEND

Bachelor's:	\$44,770	Stipend amounts shown are at their starting base salary, and may be increased based on factors such as education, experience and locality.
Master's:	\$54,765	
Doctorate:	\$66,258	



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\*Highly qualified candidates for bioinformatics-focused fellowships must have a master's degree or higher.



## Suggested Education and Experience

Highly qualified candidates will have completed courses relevant to the following subjects:

- Biochemistry
- Biology
- Biosafety
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Environmental Science
- Epidemiology
- Food Science
- Genetics
- Laboratory Science
- Microbiology
- Molecular Biology
- Public Health Science