



Assistant/Associate Professor in Public Health, Health Promotion, or Health Education

Tenure-Track

New Mexico Highlands University is accepting applications for a Tenure-Track Assistant/Associate Professor of Public Health, Health Promotion, or Health Education. The individual selected for this position will have responsibilities in the three required areas of teaching, scholarship and service. Courses to be taught will be primarily in the areas of health promotion and education but may include (but not limited to) courses in : Personal/Community Health; Human Diseases; US Mexico Boarder Health Issues; Managing Stress; Public Health and Wellness; Nutrition; Health and Sex Education; and Epidemiology. This position will also help develop a minor in Boarder Health Issues in addition to teaching online courses in the discipline as assigned. The incumbent is further expected to pursue scholarly activities and serve at the University, local, state, regional, and national levels. Summer teaching is optional, based on personal interests and departmental goals.

Duties & Responsibilities Include but are not limited to:

- Teaching,
- Holding office hours,
- Advising students,
- Serving on faculty and/or university committees,
- Writing and/or building curriculum in public health, health promotion, and/or health education,
- Conducting scholarly activities.

The normal fulltime teaching load is twelve (12) credit hours per semester.

Qualifications & Experience: Minimum: Doctorate in Public Health, Health Promotion or related area and a minimum of five (5) years of successful teaching at the university level. The successful candidate must have demonstrated an ability to develop and teach courses in a distance education/online environment.

Preferred Qualifications:

- a) Experience teaching undergraduate and graduate coursework in a wide variety of public health, health promotion, and/or health education related areas.
- b) Experience conducting professional development activities in public health, health promotion, and /or health education.
- c) Scholarly work and/or grant-writing in public health, health promotion, and/or health education.
- d) Experience providing outreach to first generation college students and experience teaching with teaching technology, preferably Desire2Learn.
- e) Experience in writing/building curriculum in public health, health promotion, and/or health education.
- f) Experience with teaching or researching the various issues involved with the southern US border.

Minimum Starting Salary: \$48,000 - \$53,452

Deadline: Position will remain open until filled.

Main Campus: New Mexico Highlands University is an open-enrollment university with over 50% Hispanic, Native American, or African American students with nearly 40% studying at the Master's Degree level. The university is committed to student success and improved retention and graduation rates. NMHU serves approximately 2,500 undergraduate and graduate students at the Main Campus in Las Vegas, NM (one hour east of Santa Fe) and another 1,300 students at centers in Rio Rancho, Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Espanola, and Farmington. The university enrolls students from 42 states, 19 tribes, and 35 foreign countries.

Application Packet: Interested applicants must submit 1) a letter of interest describing teaching, service, and research interests; 2) curriculum vitae; 3) unofficial copies of advanced degree transcripts; 4) evidence of teaching and research excellence, 5) samples of syllabi; and, 6) contact information such as names, phone numbers, and email addresses of three persons familiar with the candidate's qualifications for the position.

References will be contacted in conjunction with on-campus interview. For more information regarding the position you may contact Nichole Martinez at namartinez@nmhu.edu.

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