

# 2025-26 Texas Public Health Fellowship



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Texas Department of State  
Health Services

Fellowship Name: Tuberculosis Program Evaluation Fellowship

## Fellowship Details

**Host Site Organization Name:** Texas Department of State Health Services

**Host Site Division/Program:** Infections Disease and Prevention; Tuberculosis and Hansen’s Disease

**Host Site/Fellowship Location:** 201 West Howard Lane, Austin, Texas, 78753

**Host Site Workplace Setting:** Combination of onsite and virtual

**Workplace Setting Description:** First 3-4 months the Fellow to be in-person completing training. After completion of the training, the fellow can continue hybrid work or 80% telework.

**Public Health Core Disciplines:** Health Policy and Management Epidemiology

**Primary Fellowship Focus/Topics:** Program Evaluation Quality Assurance

## Fellowship Overview

### Host Site Mission

To eliminate tuberculosis as a public health threat.

### Fellowship Projects

- Extract selected data from the 2001-2023 Annual Progress Report (APR).
- Compile and summarize selected data from the APRs.
- Edit selected tools such as targeted testing monthly reports.
- Develop abstract/manuscript using data from the APR or correctional TB screening program.
- Create GIS map of Tuberculosis cases in Texas (optional).

### Fellowship Deliverables

- Compiled spreadsheet on APR findings.
- Edit program evaluation tools.
- Submit at least one abstract/manuscript on TB program evaluation.
- Create GIS map of Tuberculosis cases in Texas (optional).

### Fellowship Activities/Responsibilities

- Communication with internal and external stakeholders.
- Data extraction, compilation, summarization, develop reports.
- Edit/develop program evaluation tools and monthly report.
- Work with other team members in developing manuscripts.

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## Salary and Benefits

**Annual Salary:** Tier 2, \$56,000

All fellows will be eligible for DSHS employee [benefits](#) including [health insurance](#) and leave.

## Travel

**Percent Travel:** 10%

**Travel Description:** Attend onsite review to observe the process and attend conference(s).

## Required Applicant Qualifications

*(The following qualifications are REQUIRED. Do NOT apply to this position unless you currently meet or plan to meet these requirements by the start of the Fellowship, June 1, 2025.)*

### Required certification/license:

No requirement

### Ability to Speak in Spanish:

No Requirement

### Ability to Write in Spanish:

No Requirement

## Preferred Educational Qualifications

*(The following preferences are guidelines provided by the Host Site. These are NOT requirements. Host Sites prefer that applicants have completed or are currently working toward these.)*

**Preferred Level of Education:** bachelor's degree in any discipline, preferably Public Health, Social Sciences or related subject; Master's in any discipline a plus.

## Preferred Specialized and Technical Skills

*(The following skills will be a focus during this Fellowship position. If you have or are interested in developing data analysis skills or building technical skills in the software listed below, this could be a good Fellowship position for you.)*

### Data Analysis Skills:

Somewhat Skilled: has done Data Analysis in coursework, but not applied Data Analysis in the real world

### Statistical Software Skills:

Proficient: has ability to use software effectively and some support

### Statistical Software:

Knowledge in SAS and ArcGIS will be a plus

### Other Software:

Working knowledge on Excel