Epidemiology

Epidemiologists use their MPH degree to prevent, control and treat infectious or chronic diseases. They primarily work in an office or laboratory setting analyzing data and conducting research. Some positions may also involve field work which requires the epidemiologist to go into the community they are studying to collect samples or conduct surveys to measure qualitative data. The work of epidemiologists often impact trends in health policy and education. The salary upon graduation ranges from $40,000 - $100,000 annually.

Sample Occupations

- Research Scientist
- Health Specialist
- Epidemiologist
- Research Analyst
- Statistical Analyst
- Data Analyst

Sample Work Settings

- Colleges or universities
- Government
- Community Health Centers
- Foundations
- Pharmaceutical Companies
- Research laboratories

Potential Employers

Job Search Sites and Resources

Keywords: Epidemiology, Research, Clinical Research

- http://careers.apha.org/jobs
- http://www.medzilla.com/
- https://www.researchgate.net/
- Handshake
- The Vault

Professional Organizations

- American Public Health Association
- American College of Epidemiology
- Association of Schools of Public Health
- The International Association of National Public Health Institutes
- Society for Epidemiologic Research

For more information visit: https://publichealth.gwu.edu/services/career-center/resources or email: gwsphcareer@gwu.edu