

# County of Kern

## Public Health Services Department

Are you ready for a change? Join our team!

### Environmental Health Specialist I, II, III

Kern County Public Health Services, Environmental Health Division is seeking motivated Registered Environmental Health Specialists to join our staff and help assist in protecting the quality of life and serving the citizens of Kern County.

Kern County Environmental Health consists of four major programs: Land and Water, Hazardous Materials, Solid Waste, and Food. Under general supervision, the ideal candidate will be responsible for varied, detailed, and complex environmental health inspections and investigations in one of these programs. The candidate may have an assigned district or act as a lead inspector for one of these programs.

#### Why Kern County?

Kern County is the third largest county in California. The region is home to an incredible selection of geography ranging from the wide open Central Valley, the peaceful Sierra Nevada Mountains and to the striking terrain of the Mojave Desert. The county's economy is heavily linked to agriculture and to petroleum extraction and has a strong aviation, space, and military presence. It is one of the fastest-growing areas in the United States in terms of population growth. The City of Bakersfield continues to be one of the most affordable places to live in California with the recreation and entertainment of a large city but the feel and lifestyle of a small town.

#### Employment Standards and Requirements:

- Possession of a valid certificate of registration as a Registered Environmental Health Specialist as issued by the California Department of Public Health.
- Knowledge of the environmental health provisions of the Health and Safety Code; the principles of environmental health science; the methods and procedures used in inspecting and correcting unhealthful conditions.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships; prepare clear and concise records; conduct classes and educate the public.

#### Compensation and Benefits include weekends and holidays off in addition to:

- Environmental Health Specialist I: \$4,276.54 to \$5,220.78 monthly
- Environmental Health Specialist II: \$4,725.13 to \$5,768.40 monthly
- Environmental Health Specialist III: \$5,220.78 to \$6,373.49 monthly
- Health/Dental/Vision Insurance
- Retirement Plan & Longevity Pay
- Vacation Leave, Sick Leave and Holidays

For more information contact **Jeffrey Marshall** at **(661) 862-8775**

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Kern County Human Resources at 1115 Truxtun Avenue or online at [www.governmentjobs.com](http://www.governmentjobs.com)

