

Postdoctoral Training in the Sexual Health and Well-Being of Gay and Bisexual Men

GENERAL DUTIES

The CUNY Institute for Implementation Science in Population Health is seeking to hire a post-doctoral fellow to work on the Together 5,000 (T5K) cohort study. <http://cunyisph.org/t5k-anncmnt/>. T5K is an ongoing US national cohort study of 7,000 HIV-negative gay and bisexual men, and transmen and transwomen who have sex with men. The cohort prospectively completes twice annual online surveys as well as annual self-administered at-home HIV testing (samples returned to a lab for analysis). Half the sample are men of color, and nearly 2,000 are between the ages of 16 and 24. Participants who contract HIV during the longitudinal follow up period also complete one-on-one telephone interviews about their experiences around retention in care. The post-doctoral fellow will be charged with assisting the investigative team in all facets of dissemination (data analysis, manuscript preparation, abstract preparation for conferences, etc.). This is an excellent opportunity for individuals looking to embark on their own independent research careers in a similar field of study.

The Research Associate (Post-Doctoral Fellow) will report to the T5K principal investigator ([Dr. Christian Grov](#)) as well as the Director of ISPH ([Dr. Denis Nash](#)), both established investigators with research track records. This is a 1-year position with the potential for additional annual appointments pending the availability of funding and satisfactory performance. This fellowship includes mentorship opportunities such as travel support to present results at professional conferences.

Duties include but are not limited to:

- Conducts independent research.
- Analyzes, drafts, and publishes methods and results papers in peer-reviewed journals.
- Develops and advances a research agenda, under the guidance of the Institute mentorship.
- Collaborates with Institute investigators and external partners on grant proposals and existing research projects;
- Designs new studies and grant proposals as well as the execution of existing studies funded through extramural research grants.
- Contributes to ongoing Institute research projects, either as a member of the analytic or programmatic team.
- Applies for at least two federal funding opportunities, including supplements to the parent project and potentially a K01 award.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Doctoral Degree in a related field and demonstrated research ability.

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

The ideal candidate has a record of research on HIV/AIDS and MSM sexual health. They must have exemplary data analysis skills (quantitative required, qualitative preferred) and ideally are capable of conducting hierarchical linear models (HLM) on nested data (participants nested within US states), as well as longitudinal datasets (evidenced via first authored publications in peer-reviewed journals).

TO APPLY

Submit a cover letter and CV to Dr. Christian Grov cgrov@sph.cuny.edu
Announcement released May 2018 and open until the position is filled.