



The Department of Health Policy at Vanderbilt University's School of Medicine is conducting an open-rank search for ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE or FULL PROFESSORS with expertise in health policy.

The Department of Health Policy was established in 2013 and has grown to include 20 primary faculty and 20 secondary faculty from across Vanderbilt and the Vanderbilt University Medical Center. The combination of a major research university and preeminent medical center gives Department faculty incredible opportunities to build relationships with frontline care providers and policymakers which can lead to breakthrough discoveries. Faculty interests include health care financing, insurance design and coverage; aging and long-term care; precision and genomic medicine; delivery system improvement; provider payment, health services research; implementation science, pharmacoepidemiology; cancer epidemiology; infectious diseases, and global health. The Department is built on the premise that research and innovative thinking should guide health policy and policymakers to understand implications of their choices.

The Department benefits from Vanderbilt's single campus, the depth and breadth of health-related research conducted across the University and its location in the state capital. It boasts a robust data infrastructure and currently has active data use agreements with TennCare (Tennessee's Medicaid program), the Health Care Cost Institute, IBM (MarketScan Commercial and Medicare claims), CMS (Medicare claims and Formulary Files), and the NCI (SEER-Medicare registry-claims linked data). We also have active collaborations with groups across our campus, including the Economics Department and Department of Medicine, Health, and Society; the Peabody School of Education; and the Owen School of Management.

The Department currently offers the Master of Public Health (MPH) degree – including a Health Policy track – and a doctoral program (PhD) in Health Policy. More about our faculty and programs can be found on our website, www.vumc.org/health-policy/.

Instructions: Priority will be given to applications received by 12/15/23

Applicants must possess:

- PhD in health policy, decision sciences, health services research, economics, statistics, public policy, public health, or a closely related field; and
- Evidence of or potential to attract external funding for their research.
- Candidates with advanced clinical training (MD, PharmD, or other clinical degree) and those with extensive research experience may also apply but are encouraged to reach out to the search committee in advance.

Successful applicants must be excited to work in a growing department to develop educational and research programs in a collegial and collaborative environment. The Department is committed to building a diverse and inclusive community by seeking applications from individuals from diverse cultures, ethnicities, races, religions, sexual orientations, and gender identities.

The following items are required in your application:

- Cover letter of interest describing how you meet the criteria above
- Full academic CV/resume

Applicants for assistant professor should also send:

- Name and contact information for 3 references
- Manuscript that exemplifies the type of research you plan to conduct in the future
- 3 confidential letters of recommendation

Please submit your application here, <http://apply.interfolio.com/135635>.

Salary and start-up packages will be competitive and commensurate with experience, rank and track. Priority will be given to applications received by December 15th, with a hire anticipated for the 2024-2025 academic year.

Please contact suzanne.alexander@vumc.org for more information.

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

Vanderbilt Health recognizes that diversity is essential for excellence and innovation. We are committed to an inclusive environment where everyone has the chance to thrive.

Vanderbilt Health is committed to the principles of equal opportunity and affirmative action.

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