



The Ohio State University
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences
Seeks Applications For
Director of Health Sciences

The Ohio State University's School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences invites applications for a doctorally prepared (PhD, EdD, DSci) full-time, tenured or tenure eligible Associate or Full Professor rank, 12-month position to lead our Health Sciences program. We are seeking an inspirational leader to further enhance our dynamic, collaborative and well-balanced faculty of successful scientists, master clinicians, and professional leaders with records of excellence in teaching, scholarship, and professional service.

Our Health Sciences Program is the School's broad-based undergraduate program to prepare students for a wide array of healthcare careers, and presently has over 700 students enrolled. This program is in a stage of growth in student numbers and faculty positions. Traditional students in this degree program are prepared for entry-level healthcare positions as well as graduate school in a variety of health care professions. This comprehensive program attracts high quality students with many in the honors and scholars program. Additionally, we have an established distance learning option that provides a pathway to the bachelor's degree for health care professionals with the associate's degree.

Our tenure track faculty have a strong extramural funding profile, and our faculty all have scholarly agendas. We are located in a land-grant university with a major academic medical center and the largest grouping of health sciences programs in the nation. Our extensive university offers expansive possibilities for collaboration and innovation.

The successful candidate will have a record of excellence as a teacher, leader and extramurally funded scientist in the areas relevant to health sciences (allied health, behavioral health, education, epidemiology, healthcare administration, ethics, health policy or healthcare law, geriatrics / gerontology, community health, health disparities, integrative medicine, global health or other). Experience in educational leadership, mentorship of faculty, and online education are required. Experience in mentoring members of underrepresented groups is desirable. CHES certification would be appreciated. Research space and a start-up package will be negotiated based on the candidate's needs and record of success.

With our location in affordable and family-friendly Columbus, Ohio, the new director will enjoy life in Ohio's largest metropolitan community with a vibrant and diverse economic and cultural base. The Ohio State University is committed to establishing a culturally and intellectually diverse environment, encouraging all members of our learning community to reach their full potential. The University offers nearly limitless possibilities for collaboration and innovation and is situated in Ohio's largest metropolitan community with a family-friendly, vibrant and diverse economy and culture. We are responsive to dual-career families and strongly promote work-life balance to support our community members. We are an NSF Advance Institution and a member of the Ohio/Western Pennsylvania/West Virginia Higher Education Recruitment Consortium.

Letter of application, including research, diversity and leadership statements, and curriculum vita should be submitted to: Dr. Mark Merrick, Search Committee, School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, The Ohio State University, 453 West 10th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210 (Mark.Merrick@osumc.edu).