

## New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development

# **VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**



Posting #: 2024-162		Issue Date: 05/03/2024		Closing Date: 05/24/2024	
Title: Executive Assistant 4 (Competitive)		Range/Title Code: R32/59918		<b>Salary:</b> \$99,463.05 - \$142,156.08	
Unit Scope: Statewide Career Service	Location: NJ Department of Labor, Employment Accessibility Services, Trenton, NJ		Work	week: NL	# Vacancies: 1

## **Job Description**

The Office of Employment Accessibility Services (EAS) consists of three divisions: Temporary Disability and Family Leave Insurance; Disability Determination Services; and Vocational Rehabilitation Services. Under the direction of the Assistant Commissioner of Employment Accessibility Services, the Executive Assistant 4 will act as a staff liaison and personal representative of the Assistant Commissioner in support of all three divisions and the combined 25 offices within them. The Executive Assistant 4 is responsible for performing duties of significant difficulty related to the review, analysis, and appraisal of current administrative (e.g. personnel, fiscal, procurement) and operational procedures in support of EAS offices and strategic goals; applies knowledge of state government practices and evidence based management techniques to provide analysis and support for carrying out key organization procedures and performance management tasks, prepares recommendations and written proposals and applies leadership principals to supports planning and implementation for changes and/or revision therein; responsible for assisting in the execution of the department function through the implementation of policy, which includes management of plans, programs, and operations needed to ensure policy integration.

Examples of required related work include, but are not limited to:

- Assisting in the development, review, interpretation, and control of objectives, policies, and procedures with the focus on improving service for efficiency and efficacy.
- Effectively communicating verbally and written communication with the EAS leadership team across divisions and statewide in in-person and virtual settings.
- Applying evidence-based approaches to appraise the adequacy/efficiency of operating systems; assists subsidiary units in
  developing the organizational structure and methods of operation necessary for the performance of existing, new, or expanded
  functions.
- Analyzing operational problems brought to light through budget studies, requests, and hearings; compiles and interprets data, appraises agency situations, and develops courses of action for the more effective utilization of resources.
- Utilizing project management methodology to ensure that project target dates and/or deadlines are met; resolves problems which may arise.
- Developing and implementing measures to ensure directives of the EAS Assistant Commissioner are properly carried out.
- Conferring with and advising the EAS Assistant Commissioner on matters relating to department operation.

# **Employee Benefit(s)**

The Department of Labor and Workforce Development (DOL) provides many employee benefits to acknowledge, and value, their contribution. Statewide benefits include:

- Alternate Work Week\*
- Deferred Compensation
- Health and Life Insurance
- Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF)
- Telework\*
- 100% Tuition Reimbursement\*
- Flexible and Health Spending Accounts (FSA)/(HSA)
- Temporary Expanded PSLF (TEPSLF) Programs

\*Pursuant to the Department's policy, procedures and/or guidelines.

## **Civil Service Commission Requirements (Education/Experience/Licenses)**

Open to employees of the State of New Jersey who are currently permanent in any competitive title and meet the requirements listed below:

**NOTE:** Applicants must meet one of the following or a combination of both experience and education. Thirty (30) semester hour credits are equal to one (1) year of relevant experience.

Nine (9) years of professional experience in program management with responsibility for planning, organizing, coordinating, staffing, reporting, and budgeting or in assisting an executive with program development and implementation.

#### OR

Possession of a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university; and five (5) years of the above-mentioned professional experience.

#### OR

Possession of a master's degree in Public Administration, Business Administration, Management or other closely related; and four (4) years of the above-mentioned professional experience.

**NOTE:** "Professional experience" refers to work that is creative, analytical, evaluative, and interpretive; requires a range and depth of specialized knowledge of the profession's principles, concepts, theories, and practices; and is performed with the authority to act according to one's own judgment and make accurate and informed decisions.

**RESUME NOTE:** Eligibility determinations will be based only upon information presented on the resume along with other supporting documents. Applicants who possess a degree from a college or university outside the United States must provide an evaluation of the transcripts from a recognized evaluation service at the time of submission. Failure to do so may result in your ineligibility.

**LICENSE:** Appointee will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform the essential duties of the position.

# TO APPLY

If you qualify, please submit a letter of interest and your resume (including the best contact number and email address) to email address listed below. Your submission <u>must</u> be received by the closing date and include the job posting number.

#### MAIL:

Human Capital Strategies
Recruitment Unit
LWDJobPostings@dol.nj.gov

Subject line must include the specific job posting number.

This is not a promotional announcement for a Civil Service Examination.

This posting may result in personnel actions which will require final approval by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development and the Civil Service Commission in accordance with Civil Service Commission rules and regulations.

This job posting is authorized by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Human Capital Strategies.

- Newly hired employees must agree to a thorough background check that may include fingerprinting.
- Any appointments made from postings, which involve movement between unit scopes, may result in a forfeiture of rights to any promotional list in a former unit scope.
- As of September 2010, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7, the "New Jersey First Act," all new employees must reside in the State of New Jersey, unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in New Jersey, you have one year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to New Jersey, or to secure an exemption.
- Work Authorization: Applicants must be authorized to work in the United States according to the Department of Homeland Security, United States Citizenship and Immigration Services regulations. NJDOL does not provide sponsorship or accept student OPT/CPT programs, F1 or H1B work authorization visas.

The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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### PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the Uniform Ethics Code adopted by the NJ State Ethics Commission and the State Policy Prohibiting Discrimination in the Workplace, the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (NJ DOL) requires the disclosure of all relatives, consensual personal relationships, and cohabitants. No NJ DOL employee may supervise or exercise any authority with regard to personnel actions involving their relative, anyone with whom there is a consensual personal relationship, or anyone with whom they cohabit.

**Relative** means an individual's spouse/domestic partner/civil union partner<sup>1</sup> or the individual or spouse's/domestic partner's/civil union partner's parent, child, brother, sister, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, cousin, grandparent, grandchild, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, stepparent, stepchild, stepbrother, stepsister, half-brother or half-sister, whether the relative is related to the individual or the individual's spouse/domestic partner/civil union partner by blood, marriage or adoption.

Consensual personal relationship means marriage, engagement, dating or other ongoing romantic or sexual relationships.

Cohabitant means non-related persons who share a household under circumstances where there is financial interdependence.

The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development requires the disclosure of all relatives and consensual personal relationships to be promptly reported directly to the Division of Human Capital Strategies (HCS), Director's Office. Confidentiality shall be maintained to the extent possible and practicable. This information may be shared with NJ DOL's Equal Employment Opportunity Office and/or the NJ DOL Ethics Office as deemed necessary. Upon receiving notice of the relationship, HCS may address any situation as necessary in consultation with the EEO Office and/or the Ethics Officer. This may include, but is not limited to, the changing of reporting relationships or transferring any of the employees involved. Failure to provide notification to HCS may result in discipline up to and including termination and the denial of legal representation and indemnification by the State in the event that a lawsuit is filed having a connection with a personal relationship. Employees are under a continuing obligation to promptly report personal relationships that develop during the course of their employment.

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Applicant/Employee's Name (Print) _			
Applicant/Employee's Signature		Date	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Domestic Partner as defined in NJSA 26:8A-1 et. seq. and Civil Union status as defined in NJSA 37:1-28 et. seq.