



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons to fill the post of:

HEALTH ECONOMIST

ROLE AND FUNCTIONS OF JOB:

Under the direction of the Senior Director, ICT, Benefits & Research, the Health Economist shall be responsible for the economic administration of the Individual Benefits and Research portfolios of the National Health Fund (NHF).

CORE DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Participate in the development of Individual Benefits by undertaking assigned research and analyses of NHF's benefits programmes.
- Participate in developing and evaluating protocols and procedures for Individual Benefits to be covered by the NHF.
- Assist in implementing and monitoring activities to improve the availability and utilisation of benefits offered by the NHF.
- Assist in monitoring of the price mechanism and making recommendations for adjustment as may be required...
- Participate in the review and revision of Individual Benefits Publications.
- Systematic economic analysis of the individual benefits and other programmes to identify trends and changes in the environment that will impact the programmes
- Review, adjust and maintain a comprehensive pricing policy to guide subsidy calculations and analysis.
- Monitor subsidy rates and ensure they do not fall below 50%.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE:

- University Degree in Health Economics
- Management Training
- General knowledge of and experience in the health sector
- Training in Pharmacoeconomics
- 5 years' experience in the health sector
- An equivalent combination of education and experience

Applicants are invited to submit their application no later than **Monday, January 22, 2024** to:

The Human Resource Department
NATIONAL HEALTH FUND
6th Floor, The Towers,
25 Dominica Drive
Kingston 5
Email: vacancies@nhf.org.jm

NB. We appreciate all responses, but only short listed candidates will be contacted.