

**Research Participation Program  
National Vaccine Program Office  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
Washington, D.C.**

**Evaluation of Outcomes of NVAC Recommendations  
Project # DHHS NVPO 2007-0001**

A project is available in the National Vaccine Program Office (NVPO) of the US Department of Health and Human Services in Washington, DC to work on evaluation of outcomes of recommendations made by the National Vaccine Advisory Committee (NVAC). NVAC is a federal advisory committee that makes recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for Health regarding an array of vaccine-related issues. The Participant will work with NVPO personnel to catalogue recent recommendations made by the NVAC, select agreed-upon measures of outcomes of those recommendations, collect data on the outcomes, and prepare a report summarizing recommendations, measures, and outcomes.

Additional information about NVPO and NVAC can be found at <http://hhs.gov/nvpo>. Applicant for this appointment for this opportunity should have an interest in the application of vaccines to the practice of public health. This is an excellent opportunity for a recent graduate with strong work skills to gain experience with HHS.

**Requirements:**

Candidates should have at least a bachelor's degree in ethics, philosophy, public health, science, or a health-related field. Current work on a master's degree in public health will be considered as advantageous. The appointment is for up to four months and may be renewed upon recommendation of HHS and subject to availability of funds. The participant will receive a monthly stipend depending on background and experience. The participant must show proof of health and medical insurance.

The appointment is part time at NVPO in Washington, D.C., consisting of up to 20 hours per week. The time spent per week will be agreed upon between the research participant and the NVPO staff.

Participants do not become employees of HHS or the program administrator and there are no fringe benefits paid. The Research Participation Program for HHS is administered by the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education. To be considered, send a current resume to Tasha Powell via e-mail at [Tasha.Powell@ornl.gov](mailto:Tasha.Powell@ornl.gov) or via fax at (865) 241-5219. Please reference Project # DHHS NVPO 2007-0001.