



## US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Office of Research and Development (ORD)

EPA's Office of the Science Advisor (OSA) is seeking a candidate for a Scientific/Technical (ST) Professional position as Human Subjects Research Review Official. Highly qualified scientific leaders currently engaged in matters related to human research ethics and subject safety are sought to lead this high level position.

This position is responsible for providing high-level scientific leadership and overall coordination relating to human research ethics and subject safety. Other responsibilities include representation on Agency Human Subjects Workgroups as well as to other Federal Oversight Offices such as the Office of Human Research Protection. The incumbent will also provide advice and recommendations which may serve as a basis for policy decisions in areas related to human subjects research. The incumbent will also be responsible for the Human Subjects Research Review Protocol, serve as the key liaison for EPA in interactions with Institutional Review Boards; develop, evaluate and oversee training and staff education related to the ethical and safe conduct of human studies; and provide guidance to human research investigators in preparing protocols, consent forms, questionnaires, etc... **Appointment is subject to the successful completion of a background security investigation. This position is subject to random drug testing.**

The minimum rate of basic pay for an Scientific/Technical (ST) position equals 120 percent (i.e., minimum \$124,736 per annum) of a GS-15 step 1 rate of basic pay. Physicians with clinical study or epidemiological experience are encouraged to apply. This position will be based in Washington, D.C.

Applicants should submit a CV and a vision statement to Jayne Ramsey at US EPA/ORD (8101R), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20460.

For more information, please go to [http://www.epa.gov/ORD/htm/jobs\\_ord.htm](http://www.epa.gov/ORD/htm/jobs_ord.htm), or you may contact Jayne Ramsey at (202) 564-6736 or [ramsey.jayne@epa.gov](mailto:ramsey.jayne@epa.gov).

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Applications must be received by December 23, 2005  
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