

**POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**  
**Health Policy and Systems**  
**Systematic reviewing and evidence synthesis**

**Centre for Health Policy, School of Public Health,  
University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg**

The Centre for Health Policy is seeking to appoint a post-doctoral fellow for a 2-year position, to work within the SARChI programme. The post-doctoral fellow will work with the existing team to conducting evidence syntheses, as well furthering their experience in health systems and policy research.

The **Centre for Health Policy (CHP)** is situated within the **School of Public Health** at the University of the Witwatersrand. CHP is committed to building capacity in health policy and systems research, offering a nurturing, supportive environment that emphasizes mentorship and skills-development for people passionate about a career in the field. We offer a dynamic environment in which to conduct cutting-edge, multi-disciplinary health systems and policy research; to engage in national & international policy debates; to participate in international consortia, as well as publish. CHP's current research focuses on health systems, human resources, health care financing, access to health care, implementation research, as well as systematic and rapid reviews for decision-making. Our work includes policy engagement and postgraduate teaching. We have an established national and international reputation, and our success is built on innovation and diversity. We are seeking an outstanding individual to join our existing and growing team. Website: [www.chp.ac.za](http://www.chp.ac.za)

The successful candidate will be highly motivated, with a strong interest in health equity and social justice, and passionate about research. S/he will have some experience in conducting systematic reviews and evidence syntheses. S/he will preferably have a good understanding of the financial, human resource and governance dimensions of health systems. S/he must be able to demonstrate innovative thinking with respect to methods and approaches. Applicants will have a relevant doctoral degree (e.g. public health, sociology, political science, development studies) and possess knowledge of public health, health systems or health policy. We welcome applications from international candidates but we particularly invite applications from qualified South African scholars.

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To apply, all of the following should be submitted:

- a covering letter identifying why you are interested in the position / fellowship
- a detailed CV, including contact details
- names and contact details of 3 referees
- certified copies of degrees/diplomas
- a short piece of recent written work, or publication, on which you are the first author.

Please include 'Post-doctoral fellow' in the subject line of your email

Please note appointments will only be made if there are suitable candidates.

**Closing date** for applications: 14 February 2020