



Post-Doctoral Fellow
Section on Health Choice, Policy and Evaluation
Department of Population Health
New York University School of Medicine

The [Section on Health Choice, Policy and Evaluation](#) in the Department of Population Health at NYU School of Medicine, under the direction of Brian Elbel, PhD, MPH, is searching for a Post-Doctoral Fellow. The selected fellow will have the unique opportunity to work on a variety of NIH-funded projects related to the environmental and policy aspects of obesity and food choice. In addition, candidates will have the chance to develop their own research agendas under the guidance of a number of faculty mentor/s.

Select Section [projects](#) include:

- Impact of the Food Environment on Child Body Mass Index
- Influence of Calorie Labeling on Food Choice
- The Impact of School Food Policy on Childhood Obesity
- Impact of Online Supermarket Delivery Service on SNAP Customers in the South Bronx
- Impact of Targeted Food Marketing Campaigns on Youth and Racial/Ethnic Minorities
- Evaluation of the Nutritional Quality and Marketing Exposure of Racially-Targeted Food Ads
- Understanding Obesity Among Public Housing Residents in NYC: A Community-based Geospatial Project

The Fellow will be able to join the department's Postdoctoral Fellow Association, which includes an annual mini-conference in the fall and events throughout the academic year, including meetings with various DPH faculty regarding career and professional development (e.g. networking, writing grants).

This position is available for the 2015-2016 academic year. However, multiple years of funding are possible, and a small research fund is available for the selected candidate. The salary provided is competitive.

Successful candidates will have a doctoral degree in public policy, health policy, public health, economics, psychology, epidemiology or related fields.

To apply, please send CV, cover letter, writing sample and names of three references to: Chris Bates at Christopher.Bates@nyumc.org. The application deadline is January 1, 2015.