

Eastern Illinois University
Position Vacancy Announcement
Executive Director, Health and Counseling Services

Eastern Illinois University is conducting a national search for the position of Executive Director, Health and Counseling Services with a focus on identifying an innovative, collaborative, and experienced leader. This position has primary responsibility for the administration and operation of the Medical Clinic, Counseling Clinic, Health Promotion, and Student Insurance units to ensure the general health and well-being of a diverse student population.

EIU is seeking a leader with progressive ideas to promote holistic student health, well-being, and resiliency. With significant demand for mental health care services, candidates should have an understanding of stepped-care models and other innovation care strategies. Fostering a campus culture that engages all faculty and staff in supporting the overall health and well-being of the student body is imperative to this position. The Executive Director will be involved in helping EIU become a JED Foundation Campus.

Candidates should have a strong knowledge of college student health and mental health, best practices for health promotion, and student health insurance. Excellent organizational, interpersonal, written, and oral communication skills are required, as is a demonstrated commitment to diversity and experience with promoting inclusive excellence. Involvement with the American College Health Association is valued.

Minimum requirements include a degree in one of the following: master's degree in higher education or equivalent, MA/MS in Counseling or Clinical Psychology, MPH, as well as seven or more years of experience with progressive responsibility. Preferred qualifications include a Ph.D. The director reports to the Vice President for Student Affairs and is a member of the Division of Student Affairs leadership team.

A complete application will include a cover letter, resume, and three professional references (including names, phone numbers, and email addresses, as well as a brief explanation of each reference's relationship to the applicant) submitted via Interfolio at <http://apply.interfolio.com/84562>.

The priority deadline for applications is March 22, 2021. Applications will be reviewed until campus interviews are scheduled.

Candidates invited on campus will be asked to provide academic transcripts. A background check must be completed and passed before an offer of employment will be made.

For questions regarding this search, please contact Bobbi Kingery, Screening Committee Chair, at rkingery@eiu.edu.

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