
Forest Health Monitoring Program
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Job Announcements

The USDA Forest Service Southwestern Region (R3) is advertising for a Biological Scientist (Forest Health Specialist/Coordinator) GS-0401-09. The position will be on the Forest Health Staff located at the Regional Office in Albuquerque, NM. Duties include: planning, coordinating, and conducting evaluative surveys on Federal, State, and Tribal lands to determine the status of forest insects and disease; serving as the primary aerial surveyor for the New Mexico Zone; using digital mapping equipment; entering resource data into GIS or related databases; reviewing digitizing/data entry work to ensure accuracy; and collecting field data or assisting with projects in forest environments. Overnight travel is required and can be extensive during the summer months. Normal color vision and stereovision are required. Ability to map forest damage as an observer in a small fixed-wing aircraft without incapacitating airsickness is required. Please respond to vacancy announcement ADS08-R3-RO-7684FS(E-GG) (candidates from within the Forest Service) or ADS08-R3-RO-7684DP(E-GG) (candidates from outside the Forest Service), Forest Health Coordinator, GS-0401-09, Albuquerque, New Mexico, having a scheduled open date of 06/06/2008 and close date of 07/03/2008. The announcement and application instructions are accessible at <http://www.usajobs.opm.gov>. For more information, please contact Debra Allen-Reid, Supervisory Entomologist/New Mexico Zone Leader for Forest Health, USDA Forest Service, at dallenreid@fs.fed.us. USDA is an equal opportunity employer.

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