

## **Economist – Consultancy and Research**

## Salary range: £35,000-£50,000, depending on skills and qualifications

The Office of Health Economics (OHE) wishes to recruit a highly motivated, energetic economist to contribute to all three of its core activities:

- Consultancy
- Peer-reviewed research
- Advising the Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry

The OHE is a London-based economic research and consultancy organisation, founded in 1962. Our scope is international and our client portfolio spans all three sectors: public, private and charitable.

OHE's work covers a broad range of analyses into the economics and policy of (1) health care systems, (2) pharmaceutical and other life sciences industries, and (3) health technology assessment.

The main purpose of the economist role is to undertake and present quantitative and/or qualitative analyses of issues focusing on health systems, the pharmaceutical industry and health technology assessment and related international/UK policies in the three areas of OHE activity noted above. This involves working with OHE colleagues, external stakeholders and staff at all levels in our clients' organisations, including the ABPI.

Candidates should have:

- A good first degree, majoring in economics
- A postgraduate qualification and/or practical consulting experience in economics
- Interest in, and understanding of, policy related to health care systems and/or the life sciences sector
- Demonstrable ability to research, write and present clearly argued analyses within tight deadlines
- Desired (though not essential): knowledge and experience of economic evaluation in the health sector; familiarity with HTA and medicines pricing and reimbursement in practice in one or more countries; strong quantitative skills

Please note that the UK government enforces restrictions on granting the right to work in the UK on citizens from outside the European Economic Area. If you are not an EEA citizen, please specify in your application whether you currently have the right to work in the UK.

To submit your application or for further details, please contact **Claire Devaney** at OHE -- e-mail <u>cdevaney@ohe.org</u> or telephone +44 (0)20 7747 8855.

**Applications must be received by Monday, 24 September 2012**. Interviews for short-listed candidates will be held in London on Tuesday, 9 October 2012.