A tenure-track Assistant Professor is sought for the Master of Public Health (MPH) Program within the School of Health Sciences at Oakland University. The Master of Public Health Program, launched in Fall 2013, is a two-year generalist program that provides students with hands-on, skill-building experiences through a community-based participatory research approach to learning. The successful candidate will be instrumental in helping to build this new program and its faculty.

Candidates for this position will have teaching strengths at the graduate and undergraduate levels in environmental health and the basic health science disciplines (e.g., community health, health promotion and education, health behavior, etc). Successful candidates will be engaged in active research programs centered on environmental determinants of health, urban health, built environment factors related to health, or environmental justice, among other possible topics. The candidate is expected to initiate and maintain a program of research, scholarship, and community service.

Requirements:
A doctoral degree (e.g., PhD, DrPH) is required. Doctoral candidates who are currently ABD but will defend prior to August 15, 2015 will be considered. The successful candidate will hold a doctoral degree in environmental health, environmental science or other closely related discipline. Candidates who also hold an MPH are preferred. Preference will be given to candidates with evidence of expertise in environmental health sciences and experience with policy development and/or intervention research projects, particularly those conducted in collaboration with other academic scholars, health departments, and/or community-based organizations.

University and School Descriptions:
Oakland University is a doctoral research university located in Rochester, Michigan just 30 miles north of Detroit. The School of Health Sciences is home to undergraduate programs in Health Sciences; Occupational Safety and Health; Biomedical Diagnostic and Therapeutic Sciences; Applied Health Sciences; and Wellness, Health Promotion, and Injury Prevention. In addition to the Master of Public Health degree described above, graduate programs include a doctoral program in Physical Therapy and master’s degree programs in Safety Management and Exercise Science. The School of Health Sciences recently moved into the new state-of-the-art LEED platinum certified Human Health Building.

Application Information:
Position begins August 15, 2015. Applications are encouraged by December 15, 2014, but will be accepted until the position is filled. For questions, call (248) 364-8679 or e-mail dallo@oakland.edu. Required application materials include: (a) detailed letter of application outlining experience in teaching, research, and service; (b) curriculum vita; and (c) names, addresses, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers of three (3) professional references. Applicants must submit all materials electronically through the Academic Human Resources web portal at https://academicjobs.oakland.edu/