

**HEALTH LAW AND BIOETHICS FELLOWSHIP**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH LAW, BIOETHICS & HUMAN RIGHTS**  
**BOSTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

The Department of Health Law, Bioethics & Human Rights offers a fellowship opportunity each year for a qualified Boston University MPH student, including JD/MPH students.

**Fellowship Benefits:** The Health Law and Bioethics Fellowship offers the opportunity for advanced training and research in health law and bioethics under the supervision of department faculty. It also provides preparation for teaching for those interested in academic careers. The Fellowship pays one to two semesters of tuition for a student matriculated in the MPH degree program at BUSPH. For JD/MPH dual degree students, the fellowship usually begins upon completion of the JD program.

**Fellowship Responsibilities:** While in residence at the department, fellows are expected to:

1. complete their coursework for the MPH degree,
2. conduct independent research and write a publishable, scholarly article,
3. serve as Teaching Assistant for one course per semester, and
4. assist department faculty in educational and research projects.

Department faculty will be available to advise the Fellow with respect to all activities.

**Application Deadline: February 1**

To apply for the fellowship for the academic year beginning the next September, please submit the following documents by February 1 of the same calendar year to Professor George J. Annas; Chair, Department of Health Law, Bioethics & Human Rights; Boston University School of Public Health; 715 Albany Street, Talbot 3 West; Boston, MA 02118:

1. Curriculum Vitae/Resume
2. Official Copy of Law School Transcript
3. Written Proposal (not exceeding 2 single-spaced pages) for a specific research project and how the Fellowship would enable you to complete the project
4. Cover letter describing:
  - a. Your proposed schedule for completing the MPH degree (1 or 2 semesters), as a full or part-time MPH student,
  - b. A proposed Course Schedule for classes at the SPH to complete MPH degree, and
  - c. Whether you have any external work or other commitments that would affect your availability during the Fellowship.

Qualified applicants will be invited for interviews with department faculty at SPH. The Fellow for the academic year beginning in September will be chosen in March of the same calendar year.

For more information, contact Professor George J. Annas at [annasgj@bu.edu](mailto:annasgj@bu.edu) or visit <http://sph.bu.edu/hl>.

Prospective applicants are also encouraged to contact the current or former Fellows for information about the fellowship at (617) 638-4626.