

# Video Transcript: About OASH: Making a Difference to Improve the Nation's Health

(upbeat music)

[Alicia] The office of the Assistant Secretary for Health.

([Director] And mark, clapperboard snapping)

[Alicia] Or OASH, is a unique agency. We are conveners, connectors, and collaborators that advance public health policies, practices, and programs by applying science, innovation, education, and a commitment to social justice and equity.

[David] We work with the people. We work with state health departments, also other federal agencies, and in doing so, we connect

them with the right people both within HHS but also across the departments.

[Paul] We provide comprehensive approach to public health issues and act as a nexus for all things public health. The US Public Health

Service Commission Corps is one of the nation's eight uniformed services, and the mission of our service is to protect, promote, and

advance the health and safety of the nation.

[David] OASH has a breadth of opportunities, so if you start in one area, there's many other places to go. We have offices that focus on

research, that focus on regulatory issues, also those that actually focus on delivering clinical services.

[Paul] And we really look for those individuals that have diverse experience and strategic skills that go well beyond subject matter expertise in one particular area of public health.

[Corey] I've spent a number of years working in the financial services sector, and so it seemed like a natural fit that I could take those skills and abilities and just serve my country and bring them to service with the federal government.

[Stephen] This is a fantastic place to work. We have an amazing mission, and it's held together by our people.

(upbeat music)

[Lisa] The health of the individual employee is always a priority here, and I'm talking about your full being: your mental, your emotional, your physical health.

[Charmaine] It's challenging work, but it's fulfilling. If you're really interested in moving forward with a job that's gonna make a difference and you wanna continue to grow, I would consider OASH.

[Alicia] Your passion. Our purpose.

(ethereal electronic music)