

Company: CreditSights (<https://www.creditsights.com>)

Role: Credit Analyst – Municipals

Location: Prefer New York

Job Description

CreditSights seeks an experienced Municipal Bond Analyst, preferably with experience analyzing non-profit hospitals. This is a publishing role that requires a commitment to active production of research. Ideal candidates should have at least 4 years' experience in the credit markets and previous coverage of municipal bonds, with an understanding of bond and issuance structures. The analyst should have knowledge of non-profit healthcare including public policy developments that impact the sector. In time, the analyst may have opportunities to cover additional sectors.

The analyst will publish research which includes both fundamental credit and relative value, with a focus on deep analysis of trends, market trends, and major issuers. A successful analyst will be versatile enough to produce both long, deep-dive research and shorter comments, including clear opinions in both.

We expect the candidate to have experience communicating with credit analysts, portfolio managers, investment strategists and others from a variety of market participant types, including insurance companies, institutional asset managers, private wealth advisors, and capital market desks, among others. In time, this role will be visible in the industry and so the candidate should be comfortable beginning to present at conferences and speak on the record to reporters.

We prefer a candidate based in New York, but we may consider a Chicago or Denver base for the right candidate.

Qualifications – We are willing to consider any candidate who demonstrates a high level of competence and motivation, yet preference will be given to candidates possessing the following qualifications:

- Experience covering municipal bonds
- Experience as a credit analyst, preferably from the sell- or buy-side or ratings agency
- Strongly prefer experience covering municipal healthcare, with openness to learn other sectors
- Strong communication skills, with emphasis on clear and effective writing
- Attention to detail and resourcefulness
- Self-starting with strong personal initiative and desire to work in a team environment
- Organizational, follow-through and time management skills
- Ability to multi-task effectively, including prioritizing and responding to news events
- Sharp analytical ability
- Progress or attainment of CFA designation or master's degree is preferred
- Finance and/or accounting background is preferred
- Advanced Microsoft Excel skills
- Bloomberg skills are a plus
- Strong interest in financial markets

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participants in the market. Our analysis helps our clients make prudent and profitable investment and risk management decisions consistent with their risk profiles. CreditSights is purely a research firm and does not underwrite securities or manage assets. Our active coverage universe includes 1100 of the most widely-traded names in the US, European, and Asian markets across 40 industries and 7 broadly-defined sectors. We produce over 750 research reports a month and our archives contain over 170,000 articles. Our 950 institutional clients are based in the US, Europe, Middle East, Asia, and Australia; nearly 15,000 investment professionals and risk managers within these organizations are regular readers of our research. Our global institutional client base includes banks, investment advisors, mutual funds, pension managers, insurance companies, hedge funds, private equity investors, and corporations. For additional information, please visit: <http://www.creditsights.com/about>

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