

Classification Title: Laboratory Technician

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Provides technical support services in the areas supported by a clinical laboratory. Sets up and performs testing procedures, processes obtained samples, records and reports information to the requesting authority.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

This information is intended to be descriptive of the key responsibilities of the position. The following examples do not identify all duties performed by any single incumbent.

S Sedentary	L Light	M Medium	H Heavy	V Very Heavy
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1	L	Secures the collection of samples and obtains required sample volumes in appropriate storage devices, maintaining all protocols and procedures for collection and storage.
2	L	Performs special testing on samples using instrumentation and standardized procedures. Maintains quality control of all samples and equipment.
3	L	Enters data on samples and test results as they become available. Enters appropriate codes. Validates entries prior to release of information.
4	L	Cleans spills and maintains facility according to local, state and federal guidelines. Inventories supplies and orders supplies and equipment accordingly.

CLASSIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

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Education	High school diploma.
Experience	One year related lab experience.
Equivalent Education & Experience Accepted?	Yes
Certification and Other Requirements	None
Reading	Intermediate
Math	Intermediate
Writing	Intermediate
Managerial	Receives General Direction.

CLASSIFICATION REQUIREMENTS	
Budget Responsibility	Has no budget responsibility.
Supervisory / Organizational Control	Work requires the occasional direction of helpers, assistants, seasonal employees, interns, volunteers or temporary employees.
Interpersonal / Human Relations Skills	Work requires frequent and regular contact with others in a direct reporting relationship and may involve contact with others outside of the direct reporting relationship. The purpose of the contact is to address specific issues and/or general policies. Contact may involve support of controversial positions or the negotiation of sensitive issues.

OVERALL PHYSICAL STRENGTH DEMANDS:

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MACHINES, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, AND WORK AIDS:

Laboratory testing equipment, computers, printers and related software

PRIMARY WORK LOCATION	
Office Environment	Shop
X Clinic	Vehicle
Recreation Centers/Neighborhood Centers	Warehouse
Outdoors (see 1 below)	Other (see 2 below)

(1) N/A

(2) N/A

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

Personal protective equipment, gloves, eye protection