

Mgr, Animal Care Unit

JOB INFORMATION	
Job Code	IA09
Job Description Title	Mgr, Animal Care Unit
Pay Grade	VT08
Range Minimum	\$46,570
33rd %	\$55,890
Range Midpoint	\$60,550
67th %	\$65,200
Range Maximum	\$74,520
Exemption Status	Exempt
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JOB FAMILY AND FUNCTION

Job Family: Veterinary & Animal Care

Job Function: Animal Care

JOB SUMMARY

Oversees routine animal care and maintenance of equipment and facilities to meet regulatory requirements of the animal care unit.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Supervises maintenance, repair, installation, and removal of equipment and facilities within the animal care unit.
- Manages procurement and logistical processes for equipment and supplies used in the animal care unit.
- Assists the director in planning, developing, and drafting protocols pertaining to employees, facilities and equipment.
- Assists in employee accident prevention, first aid programs, and safety operations in the animal care unit.
- Prepares and maintains documentation associated with animal care, animal census and facility repairs and maintenance.
- Supervises and provides daily management of animal care trainees, technicians, and technologists assigned to the animal care unit.
- Approves, prepares for and receives routine animal housing requests.
- Inspects buildings, fences, supplies and equipment in order to determine work to be performed.
- Performs quality assurance procedures to meet regulatory requirements of the animal care unit.

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

Supervisory Responsibility

Full supervisory responsibility for other employees is a major responsibility and includes training, evaluating, and making or recommending pay, promotion or other employment decisions.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible, an individual must meet all minimum requirements which are representative of the knowledge, skills, and abilities typically expected to be successful in the role. For education and experience, minimum requirements are listed on the top row below. If substitutions are available, they will be listed on subsequent rows and may only to be utilized when the candidate does not meet the minimum requirements.

MINIMUM EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE								
Education Level	Focus of Education		Years of Experience	Focus of Experience				
Associate's Degree or Vocational Certificate		And	4 years of	Experience in managing the care of animals and one (1) year experience supervising personnel				

Substitutions Allowed for Yes Experience

Substitution allowed for Experience: When a candidate has the required education, but lacks the required experience, they may normally apply additional appropriate education toward the experience requirement, at a rate of one (1) year relevant education per year of required experience.

MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, & ABILITIES

Knowledge of animal husbandry, and animal care facility management.

Use of computers for word processing, spreadsheets, databases, internet use and email.

Skills in verbal communication, written communication and organization.

MINIMUM LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS						
Licenses/Certifications	Licenses/Certification Details	Time Frame	Required/ Desired			
	Positions may require AALAS LATG certification following employment if not already certified	within 1-1/2 Years	Required			

PHYSICAL DEMANDS & WORKING CONDITIONS

Physical Demands Category:

Other

PHYSICAL DEMANDS							
Physical Demand	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly	Weight	
Standing				X			
Walking				X			
Sitting			X				
Lifting	Χ						
Climbing			X				
Stooping/ Kneeling/ Crouching			X				
Reaching				X			
Talking				X			
Hearing				X			
Repetitive Motions				X			
Eye/Hand/Foot Coordination				X			

WORKING ENVIRONMENT							
Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly		
Extreme cold			X				

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Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly		
Extreme heat			X				
Humidity			X				
Wet			X				
Noise			X				
Hazards			X				
Temperature Change			X				
Atmospheric Conditions			X				
Vibration			X				

Vision Requirements:

Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.