

Research Job Function

Animal Technician I

Grade 47

Summary

Performs basic duties related to the care and feeding of laboratory animals and general maintenance and upkeep of the animal facilities.

Typical Duties

- 1. Feeds and cares for laboratory animals.
- 2. Cleans cages.
- 3. Cleans and maintains animal facility area.
- 4. Reports deviations from normal conditions to supervisor, (e.g. temperature, air flow, water, food consumption, physical condition of animals).
- 5. Performs related job duties as required.

Typical Requirements

Education: High school graduate or equivalent preferred.

Skills and Experience: No previous experience necessary.

Note: An individual will normally remain at this level for six months.

Note: This is a model job description reflecting a sample of typical duties. It is intended to suggest a general level of skill and complexity and as such is not a substitute for the local, specific descriptions for individual jobs.