

Zoological Health Summer Research Assistant 2023

Bronx Zoo

Temporary/Seasonal

BZ-WILDLIFE HEALTH CENTER

Job Description

Job title	:	Zoological Health Summer Research Assistant
Location	:	Bronx Zoo
Job Type	:	Temporary/Seasonal
Department	:	Zoological Health
Grade Level	:	Hourly
Pay Rate	:	\$ 15.00/hour
Reports To	:	Clinical Department Head
Duration	:	Up to 10 Weeks within the below range
Date Range	:	June – August, 2023; Must be present July 10-14 & July 24-28
Schedule	:	Monday-Friday, up to 40 hours per week

APPLICANTS MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR A TOTAL OF 10 WEEKS TO BE CONSIDERED

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This summer position will provide hospital, laboratory, and research support for the Zoological Health Program. The main focus of this position is to assist with retrospective clinical data collection including medical record searching and data extraction, literature review and library maintenance, and organization and evaluation of preventive medicine programs. Additional duties will include assisting veterinary technicians with hospital and laboratory maintenance and operation. The summer assistant will participate in instruction of the Little Zoo Vets Summer Program, which provides instruction to 8-13 year old children. The summer assistant will learn how to collect data from medical records, organize them for analysis, and prepare

them for publication. Co-authorship or acknowledgements in peer-reviewed publications are possible through this position. This position does not involve direct animal care duties or routine veterinary job shadowing.

To apply for this position, visit www.wcs.org careers section to fill out the on-line application and provide a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and a letter of recommendation. Contact Lisa Eidlin, Assistant Director, ZHP, Leidlin@wcs.org with further questions.

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Qualification Requirements

Requirements:

Must be currently enrolled in a veterinary medicine curriculum. 2nd year veterinary students are preferred. Must be available to work Monday through Friday for 10 total weeks. Must be available to work for special events that may occur outside of regular work schedule, including evenings, weekends, or holidays, when needed. Housing is not provided.

Salary Range

\$15.00/hour