

Job Description

Seasonal Mosquito Surveillance Technician

Definition:

Under close supervision, monitors and maintains traps throughout the county. The Seasonal Mosquito Surveillance Technician is a seasonal employee hired for the summer mosquito control season.

Characteristics:

The Seasonal Mosquito Surveillance Technician monitors and maintains CDC mosquito traps. Must be able to study for and pass the Pesticide Applicators test given by the Utah Department of Agriculture. Will gain a working knowledge of the mosquito control program being used by the District. Will gain a working knowledge of mosquito life stages, mosquito larval habitats.

Examples of Duties:

- Monitors and picks up population monitoring traps throughout the county daily through the week.
- Accurately records specified data on each trap that is checked.
- Repairs and maintains all mosquito surveillance traps.
- Simple “housekeeping” tasks, and simple equipment maintenance.
- Attends training sessions, reads District manuals, and otherwise keeps informed of policies and procedures; keeps Assistant Manager informed of progress and problems.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Education equivalent to graduation from high school.
- Must possess a valid Utah Driver’s License with an excellent driving record.
- Must be physically able and willing to do physical labor. Must be willing and able to lift fifty pounds.
- Must have the ability to safely operate district equipment
- Must be able to work dependably, cooperatively with others and to exercise independent judgement