

Small Animal Ward Technician

[William R. Pritchard Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital](#)

University of California, Davis

Job Summary:

Under supervision of the shift Small Animal Patient Care Supervisor, provide paraveterinary technical support to the Small Animal Clinic Veterinarians. On a daily basis, responsible for the treatment of patients, blood bank support, student instruction, clinician support and facility support.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Experience working in a Small Animal Hospital as a veterinary technician.
- Experience performing paraveterinary duties per clinician's orders.
- Experience administering medication and fluids orally, SQ injection, IM injection, IV injection, IO, IC.
- Skill to instruct and evaluate students written and verbally.
- Experience using medical terminology and disease processes in small animals.
- Experience in aseptic nursing and sterile techniques.
- Experience using medical terminology.

The Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital (VMTH) is a unit that provides clinical case material in support of the teaching programs throughout the School of Veterinary Medicine on a 24-hour basis. Its primary objectives are to train professional (veterinary) students, graduate clinical students (interns and residents), and graduate academic students; to provide veterinary services to the public; to serve as a referral center for practicing veterinarians, and to advance veterinary medical knowledge.

U.C. Davis is part of the 10-campus University of California system, and is located in the family-friendly and vibrant college town of Davis, with a Mediterranean climate and an excellent quality of life. An abundance of fun opportunities are offered by surrounding Northern California locales, including a myriad of State Parks, the Napa/Sonoma wine country, the San Francisco Bay Area, the northern coastal beaches and redwood forests, Lake Tahoe and the Sierra Nevada mountains, and the Foothill region wineries/Gold Country. We are only 3 hours to Yosemite National Park or the wineries and beaches of the Central California Coast. Short flights put Los Angeles or San Diego within reach! The Amtrak Capital Corridor connects the station in downtown Davis to the San Francisco Bay Area with trains running hourly. The state capitol city of Sacramento is 20 minutes away by car, with excellent restaurants and shopping districts. The town of Davis itself boasts a central, walkable downtown and excellent school systems, and has been named "best small town for cycling" by Bicycling Magazine, and "2nd most-educated city in the US" by CNN Money Magazine. A vibrant arts scene is headed by the UC Davis Mondavi Center, which hosts world-class touring acts. Come and enjoy the Northern California lifestyle!

THIS POSITION ENDS 10 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF HIRE WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF EXTENSION AND/OR BECOMING CAREER.

Salary range: \$23.05- \$30.18/hour. **Starting salary between: \$23.05-\$23.60/hr.**

For full consideration, please apply by April 04, 2021.

Applicants will be screened after two weeks; and then on a weekly basis. The position can be filled prior to the removal date.

To view the position and to submit an application online, visit:

https://careerspub.universityofcalifornia.edu/psp/ucdavis/EMPLOYEE/HRMS/c/HRS_HRAM.HRS_APP_SCHJOB.GBL?Page=HRS_APP_JBPST&JobOpeningId=16140&PostingSeq=1&SiteId=7&languageCd=ENG&FOCUS=Applicant

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