

## ANIMAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN 3 (Anesthesia and Surgical Services Technician)

Salary Range: \$25.49 - \$38.56/HR.

Job ID #12220

Under the supervision of Staff Veterinarian Surgeons assigned to the Anesthesia and Surgical Services, provide anesthesia, analgesia and surgical support for a wide array of experimental projects and colony clinical procedures in the care of non-human primates.

Provide anesthesia support and support for surgical procedures; ranging from but not limited imaging scans (include MRI, CT, PET- both onsite and offsite), pulmonary function testing, EMGs, endoscopic procedures (including bronchoscopy, gastroscopy, jejunoscopy, vasectomies, colonoscopy with and without biopsy), laproscopic procedures, surgeries (soft tissue to neurosurgeries). Provide long-term anesthesia and surgical support for routine and complex procedures. Induce and maintain general and prolonged anesthesia as required for surgical procedures, and monitor, maintain and recover anesthetized animals.

Work with animals/tissue infected with the HIV/SIV virus and other biohazardous agents or diseases. Category BSL 2 Agents such as Simian Immunodeficiency Virus (SIV) /Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), Zika, CMV, Measles, and Herpes's Simples Virus (HSV).

### Qualifications

- -Current California Registered Veterinary Technician (RVT) license or the ability to obtain within 6 months from the date of hire. RVT exam eligibility requirements include graduation from an AVMA-accredited veterinary technician program.
- -Experience with induction and maintenance of long-term anesthesia and surgical support in a veterinary hospital or research environment.
- -Experience using anesthetic delivery, support and monitoring equipment. Experience inducing, maintaining and recovering critically ill animals from anesthesia independent of supervision.
- -Applied experience and professional knowledge of fluid therapies for intraoperative use (i.e. LRS, hetastarch, hypertonic saline, plasma, whole blood).

### PREFERRED:

-Certification as a Veterinary Technician Specialist in Anesthesia and Analgesia. Animal Technologist (LATG) certification. OR American Association for Laboratory Animal Science (AALAS) technician certification with primate medical care training and experience.

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