



Job Title: Laboratory Assistant

Summary

Micro-Chem Labs (MCL) is a food-testing laboratory that offers laboratory solutions to the food manufacturing industry. Our team provides analytical testing and laboratory services that help clients understand the quality, safety and performance of their products, operations, and environment. Our Technicians and Microbiologists work in an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory preparing and analyzing various types of food and environmental samples. We currently have a rare, immediate opening for a Lab Assistant in our laboratory located in Seattle, WA.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Performs laboratory support tasks, including but not limited to media prep, dishwashing, cleaning, sample prep, sample storage, sterilizing waste, etc.
- Communicates clearly and directly with microbiologists and management concerning any/all aspects of laboratory support tasks, including appropriate methodology, laboratory accidents, abnormal or unusual results, etc.

Ideal candidates should possess the following skills/abilities

- Strong attention to detail
- Ability to work both on a team as well as independently
- Ability to multi-task efficiently
- Ability to work well under pressure, in a fast-paced environment, while maintaining a positive and enthusiastic attitude
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Commitment to integrity and producing quality results

Education and/or Experience

Bachelor's degree ideal but not required.

Language Skills

Ability to read, analyze, and interpret general microbiology laboratory technical procedures. Ability to understand and follow instructions from microbiologists or other lab or company personnel.

Physical Demands

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to stand, walk, or sit; use hands to type, finger, handle; reach with hands and arms; and talk or hear. The employee must often lift and/or move up to 25 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 50 pounds.



Salary and Benefits

- 3 Days/week. Approximately 18-24 Hours per week. Work schedule is ideally Monday, Wednesday and Friday starting at 7am. Management can be somewhat flexible on work schedule to accommodate college schedule.
- Pay starting at \$20 per hour.
- Earn paid time off

To apply for this position, please submit your resume to Lab@MCLFoodTesting.com