



# JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

## Seasonal Mosquito Control Aide

Are you seeking a dynamic role that offers the perfect blend of laboratory exploration and outdoor adventure? We're seeking highly motivated individuals to join our team as a Seasonal Mosquito Control Aide. Rotate between lab and field work, with a chance to engage in outreach with the public. If you excel in independent work and thrive in outdoor and laboratory environments, this could be the perfect opportunity for you!

**Wage:** \$21.00 - \$25.00 per hour (DOE)

**Hours:** Monday - Friday, 7:00am - 3:30pm

**Dates:** April/May through October/November (season length varies, estimated to last approximately 1,000 hours)

**Benefits:** Five paid days of sick leave after one month of employment, enriching on-the-job experience, professional networking, and resume enhancement.

**Location:** Hayward, CA

### Minimum Requirements:

- Equivalent to graduation from high school and college level lab course(s) in the biological sciences are highly preferred.
- Must have a valid California Driver's license, with a good driving record.

### Knowledge (or willingness to learn):

Biology, ecology, and public health importance of mosquitoes present in California, and field equipment used to control mosquito abundance. Molecular biology of mosquitoes and viruses.

### How to Apply:

Please [click here](#) or scan the QR code below for more information about the Seasonal Mosquito Control Aide. All resumes must be received by 5:00pm on Sunday, April 21st, 2024.



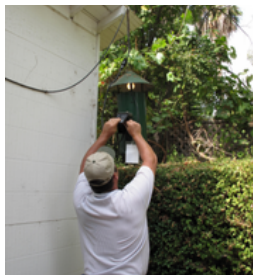
### Essential Job Duties:

Laboratory: Monitor mosquito abundance with specialized traps and accurately identify insects using taxonomic keys. Gain hands-on experience with multiplex quantitative PCR assays for virus detection and document activities using specialized software. Maintain laboratory mosquito colonies for research and outreach.

Operations: Operate a specialized right-hand vehicle to sites throughout Alameda County to eliminate mosquito breeding grounds in catch basins, support staff with mosquito control and aerial drone program.

Outreach: Embrace the chance to capture the District's memorable moments through photography, with your work showcased on our social media platforms and in our informative reports. Develop engaging social media content, connect with community at events, and enhance your knowledge of Integrated Pest Management and its role in Public Health. Contribute to our annual aerial pool survey and develop strong customer engagement skills.

General: Safely drive and navigate District vehicles to perform essential work-related activities, follow District safety procedures and regulatory requirements when utilizing District equipment. Foster professional relationships while engaging with community members in Alameda County, and perform other duties as assigned.



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