Job Posting: Notice of Vacancy

It is the intention of the LaSalle County Health Department to fill one or more vacancies in the following job classification.

Job Classification: Environmental Health Practitioner
Location: LaSalle County

Department: LaSalle County Health Department
717 E Etna Road
Ottawa, IL 61350

Regular Work Week: Monday through Friday

Hours of Work: Report to work 8:00am to 4:30pm Monday – Friday.

Wage: $18.59 per hour

Position is: Non-Union

See Job Description for Duties, Minimum Qualifications and Physical Demands

Interested persons should apply by completing the County application and returning it to:

LaSalle County Health Department
Attn: Chris Pozzi
717 E Etna Road
Ottawa, IL 61350
LaSalle County
Job Description

Job title: Licensed Environmental Health Practitioner & Associate Licensed Environmental Health Practitioner

Work Location: LC Health Department

Division/Department: Environmental Health

Reports to: Director of Environmental Health

Employment Classifications:  ☑ Full-time □ Part-time
                                ☑ Exempt □ Nonexempt
                                ☑ Salaried □ Hourly
□ Bargaining Unit

Salary Grade: 18.59/hr

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

Under direct supervision of Director, assists in enforcement of legislation related to environmental health programs and grants involving a variety of activities including inspections food facilities, conducting preliminary and final inspections, investigating public health nuisances, public education and implementing disease control.

- Maintain compliance with all company policies and procedures
- All other duties as assigned

Education and/or Work Experience Requirements:

- Bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university in with a minimum of 30 semester hours or 45 quarter hours in physical and/or biological sciences
- Hold valid driver’s license
- Successful completion of background check
- Must be able to operate office equipment and have experience with Microsoft office programs.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills, including ability to effectively communicate with internal and external customers, including public speaking
- Ability to interact positively with other governmental agencies
- Ability to follow direction and work independently
- Team player with willingness to support departmental success
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.
Requires sitting (5-8 hrs), standing/walking (4-6hrs). This position experiences occasional bending, twisting, squatting, climbing and reaching movements. Defined Sedentary Work - May require lifting up to 20 pounds and carrying objects weighing up to 10 pounds.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:
The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.
Most activities are performed indoors in an office setting. While performing the duties of this position, the employee is subject to normal consistent temperatures. The noise level in the work environment is moderate.

This job description is intended to describe the general nature and level of the work being performed by the person in this position. Principal duties and responsibilities are intended to describe those functions that are essential to the performance of this job, and "other" duties and responsibilities include those that are considered incidental or secondary to the overall purpose of this job.

This job description does not state or imply that the above are the only duties and responsibilities assigned to this position. Employees holding this position will be required to perform any other job-related duties or tasks as requested by management. All requirements are subject to possible modification in order to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities.

LaSalle County reserves the right to modify, interpret, or apply this job description in any way the County desires. This job description is not intended nor should be construed to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, tasks, skills, efforts, working conditions, or similar behaviors attributes or requirements associated with this position. The aforementioned job requirements are subject to change to reasonably accommodate qualified individuals with a disability.

This job description is not an employment contract, implied or otherwise. Except as otherwise provided by a collective bargaining agreement or applicable law, all employees are at-will. This job description is not intended to void, replace, or conflict with negotiated union contracts. To the extent a collective bargaining agreement conflicts with this job description, the collective bargaining agreement shall supersede and/or modify this job description.

I have read, reviewed and agree that this job description accurately reflects the position.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
I have read or had explained the essential duties, responsibilities and minimum qualifications of this position for which I am expected to perform. I have reviewed the essential functions and work environment characteristics and I understand them completely.

Print Employee Name:

Employee signature: Date:

Supervisor signature: Date:

Date Created: Date Revised: Approvals: 
ADA: Job Analysis/Job Description

Associate Environmental Health Practitioner

Department: LaSalle County Health Department

5/2/2017

**The Americans w/Disabilities Act (ADA) requires employers to complete an analysis of positions. This checklist is to be used to identify physical activities & requirements, visual acuity and working conditions of the position.

The physical activity of this position.  (Check ALL blocks that apply)

☐ Climbing. Ascending or descending ladders, stairs, scaffolding, ramps, poles and the like; using feet and legs and/or hands and arms. Body agility is emphasized. This factor is important if the amount and kind of climbing required exceeds that required for ordinary locomotion.

☐ Balancing. Maintaining body equilibrium to prevent falling and walking, standing or crouching on narrow, slippery or irregularly moving surfaces. This factor is important if the amount of balancing exceeds that needed for ordinary locomotion and maintenance of body equilibrium.

X Stooping. Bending body downward and forward by bending spine at the waist. This factor is important if it occurs to a considerable degree and requires full motion of the lower extremities and back muscles.

☐ Kneeling. Bending legs at knee to come to a rest on knee or knees.

☐ Crouching. Bending the body downward and forward by bending leg and spine.

☐ Crawling. Moving about on hands and knees or hands and feet.

☐ Reaching. Extending hand(s) and arm(s) in any direction.

☐ Standing. Particularly for sustained periods of time.

☐ Walking. Moving about on feet to accomplish tasks, particularly for long distances or moving from one work site to another.

☐ Pushing. Using upper extremities to exert force in order to draw, haul or tug objects in a sustained motion.

☐ Pulling. Using upper extremities to exert force in order to draw, haul or tug objects in a sustained motion.

☐ Lifting. Raising objects from a lower to a higher position or moving objects horizontally from position to position. This factor is important if it occurs to a considerable degree and requires substantial use of upper extremities and back muscles.

☐ Fingering. Picking, pinching, typing or otherwise working, primarily with fingers rather than with the whole hand as a uniting.

☐ Grasping. Applying pressure to an object with the fingers and palm.

☐ Feeling. Perceiving attributes of objects, such as size, shape, temperature or texture by touching with skin, particularly that of fingertips.

☐ Talking. Expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word. Those activities in which they must convey detailed or important spoken instructions to other workers accurately, loudly, or quickly.

☐ Hearing. Perceiving the nature of sounds at normal speaking levels with or without correction. Ability to receive detailed information through oral communication, and to make the discriminations in sound.

☐ Repetitive Motion. Substantial movements (motions) of the wrists, hands, and/or fingers.
The physical requirements of this position.

☐ Sedentary Work: Exerting up to 10 pounds of force occasionally and/or negligible amount of force frequently or constantly to lift, carry, push, pull or otherwise move objects, including the human body. Sedentary work involves sitting most of the time. Jobs are sedentary if walking and standing are required only occasionally and all other sedentary criteria are met.

☐ Light Work: Exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 10 pounds of force frequently, and/or a negligible amount of force constantly to move objects. If the use of arm and/or leg controls requires exertion of forces greater than that for sedentary work and the worker sits most of the time, the job is rated for light work.

☒ Medium Work: Exerting up to 50 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 30 pounds of force frequently, and/or up to 10 pounds of force constantly to move objects.

☐ Heavy Work: Exerting up to 100 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 50 pounds of force frequently, and/or up to 20 pounds of force constantly to move objects.

☐ Very Heavy Work: Exerting in excess of 100 pounds of force occasionally, and/or in excess of 50 pounds of force frequently, and/or in excess of 20 pounds of force constantly to move objects.

The visual acuity requirements including color, depth perception, field vision.

☐ The worker is required to have close visual acuity to perform an activity such as: preparing and analyzing data and figures, transcribing; viewing a computer terminal; extensive reading; visual inspection involving small defects, small parts, and/or operation of machines (including inspection); using measurement devices; and/or assembly or fabrication parts at distances close to the eyes.

☐ The worker is required to have visual acuity to perform an activity such as: operates machines, such as lathes, drill presses, power saws, and mills where the worker is at or within arm’s reach; performs mechanical or skilled trades tasks of a non-repetitive nature, such as carpenter, technician, service people, plumbers, painters, mechanics, etc.

☒ The worker is required to have visual acuity to operate motor vehicles and/or heavy equipment.

The worker is required to have visual acuity to determine the accuracy, neatness, and thoroughness of the work assigned (e.g., custodial, food services, general laborer, etc.) or to make general observations of facilities or structures (e.g., security guard, inspection etc.)

The conditions the worker will be subject to in this position.

☐ The worker is subject to environmental conditions. Protection from weather conditions but not necessarily from temperature changes.

☐ The worker is subject to outside environmental conditions. No effective protection from the weather.

☒ The worker is subject to both environmental conditions. Activities occur inside and outside.

☐ The worker is subject to extreme cold. Temperatures typically below 32 for periods of more than one hour. Consideration should be given to the effect of other environmental conditions, such as wind and humidity.

☐ The worker is subject to extreme heat. Temperatures above 100 for periods of more than one hour. Consideration should be given to the effect of other environmental conditions, such as wind and humidity.

☐ The worker is subject to noise. There is sufficient noise to cause the worker to shout in order to be heard above ambient noise level.

☐ The worker is subject to vibration. Exposure to oscillating movements of the extremities or whole body.
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The worker is subject to hazards. Includes a variety of physical conditions, such as proximity to moving mechanical parts, moving vehicles, electrical current, working on scaffolding and high places, exposure to high heat or exposure to chemicals.

The worker is subject to atmospheric conditions. One or more of the following conditions that affect the respiratory system, such as fumes, odors, dust, mists, gases, or poor ventilation.

The worker is frequently in close quarters, crawl spaces, shafts, manholes, small enclosed rooms, small sewage and line pipes, and other areas that could cause claustrophobia.

The worker is required to function in narrow aisles or passageways.

None. The worker is not substantially exposed to adverse environmental conditions (such as a typical office or administrative work).

Department Head Signature

Date

H.R. Director Signature

Date