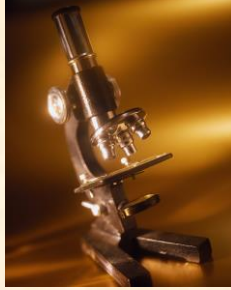


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**MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST
(ASSISTANT MICROBIOLOGIST)**

The Westchester County Department of Laboratories and Research has an immediate opening for an *Medical Technologist (Assistant Microbiologist)*. Responsibilities include conducting examinations related to a public health microbiology laboratory, ensuring that all tests adhere to established protocols for quality control, proficiency and safety as prescribed by the New York State Department of Health. An incumbent of this class must be available for emergency, weekend and holiday work situations.

Scope of Work (for illustrative purposes; not necessarily exhaustive):

- Performs and interprets microbiology laboratory procedures on clinical and environmental specimens related to public health concerns by means of culture, staining and microscopic examinations, and biochemical, serological and molecular diagnostic testing;
- Ensures that the results of examinations adhere to quality control standards;
- Sorts and assesses specimens to distribute to the various microbiological laboratory work areas;
- Performs preliminary microbiological laboratory procedures for processing clinical and environmental specimens as related to public health concerns;
- Performs and records quality control on equipment and diagnostic test reagents as well as media, biochemicals, reagents and stains according to established laboratory quality assurance protocols;
- Prepares reagents, solutions, stains and special media using basic acquired knowledge;
- Gathers statistical data and workload records for monthly and other reports;
- Conducts laboratory examinations for epidemiologic investigations to track diseases related to public health;
- May testify, occasionally, in court or before other administrative hearings regarding results of examinations

The successful candidate must possess a Bachelor's Degree in Medical Technology or a biological science and one year of clinical microbiology experience in an approved medical, hospital or public health laboratory and possess license and current registration issued by the New York State Department of Education as a Clinical Laboratory Technologist or possess a limited permit issued by the New York State Department of Education as a Clinical Laboratory Technologist.

Compensation: The salary range is \$58,905 to \$73,265. Compensation includes comprehensive benefits, including medical, dental, vision, deferred compensation, paid leave and NYS retirement plan.

Come join our team of Lab professionals!

Submit your letter of interest and resume to jobs@westchestergov.com

Important: Please indicate **Medical Technologist (Assistant Microbiologist)** in the subject line of your e-mail.

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About Westchester County...

Westchester County, located in the heart of the historic Hudson Valley, covers 500 square miles and has a population of just under a million. Originally home to Native Americans, who were members of the Lenape tribe, it is today a rich mix of many cultures and landscapes. The County is a blend of bustling cities, quaint villages and picturesque towns as well as open spaces and a network of beautiful parks. The County is also an intellectual capital, boasting a highly educated workforce, competitive colleges and universities, Fortune 500 companies, world changing non-profits, and cutting-edge research centers.