

Career Opening Field Technician I

Pay Range \$41,040 - \$71,820 (annually)

Who We Are

The Collier Mosquito Control District (the District) has been in existence since 1950 and has evolved with the changes in the community. The District exists to control populations of both pestiferous and (potentially) disease-carrying mosquitoes throughout the community in which we all live. Contributing to a healthy, high quality of life in southwest Florida and beyond by upholding public trust, applying sound science, using best practices in mosquito control, economic responsibility, and an enduring search for solutions.

Requirements

Brief Job Description

The Field Technician is responsible for mosquito control and surveillance activities to aid the district's larvicide and adulticide programs.

The Field Technician assesses larval and adult mosquito populations throughout an assigned area, establishes a monthly route and works from that route to include and survey all residences in the assigned area, makes control decisions in the field deciding the appropriate control method(s), applies the control method(s) in accordance with the applicable laws and District policy, collects and identifies mosquito species in the field, records all daily activity in the handheld computer, uploads data into software reporting system, and reports mosquito problems to a Supervisor as needed in a timely manner.

The successful candidate will be joining a dynamic team who have the opportunity to work in a variety of stunning Southwest Florida outdoor environments such as marshes, swamps, forests, and open fields.

The Person We Are Looking for Will Have

- The ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with other district employees and must be able to interact with the public in a professional and courteous manner
- General mechanical ability and operating knowledge of basic handheld and power operated tools
- Must be comfortable working around helicopters
- Must be comfortable working with spray equipment and pesticides
- Class "E" Florida Driver's License; Class B CDL License preferred; clean driving record

What We Would Like You to Have

- High school diploma or equivalent; College-level coursework preferred
- Mosquito control experience preferred
- Public Health Pest Control required within 6 months of employment
- Ability to operate a motorboat and obtain a boating safety education identification card, if required
- Ability to operate a forklift and obtain a certified operator card within a year

Our Partnership with You

This full-time, non-exempt position offers a salary that is commensurate with experience, benefits package includes health, vision, dental insurance, Florida Retirement System, paid vacation, sick time, and holidays, short and long-term disability, voluntary life insurance, and continuing education assistance.

Interested Applicants

Email your resume to the HR Team at <u>Careers@cmcd.org</u>. If selected for the position, you will be asked to fill out an official CMCD application.

Collier Mosquito Control District is a Drug-Free and Equal Opportunity Employer.

This organization participates in E-Verify.