

Job Title:	Breeding Specialist Facility Manager	Job Category:	Technical
Location:	Syracuse, NY	Travel Required:	No
Level/Salary Range:	TBD	Position Type:	Full-time Regular
HR Contact:	Deborah Edwards, HR Mgr. 210-673-9662 x202	Date posted:	6/1/2011
Will Train Applicant(s):	Yes	Posting Expires:	Until filled

Applications Accepted By:

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Subject Line: Breeding Specialist Facility Manager
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Job Description

The McConnell Group, www.themccgroup.com, a health science company, currently has a full-time position for a Breeding Specialist Facility Manager in Syracuse, NY. The incumbent will serve as a contract employee working for The McConnell Group, Inc., a leading provider of clinical research support services. Our growth over the last twelve years with the Department of Homeland Security, the Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of Health and Human Services, and our academic and commercial clients has created our footprint in the industry, overseeing medical and healthcare programs and providing subject matter experts to clinical research programs in support of biomedical, biodefense and other allied health programs..

Duties & Working Conditions:

The breeding specialist facility manager's responsibilities include:

- Experience in rodent handling and colony management
- Experience with animal husbandry and animal facility management
- Breeding and maintaining rodents required. (Production of large quantities of animals is necessary)
- Experience in technical skills (bleeding, injections, euthanasia, etc.)
- Experience with recordkeeping
- Maintains animal facility within compliance of State and Federal regulations, and all accrediting agency standards
- Generates reports as needed. (Census, training, etc.)
- Maintains quality control activities and records
- Ensures maintenance and calibration of equipment to assure proper functioning
- Prioritizes, schedules, assigns and monitors work to optimize operational performance
- Coordinates staffing, material requirements, and equipment needs
- Trains staff in routine and specialized animal husbandry tasks
- Interacts and communicates effectively with scientists and lab personnel at a professional level
- Performs additional related duties as assigned

Skills/Qualifications/Requirements:

- Have a BS degree or high school diploma with relevant experience at the time of hire
- AALAS LATG certification preferred
- Be able to lift 50 lbs. and have the physical stamina to be on their feet all day
- Possess computer proficiency and strong organizational and record-keeping skills
- **Candidates MUST pass a government background investigation (NAC), employment physical and drug/alcohol screening.** As required by law, TMG participates in E-Verify, a service of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the Social Security Administration (SSA), to verify the identity and employment eligibility of persons hired to work in the United States.

Compensation / Benefits: TMG offers comp. pay and benefits pkg. including health ins. and/or pension plan; paid holidays, vacation, and PTO; EAP; Education Assistance, 401(k) and College Savings Plan.

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