

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MOSQUITO CONTROL PROGRAM INTERN (SEASONAL)

Knox Public Health is currently seeking candidates to fill a SEASONAL vacancy for the Environmental Health Mosquito Control Program Intern.

### Position Summary:

Under the general supervision of the Director of Environmental Health, perform duties associated with Knox Public Health's mosquito surveillance plan including larval control, mosquito surveillance and community outreach.

### Essential Knowledge, Abilities and Skills, Education

- Applicants must be a full-time college student, majoring in Environmental Health, Public Health, Biology or a related science degree.
- Applicant must be able to work independently and alongside health department staff.
- Applicant must be dependable and have the ability to understand written instructions, policies, and procedures and have the ability to read and utilize maps.
- Applicant must have the ability to lift up to 50 pounds, and work outside in all weather conditions and environments.
- Must possess a valid Ohio Driver's License and access to a motor vehicle and specified auto insurance coverage.

### Essential Functions of the Position

- Perform all duties associated with the Knox Public Health Mosquito Surveillance program.
- Evaluate possible mosquito breeding grounds.
- Apply larvicide to roadside ditches, storm water catch basins, and other standing water areas to control mosquito populations.
- Set and collect gravid traps in various locations throughout Knox County to capture adult mosquitos for lab testing.
- Provide education and educational materials to our community members.
- Perform mosquito nuisance complaint investigations.
- Maintain accurate records as required per standard operating procedures.
- Maintain and store equipment in good working conditions.
- Assist Environmental Health Specialists in performing Environmental Health inspections and investigations of various facilities including but not limited to:
  - Food Service
  - Schools
  - Swimming Pools
  - Campgrounds

### Job Location

- Travel to off-site locations within Knox County
- Work a general schedule of 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, although a flexible schedule may be required, including evening, weekend, and holidays

- Work in office settings and outdoors.

#### Other Responsibilities

- Respond to public health emergencies as appropriate and/or directed by the Health Commissioner and/or Director of Environmental Health;
- Contribute to continuous quality improvement of individual, program, and organizational performance;
- Performs any and all other related duties as assigned or directed in order to promote, further, and ensure the effective and efficient operations of Knox Public Health;
- Contributes to the development and implementation of organizational strategic plan.

This is a part-time position, up to 20 hours per week.

#### ***Knox Public Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer***

Interested applicants should submit a resume and application to Knox Public Health, 11660 Upper Gilchrist Rd., Mt. Vernon, OH 43050 or by email at [resume@knoxhealth.com](mailto:resume@knoxhealth.com).

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