

Butler County Health Department

Job Title:	Summer Intern – Mosquito Grant Intermittent, Seasonal
Responsible to:	Environmental Health Director
Positions Supervised:	None
Work Hours:	Four days per week (28 hours max.) July-August, 2020, AND Two ½ days per week (6-14 hrs) from September – October 23, 2020
Salary:	\$14.50/Hour plus mileage
Grant-Funded:	This is a 100% grant-funded position and is contingent on availability of funds

Mosquito Surveillance and Control Program includes sampling, controlling of vectors, reporting of observations, performed under the supervision of a registered sanitarian.

Duties include the following:

- Conduct surveys of areas to identify the level of mosquito breeding and adult mosquito populations.
- Respond to individual complaints regarding standing water and heavy adult mosquito populations.
- Treat areas of standing water that may act as potential mosquito breeding sites
- Dispense educational materials and recommendations to stakeholders (Elected Officials, Township Trustees, City Managers, Workers, Metro Parks, and Homeowners) to help decrease the potential for exposure to mosquitoes that may carry disease.
- Dispense labeled whole packets of mosquito environmental safe larvicides (to Elected Officials, Township Trustees, City Managers, Workers, and Homeowners) for use to destroy larvae within known mosquito breeding sites.
- Encourage stakeholders to dispose of containers that collect water (downspouts, buckets, tires, cans, empty bird baths, etc.) and to keep pools in good working order.
- Dispense screen repair kits and encourage home owners to seal openings to the home environment.
- Encourage individuals when entering known areas of mosquito harbor to wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants to cover exposed skin and to routinely reapply an insect repellent containing 30% DEET (diethyl-m-toluamide) for adults and 10% DEET for children and pregnant women to utilize a product with a lower concentration.

Skills required:

- College coursework in public health, environmental science, biology or a related field
- Availability through October (decreased work load after school begins to two ½ days per week, these hours are flexible)
- Interest in learning about mosquitos, mosquito borne diseases, public health surveillance methods, communication and education of the public, and environmental health
- Ability to communicate effectively with the public and community stakeholders in both verbal and written formats
- Skilled with Word and Excel at intermediate level (not advanced)
- Ability to be outdoors in all weather conditions during spring, summer, and fall seasons
- Valid driver’s license, insurable, reliable transportation.

Is this position EXEMPT or NON-EXEMPT from compensatory time?	EXEMPT
Is this an EXECUTIVE, PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP position?	NO
Does this position require advanced TECHNICAL skills?	NO
Is this position FULL TIME or PART TIME?	PART TIME, INTERMITTENT
Is this a 100% GRANT FUNDED position?	YES

Please send resume with cover letter explaining your interest in this position and/or special qualifications to: boh@butlercountyohio.org by July 3, 2020

Position is posted on our website: www.butlercountyohio.org/health

Position will remain open until filled.

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