



MARINE MAMMAL STRANDING CENTER
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Stranding Technician (Temporary)

Job Description

This is a full-time seasonal position working 40 hours per week, beginning immediately and ending in June. Under supervision, the Temporary Stranding Technician is responsible for all aspects of animal husbandry (pinnipeds), stranding response, data collection, and providing support to the Stranding Technicians. The ideal candidate will have a background in animal husbandry (in a rehabilitation, zoo or veterinary hospital setting), live within 30 minutes response time to the Marine Mammal Stranding Center, and is interested in building their experience in the marine mammal field.

General Responsibilities

- Provide husbandry care to animals in rehabilitation at our facility.
- Take stranding calls, coordinate volunteers, and respond to strandings on the beach as necessary.
- Assist with data collection and entry.
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

Qualifications

- College graduate with degree and/or coursework in the appropriate area of specialization (i.e., Biology, Zoology, Marine Biology, Veterinary/ Veterinary Technician program)
- Completion of internship or paid experience caring for animals in animal rehabilitation, zoo, aquarium, or veterinary hospital setting.
- Ability to lift and carry 50lbs and work under challenging weather conditions.
- Excellent organizational skills and the ability to work independently.
- Team-based work ethic, initiative, and flexibility.

Requirements

- Experience in animal husbandry and knowledgeable of Marine Mammals.
- Experienced with driving 4x4 vehicles, and beach driving.
- Good driving record and comfortable navigating NJ roadways.
- Live within a reasonable distance of Brigantine, New Jersey to ensure a response time of 30 minutes or less.

To Apply: Please email resume and cover letter to info@mmsc.org