

Fish and Wildlife Health Technician

Indiana Department of Natural Resources (State) | <https://www.in.gov/dnr/>

Details

Application Deadline:

10/27/2025

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Starting Date:

between 10/20/2025 and 11/3/2025

Hours per Week:

15 - 25

Salary:

\$13.50 per hour

Education Required:

High School Diploma

Experience Required:

none

Location:

4112 IN-225 (West Lafayette, IN 47906, Indiana)

Tags:

Undergraduate Opportunities

Description

A Day in the Life:

The Fish and Wildlife Health Technicians perform duties related to the survey, biological monitoring, and/or data management surrounding the health of fish and wildlife in the State of Indiana. Seasonal Natural Resources Worker positions and their essential functions are as follows:

- Help monitor and respond to reports of sick and dead wildlife across the state.
- Work with biologists to respond to and collect biological samples from health events.
- Engage in regular surveillance for diseases in hunter harvested wildlife.

- Help to enter and manage data associated with sick and dead wildlife reports and mortality events

What You'll Need for Success:

- High school diploma, GED, or one (1) year of work experience.
- May be expected to work afternoons, evenings, weekends, and holidays.
- May be required to wear a DNR-provided uniform.
- May be required to travel to different properties/locations around the State of Indiana
- May be required to have a valid driver's license.
- Must be comfortable making long drives.
- May perform duties in a variety of different environments, including an office environment, field environment, rugged terrain, and various adverse weather conditions (extreme heat, cold, rain, snow, sleet, etc.).
- May interact regularly with members of the public
- May work around potentially dangerous heavy equipment (e.g. tractors, disks, mowers, planters, etc.).
- Ability to understand and apply through on the job training and using previous, relevant experience basic biological principals, ecological variables and interactions, plant identification, herbicide application, invasive plant management techniques (of conservation biology, the management of forests, wetlands, and prairie habitats), and life histories of invasive plants.
- Ability to lift equipment, tools, or materials up to 50lbs.
- Ability to sustain periods of strenuous physical activity.
- Ability to carry out assignments with general instruction and limited supervision.

If interested in this position, please contact Eli Fleace at efleace@dnr.in.gov (preferred) or (812) 929-0753.

Contact

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