# Lab Animal Technician lll – Position Description

## Position Purpose

Provide advanced technical assistance to facilitate research and/or clinical activities (e.g. manage breeding colonies, collect tissue samples).

## Duties and Responsibilities

* Train and monitor Lab Animal Technician I and Lab Animal Technician II to perform animal husbandry related functions, technical procedures and animal health and welfare activities to ensure duties are performed in a manner that is consistent with established policy and procedure.

• Monitor environment by obtaining, documenting & comparing data against established standards to provide appropriate environment for animals. Operate & maintain specialized equipment.

• Audit established standards to facilitate appropriate environment for animals.

• Cross-train in all areas of the facility and provide coverage on an as needed basis for facility supervisors.

• Perform team leader responsibilities on weekends and holidays, on a rotating basis, to facilitate husbandry and technical support, administer medications, collect samples and direct team to carry out care.

• Assist in providing on-going compliance with policy and procedures, and development of policies and procedures.

## Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

Knowledge of biology, chemistry, mathematics, documentation, and records management.

Data utilization, complex problem solving, critical thinking, resource management, and writing skills.

## Position Requirements

Education: High school diploma

Experience: 5 years

FLSA: Non-Exempt