



Chicago Zoological Society
Inspiring Conservation Leadership

Title	Veterinary Technician Intern/Extern-Veterinary Services
Learning Objectives	This position contributes to the success of the Chicago Zoological Society by providing technical and medical support to the veterinary staff for the care provided to the animal collection and hospitalized patients. This position also assists the Veterinary Services Department and the Chicago Zoological Society in creating innovations and excellence in conservation leadership and animal welfare by enabling the Veterinary Services Department to meet the most current standards for specialized veterinary care.
Responsibilities	Shadow and/or assist, when appropriate, all responsibilities associated with a veterinary technician.
Requirements	Currently enrolled in an accredited Veterinary Technician program. Through a partnership with Joliet Junior College and Fox Community College, currently enrolled students are asked to submit a cover letter and resume. Students attending other institutions are asked to submit a cover letter, resume, transcript, and two letters of recommendation.
Additional Information	Student must represent the Society in a professional manner at all times. Veterinary technicians are frequently subjected to potential hazards that include direct contact with or close proximity to live animals. Student must possess knowledge of occupational hazards and safe work practices around such hazards. These positions are physically demanding, and student may be subjected to a variety of physical demands and environmental factors and exposures.