



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

The MSDH and the Mississippi Public Health Laboratory (MPHL) is accepting applications for DH – Laboratory Technologist I through V positions. The MPHL provides environmental and clinical testing services for the diagnosis, prevention, and surveillance of infectious and chronic diseases and environmental contaminants to reduce the incidence of illness and death and to improve the quality of life among Mississippians. As the state's only public health laboratory, the MPHL serves the citizens of Mississippi by performing testing associated with environmental monitoring, disease detection, and chronic disease screening. The MPHL is located on central campus in Jackson, Mississippi.

Job Duties:

The incumbents perform scientific work in a clinical or environmental laboratory section under the supervision of a laboratory section director. The incumbents will:

- Perform chemical, serological, viral, or bacteriological analyses on clinical and environmental samples using a variety of approved methodologies and instrumentation.
- Perform, record, and review quality control results to determine the validity, accuracy, or precision of tests performed and ascertain the quality of reagents, chemicals, or media used for analysis.
- Participate in sample accessioning and recordkeeping to ensure that all specimens are accounted for, appropriately handled, and properly and completely tested.
- Record and report results in the proper manner for the technical area of analysis; check reports for accuracy; and maintain confidentiality of reports.

Please follow this [link](#) to the State Personnel Board to see the full requirements for each position. Please apply by sending your resume to recruitment@msdh.ms.gov with **DH-Lab Tech** in the subject line.

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