



Industrial Hygienist/ Environmental Scientist

**Position Description
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Position Summary

True North Consultants is a growing environmental, health, and safety consulting firm that offers continuing growth, stable leadership, and views employees as valuable resources. We are seeking a self-motivated Industrial Hygienist/Environmental Scientist to join our team in Sterling, Virginia, and become an integral part of our continued success. Previous experience is preferred, but we are willing to train suitably qualified individuals to work in this exciting field of study.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Perform basic industrial hygiene assessment and sampling collection tasks, including asbestos, lead, mold, and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)
- Oversee asbestos, lead, mold investigation and remediation projects, and other industrial hygiene/environmental projects
- Site assessments
- Preparation of field documents (notes, forms, photographs, figures, logs)
- Field equipment operation
- Report preparation and editing
- Communicate project schedules, findings, and recommendations to staff and senior consultants
- Local travel of 50-75% (MD/DC/VA) is expected; nationwide travel is possible, and 2nd/3rd shift or weekend work may be required

Minimal Qualifications

- BA/BS in Industrial Hygiene, Environmental and Occupational Health, Environmental Science, or another related STEM field (Chemistry, Biology, Life Sciences)
- 0-3 years of experience with asbestos inspections or another related industrial hygiene practice area; with preferred added experience in environmental sciences, mold, lead, field sampling, and data collection; and the ability to calibrate/operate sampling equipment
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office, particularly Excel and Word and related software; drafting reports; and understanding and interpreting construction documents, laboratory data, and regulations
- Current VA Asbestos Project Monitor License, Asbestos Inspector License, and NIOSH 582 Microscopy Training are preferred
- Applicable Mold, Asbestos, Lead, and Air Sampling certification/licenses are preferred
- Professional Licenses/Certifications Preferred: OSHA 40-hour HAZWOPER, VA DPOR asbestos inspector and project monitor, DC DOEE mold assessor
- A valid driver's license and personal vehicle are also required
- Medical approval by the Company's appointed physician, after employment is accepted, prior to the first day of work
- The ideal candidate is a self-motivated individual with superior communications skills who excels in a team environment



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Physical Requirements

- Able to lift a minimum of 40 pounds.
- Perform sedentary work requiring exerting up to 10 pounds of force occasionally.
- Visual acuity.
- Hearing and talking to perceive the expression and exchange of ideas.
- Walk and climb over rough terrain.
- Perform moderate physical tasks.
- Work in inclement weather conditions and temperature extremes.
- Work around potential hazardous or noxious materials and be able and willing to don personal protective equipment.

The company is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer, a drug-free workplace, and complies with ADA regulations as applicable.

Cover letter and resume can be submitted to: info@consulttruenorth.com.