MADISON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

STUDENT INTERN (Public Health-Environmental Health Division)
(COUNTY APPLICATION REQUIRED. Go to: https://madison-portal.mycivilservice.com/)

2025 Hire Rate: $16.50/hour (approximately 35 hours/week for 12-14 weeks)

Application Deadline: **4/3/2025**

The Madison County Public Health Department has a summer intern position open with the Environmental Health Division. The position is for our summer mosquito program. The selected individual will be responsible for the collection and identification of mosquitos from multiple locations in the Town of Sullivan. Starting in late May, surveillance begins weekly. Each week traps are put in the locations known to have hosted Eastern Equine Encephalitis Virus and/or West Nile Virus in previous years. At the end of the week, traps are collected and mosquitoes are identified then sent to NYSDOH Wadsworth Laboratory for testing.

When travel is needed, a county car will be provided. Training on mosquito collection and identification will also be provided. Field work is required regardless of weather conditions.

From this experience, the intern will gain the following skills and experience from working with our organization:
- Improve professional communication abilities
- Sharpen research skills and knowledge
- Make connections and build a professional network

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Current enrollment in a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university in an Associate's degree, baccalaureate, or master's degree program.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a valid New York State driver's license at time of application and maintenance of said license for the duration of appointment.

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