UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
CENTER FOR ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAMS

MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES

The Medical Laboratory Sciences Program is seeking candidates for a teaching specialist **(position # 306077)** in their NAACLS accredited Medical Laboratory Sciences program. Teaching specialists support the instruction of individual courses and collaborate with faculty and staff support services to manage course components. These appointments are short-term for approximately three to ten hours of instruction per week for students on the Twin Cities campus. We accept applications continuously throughout the year.

Since it began in 1922, the **Medical Laboratory Sciences Program** at the University of Minnesota has been a leader in the profession. Faculty in the program published the first article on quality control in the clinical laboratory, developed the first medical laboratory technician program, and established the first master's degree in clinical laboratory sciences. Current faculty perform research in laboratory and education fields. Many hold national and state offices in professional organizations, including the American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science (ASCLS). Two faculty are Fellows of the Association of Clinical Scientists.

The MLS curriculum is delivered in hybrid format, allowing students to access online lectures and laboratory simulations along with other course materials from home, as well as face-to-face instruction in state-of-the–art student laboratories. The program is also designated as a **Writing Enriched Curriculum** by the Office of Undergraduate Education.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Prepare instructional materials including syllabus, course objectives, course materials and educational experiences in teaching
- Provide three to ten hours of instruction per week to students Assign and submit final grades
- Collaborate with faculty and staff support services to manage course components. Collaborate effectively with faculty, students, and others within the University, Academic Health Center, Center for Allied Health Programs, and community

Required/ Essential Credentials and Experience

- Earned BS degree in Medical Laboratory Sciences or related field
- Certification as an MT or MLS (ASCP)
- Minimum 1 year clinical practice experience in the medical laboratory field
- Minimum 1 year clinical practice experiences in one of the subdisciplines of MLS

Diversity

The University recognizes and values the importance of diversity and inclusion in enriching the employment experience of its employees and in supporting the academic mission. The University is committed to attracting and retaining employees with varying identities and backgrounds.

The University of Minnesota provides equal access to and opportunity in its programs, facilities, and employment without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin, gender, age, marital status, disability, public assistance status, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity, or gender expression. To learn more about diversity at the U: http://diversity.umn.edu.

Background Check Information

Any offer of employment is contingent upon the successful completion of a background check. Our presumption is that prospective employees are eligible to work here. Criminal convictions do not automatically disqualify finalists from employment.

To Apply, complete the online application go to: **http://humanresources.umn.edu/jobs** → **Position #306077**

Please provide a cover letter and resume describing your area within MLS and you availability for instruction.

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