



WESTERN CHILD AND ADOLESCENT HOSPITAL

CAREER OPPORTUNITY - ADVERTISEMENT

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the position of:

ELECTROMECHANICAL TECHNICIAN (SOG/ST 4) - 1 Position

(Salary Scale \$2,803,771 - \$3,770,761 per annum)

The **Western Child and Adolescent Hospital**, under the Western Regional Health Authority (a Statutory Body under the Ministry of Health & Wellness) is currently seeking to employ an ***Electromechanical Technician (SOG/ST 4)***. Reporting to the Manager, Maintenance; the incumbent is responsible for servicing, repairing, testing, and adjusting electromechanical equipment/systems such as standby generators, boilers, sterilizers, air conditioning units, operating theatre equipment, morgue units, laundry equipment, and kitchen equipment. The core responsibilities of the successful candidates will include:

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Carries out preventative and corrective maintenance by servicing, repairing, testing, and adjusting electromechanical equipment and systems such as systems standby generators, boilers, sterilizers, air conditioning units, operating theatre equipment, morgue units; laundry equipment and kitchen equipment
- Checks new electromechanical equipment after it is received and before it is put in use for any damage
- Reads blueprints, schematics, diagrams, or technical orders to determine methods and sequences of assembly
- Prepares written documentation of electromechanical test results
- Inspects electromechanical equipment and systems' parts for surface defects; and report findings to the Engineer for corrective action
- Installs electrical or electronic parts and hardware in housings or assemblies, using soldering equipment and hand tools
- Verifies part dimensions or clearances to ensure conformance to specifications, using precision measuring instruments
- Repairs, reworks and calibrates hydraulic or pneumatic assemblies or systems to meet operational specifications or tolerances
- Aligns, fits, or assembles parts, using hand or power tools, fixtures, templates, or microscopes
- Operates metal working machines to fabricate housings, jigs, fittings, or fixtures
- Assists with the testing/ performance of electrical, electronic, mechanical, or integrated systems and/or equipment
- Assists with the development and implementation of preventative maintenance schedules for electromechanical equipment and/or systems
- Performs other related duties that may be assigned by the Maintenance Manager

SPECIAL CONDITIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE JOB:

- May be required to work beyond normal working hours, weekends and public holidays from time to time to meet deadlines
- Work is performed in an indoor and outdoor field environment; may be exposed to noise, dust, grease, fumes, noxious odours, and gases, mechanical and electrical hazards
- Ability to stand, sit, bend, stoop, walk or crawl as necessary to supervise and perform maintenance and repairs
- Possess manual dexterity and finger coordination to grasp, hold, turn or squeeze objects, tools and equipment
- Possess a sense of touch necessary to distinguish texture, and temperature during the performance of maintenance and repairs duties
- Possess a sense of vision and hearing at a necessary level to diagnose problems, use tools, and implement preventative or corrective solutions
- Work may be performed in confined areas such as those between ceilings and roofs; may include exposure to electrical shock and airborne particles

QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE:

- Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering
- A minimum of two (2) years of experience in a similar capacity
- Any equivalent combination of qualification and experience

SPECIFIC SKILLS/KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED:

- Sound to communicate effectively orally and in writing
- Good interpersonal skills and people management
- Strong analytical and problem-solving skills
- Good customer relations skills
- Good skills in teamwork and cooperation
- Knowledge of technical aspects of biomedical equipment and its operation, repair and maintenance
- Knowledge of basic anatomy and physiology as applied to the use of biomedical equipment
- Ability to analyze, repair and test biomedical equipment and systems
- Ability to perform preventative maintenance.
- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds of equipment; to push/pull equipment carts
- Ability to run diagnostic programs and tests

Application letter along with a detailed resume should be sent no later than **August 26, 2026**
to:

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ONLY SHORTLISTED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONTACTED