

Class Concept

Food Compliance Role

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Recruitment Standards

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

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- Considerable knowledge of applicable state and federal laws, rules and regulations that govern the manufacture, storage, distribution and sale of food to include ingredients used therein.
- Considerable knowledge of food products, processing techniques and equipment, and inspection procedures.
- Knowledge of regulatory analytical procedures for various types of food products.
- Ability to maintain accurate records, to gather and analyze documentary evidence, and to prepare oral and written reports.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with state and federal regulatory personnel, the food and dairy industries, inspectors, and the general public.
- Ability to train new personnel and to supervise the work of others.

Feed Compliance Role

- Considerable knowledge of applicable state and federal laws, rules and regulations that govern the manufacture, storage, distribution and sale of animal feed to include the ingredients used therein.
- Knowledge of regulatory, analytical and inspectional procedures for various types of animal feed products.
- Knowledge of feed products, processing techniques and equipment.

Note: This is a generalized representation of positions in this class and is not intended to identify essential functions per ADA.

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Minimum Education and Experience

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Bachelor's degree in chemistry, microbiology, food science or related curriculum from an appropriately accredited institution and three years of experience in food and/or dairy industry, research or compliance work; or an equivalent combination of education and experience

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Bachelor's degree in animal science, poultry science or related curriculum from an appropriately accredited institution and three years of experience in an animal production, feed manufacturing or other feed related industry, research or compliance work; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.