

Histology Technician

Location: Denver, CO

Schedule: Full Time

**Scheduled Days
& Hours:** M-F

Job Details: We are seeking a full time Histology Technician for our center. Our state-of-the-art center is looking for a Lead Histology Technician that fits our mission of excellence in urology and will contribute to, and strengthen, our culture of delivering excellence at every encounter (CODE³). Every member of our team plays a crucial role in fulfilling our promise of excellence to our patients. If you are a dynamic person that thrives in a learning environment and takes pride in your work, we'd like to hear from you.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

Responsible for preparing specimens for pathological interpretation and other duties within the quality guidelines established by the Histology Manager and Medical Director. Able to process lab specimens on the Beckman Coulter Access II for PSA, Testosterone and SHBG.

1. Perform routine histology functions, including processing (both microwave and routine), embedding, microtomy and staining for all TUCC tissue specimens.
2. Receive specimen and assign accession number and maintain identifying number throughout whole process.
3. Performs gross bench duties; accurately identifying and measuring small specimens and prostate core biopsies.
4. Filing of blocks, slides and requisitions.
5. Ensures equipment is in working order. Reports equipment malfunctions to manager.
6. Knowledge of sending out specimens for special procedures, i.e., stone analysis or immunohistochemistry requests.
7. Use the computer systems including Logician (EMR), Cortex (Unipath reporting) and Microsoft Outlook (email)
8. Review policy and procedure manuals annually to reflect current standards.
9. Promotes supportive departmental communication with employees and physicians.
10. Maintain a safe work environment per the TUCC, COLA and OSHA guidelines.
11. Maintain the department inventory of supplies and equipment.
12. Able to process all functions of the Beckman Coulter Access II machine to include daily QA, Weekly QA and Post PMI QA. Ensures all specimens are ran in according to SOP and processes all results accurately in the flow sheet of the EMR in allotted time.

KNOWLEDGE:

1. Knowledge of routine histology procedures and protocols.
2. Knowledge of histology equipment including safety hazards common to histology.

ABILITIES:

1. Ability to apply written instructions and standardized work practices.
2. Ability to communicate clearly.
3. Ability to establish and maintain effective relationships with staff.
4. Able to plan and effectively organize work and establish priorities.

EXPERIENCE: Minimum of three years of routine histology experience.

EDUCATION: Graduate of accredited histology program. Attend continuing education activities and/or certification to maintain current knowledge and skills.

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