



ANIMAL TECHNICIAN

£19774 per annum / 36.25 hours per week

“You can always tell about somebody by the way they put their hands on an animal.” Betty White

In advance of opening our brand new £10 million world class facility here in Tranent we are looking to expand our team of Animal Technicians. We are a progressive and close-knit team, working hard to ensure the safety of new medicines which target life threatening and debilitating diseases and especially proud of our contribution in developing the Covid-19 vaccines.

We are passionate about our animals, striving to provide the best possible care with a culture of continuous improvement.

Candidates must have a passion for working with animals and share our commitment to their welfare. In this role you will perform routine and moderately complex animal husbandry and clinical observations in a regulatory compliant laboratory setting.

In return we provide all the training and support you need. A positive attitude with a good work ethic is essential, as we need reliable individuals with a good attendance record.

This is a physically demanding role so you need to know you will be active and on your feet for most of the working day. Here are some of things you will be involved with as an Animal Technician:

- Husbandry duties / delivering essential care and well-being services to the animals
- Positive interaction with animals, including providing treats, fruits and vegetables
- Participating in animal training programmes
- Handling animals for procedures
- Performing physical environment cleanliness and upkeep and maintaining accurate records
- Documenting animal behaviours and activities

For 70 years, Charles River employees have worked together to assist in the discovery, development and safe manufacture of new drug therapies. When you join our family, you will have a significant impact on the health and well-being of people all across the globe.

In return, we'll help you build a career with a progressive and dynamic global company by providing full on-site training, a structured career path and starting pay of **£10.45 per hour**, and a generous benefits package including an 8% employer contribution pension scheme, volunteering and bonus opportunities.

If you believe you can **Be The Difference** and want to be part of a global team at the forefront of medical advances head over to <https://jobs.criver.com/> to apply or e-mail: andrew.leaver@crl.com for further information. Charles River Laboratories, Tranent, GB, EH33 2NE.