

<b>VACANCY</b>	
<b>Job title:</b>	Medical Laboratory Technician Intern
<b>Type:</b>	Permanent <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed Term <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Main purpose of the job:</b>	The Intern will assist in all research laboratory procedures including quality control testing, sample testing, data capturing and general laboratory research administration.
<b>Location:</b>	WITS MRU Durban - Commercial City Research Site
<b>Closing date:</b>	7 June 2024
<b>Submit detailed CV to:</b>	<a href="mailto:research@witshealth.co.za">research@witshealth.co.za</a>
<b>Advert reference number:</b>	Ref 1485
In accordance with our Employment Equity goals and plan, preference will be given to suitable applicants from designated groups as defined in the Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998 and subsequent amendments thereto.	

#### **About WITS MRU**

WITS MRU is a division of the Wits Health Consortium under the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of the University of the Witwatersrand. We are committed to supporting the millennium development goals aimed at gender equity, maternal and child health and combatting HIV.

These guide our work which focuses on sexual and reproductive health with research being conducted in HIV prevention, maternal health, barrier methods, contraception and we conduct clinical, behavioural, operations and implementation science research and support health systems strengthening including capacity building and technical support.

#### **Key performance areas**

- Prepare, run and record laboratory tests results
- Laboratory administration
- Quality Control
- Storage and shipment of specimens

#### **Required minimum education and training**

- Qualification as a Medical / Laboratory Technician (Clinical Pathology/Virology)
- Health Professions Council of South Africa Registration
- Valid Driver's License

#### **Desirable additional education, work experience and personal abilities**

- Good Clinical Laboratory Practice (GCLP), International Air Transport Association (IATA)
- Good Clinical Practice (GCP) certification
- Accuracy, attention to detail and ability to meet deadlines
- Clinical research experience will be an advantage
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Office packages essential

### Required minimum work experience

- In service training in a laboratory environment

**Please note that this vacancy is a Fixed Term Contract for one year.**

Should you be interested in applying for this vacancy, please send an email to [research@witshealth.co.za](mailto:research@witshealth.co.za). The subject heading of the email must read **Ref 1485** and the job title of position applying for. Please include the following documentation:

- A cover letter (maximum one page) that clearly states which vacancy you are applying for
- A detailed CV