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Position: Research Veterinarian

Location: Virscio laboratory and testing facility, St. Kitts, West Indies

Job Description

Virscio is seeking a veterinarian to perform veterinary care, physiologic evaluations and surgical and non-surgical procedures associated with sponsored preclinical study execution and research and development objectives. The position requires clinical experience with nonhuman primates, proficiency in qualitative and quantitative clinical evaluations and competency with surgical techniques and the acquisition of new procedural skills. Primary responsibilities will include:

- Maintaining and advancing the facility veterinary program and health and welfare of the facility colony, including proper study recruitment, preventative medicine, veterinary care, health record maintenance, husbandry, health surveillance, and use of *in vivo* models in biomedical research
- Contributing to the maintenance of facility SOPs and in-depth knowledge defined procedures and associated training
- Contributing to the maintenance of facility good laboratory practices (GLPs) and AAALAC credentials
- Engaging in client, inspector and vendor interactions
- Ensuring subject recruitment criteria for surgery enrollment are defined and met, and perioperative and post-operative animal care plans is defined and implemented
- Conducting and documenting protocol specified surgical and non-surgical procedures and acquiring and applying new procedural and clinical management skills
- Remaining informed of, and responsive to, regulatory changes
- Contributing to the surgical/procedural and post-procedural care components of IACUC protocols, amendments and renewals

Education/Experience Requirements

- DVM, preferably with 3 or more years of clinical experience in an academic or industry setting
- Laboratory experience working with *in vivo* models, preferably including primate translational models
- ACLAM/ECLAM Board certified considered a plus

Additional Requirements

- Able to live and work in St. Kitts
- Demonstrated ability to adapt to the unique challenges of fast-paced research environments

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