



The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is recruiting for the job title described below. **ALL** applications for this position must be filled out online at the Mississippi State Personnel Board's website located at www.mspb.ms.gov under Mississippi Careers, Job Openings tab. Please enter the job title as it appears below in the search box. Resumes are not a substitution for completing a job application.

Compliance Inspector I (Degree) – Seafood Officer

**Job Posting Closes on the MSPB Careers Website on
August 11, 2022, at 11:59 PM CST**

Job Type

Full-Time

Job Number

9724-0450-20220729Ha

Agency Minimum Salary

\$43,509.31

Agency Maximum Salary

\$43,509.31

About the Position

This is proficiency level scientific work with responsibility for providing scientific expertise in the area of seafood processing plant inspection in order to meet U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations for seafood processing and shipping inter/intrastate commerce; issuing the associated operational certificates; and recommending the issuance of cease and desist orders for production and distribution. Successful interaction with members of the seafood industry, including seafood processing plant owners, special interest groups, and the general public, and speaking before large and small groups is required. The incumbent develops the knowledge of and skill necessary in the interpretation of FDA requirements, National Shellfish Sanitation Program (NSSP) Model Ordinance, and Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) regulations. The incumbent also possesses knowledge of microbiology and sanitation principles and develops knowledge of the laws, rules, and ordinances as they relate to the seafood processing plant inspection programs. The duties are performed using judgment and discretion and under the direct supervision of a higher-level scientist. Work is reviewed through regular meetings and conferences. This is a time limited position.

What you'll need to be Successful

Knowledge of microbiology and sanitation principles; develops knowledge of the laws, rules, and ordinances as they relate to the seafood processing plant inspection programs.

Preferred Qualifications

Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Biology, Biological Science, Fisheries Biology, Ichthyology, Marine Ecology, Microbiology, Health and Sanitation, or a related field. Minimum one (1) year experience related to the described duties.