



Carnivore/Primate Keeper Permanent, Part-time Position

The Roosevelt Park Zoo is currently seeing qualified applicants for a permanent, part-time Carnivore/Primate Zookeeper. This position includes providing high quality husbandry care to Amur tigers, Amur leopards, Siamang, White-Handed gibbon, Black & White Ruffed lemur and Ring Tail lemurs.

This is a 32-hour workweek position with benefits offered through the Minot Park District.

Job duties include:

- Provides high quality daily care for animals' psychological and physiological well-being
- Provides approved diet, enrichment and behavioral training procedures.
- Prepares food and feeds according to established diets and assigned schedule
- Maintains detailed narratives and charts of animal observations, care, and handling for detailed record keeping.
- Observes animals in assigned areas for injuries or symptoms of disease, and changes in behavior
- Reports changes and problems to lead Carnivore/Primate Keeper and General Curator;
- Assists in animals' preventative medical program under supervision of the staff Veterinarian.
- Administers prescribed medication to assigned animals by mixing with food or as required; assists veterinarian in administration of medication or treatment of animals.
- Completes daily worksheets listing amount of food eaten, medications administered, changes in animal behavior, and symptoms of disease or other indications of needs for special attention, and any repair or maintenance required for enclosures.

- Unloads and stores shipments of food and supplies; notifies supervisor of supplies needed.
- Cleans animal enclosures using water hose, high pressure steam, and hand tools.
- Monitors and reports water quality of pools.
- Performs a variety of general grounds keeping duties and assists in maintaining the Zoo's facilities.
- Interacts with and provides information to zoo visitors; may conduct zoo tours as required.
- Participates in the Zoo's animal outreach activities.

Must be able to work in diverse and variable weather conditions, perform strenuous manual labor including the ability to lift 75 lbs., stoop, bend, and move quickly.

Must be able to work independently and effectively in a team environment, equally with guests, staff, and volunteers.

Requires the ability to work weekends and holidays as assigned.

Applicants must have a valid driver license and be able to pass pre-employment background check, and annual TB tests.

To apply please send Minot Park District application, resume, and references to:

Roosevelt Park Zoo

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Minot, ND 58702 or Email: brandi@minotparks.com

Deadline for submission is February 14, 2020

Minot Park District Application can be found at <http://www.rpzoo.com/employment.html>

Minot Park District is an equal opportunity employer.