



Position: Night Security Guard

Status: Part-time

Basic Function: Located along the Space Coast in Melbourne, Florida, the Brevard Zoo is an AZA-accredited facility with a diverse collection of over 900 animals representing nearly 200 species. It is also home to the Sea Turtle Healing Center (STHC) for rehabilitation of wild marine turtles. Brevard Zoo is well-known for its strong conservation ethic and unique attractions, such as kayaking through the Africa area, giraffe feeding and various animal encounters.

Calling all night owls! The Night Security Guard at Brevard Zoo is a part-time position that reports directly to the Director of Risk Management/Safety. This person will guard the animals and Zoo property in the early hours of the morning and be the first line of defense against unwanted wanderers. This is the Zoo as you've never seen it before!

Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Provides security for Zoo grounds during a 7 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. shift.
- Ensures that all gates, buildings and exhibits are properly secured.
- Maintains a daily log of activities, making note of any safety, maintenance or housekeeping issues encountered.
- Completes reports concerning deficiencies or emergencies encountered during their shift.
- Empties trash bins inside the Zoo.
- Alerts emergency services or Zoo staff if necessary for safety or security issues.
- Escorts Zoo staff to their cars if requested.
- Coordinates with other Zoo staff during nighttime hours and during special events.
- Provides consistently superior customer service.
- All other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

- Must be able to operate safely in a low-light environment.
- Walk on uneven surfaces.
- Lift at least 25 pounds.
- Write clear and legible daily reports.
- Communicate by radio and telephone.

Training and Abilities:

- Security Staff must maintain current certification in CPR/AED/Basic First Aid and Blood-borne Pathogens. Other mandatory training may be required at the discretion of the Director of Safety and Risk Management.
- Security experience is preferred.

Benefits:

Brevard Zoo offers a comprehensive benefits package that includes paid sick/vacation time, local tourist attraction discounts and Zoo membership. Also includes health, dental and vision insurance as well as a retirement plan.

Apply Now:

Please complete this application and send it along with your resume to hr@brevardzoo.org or mail to:

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