

Cleland Wildlife Park Veterinarian

- Environment and Water
- Job reference: 335659
- Location: 5152 - CLELAND
- Job status: Long Term Contract
- Eligibility: Open to Everyone

Cleland Wildlife Park is a major tourist attraction in South Australia, and has been operating since 1967 and located only 20 minutes from the Adelaide CBD. We are seeking a qualified professional Veterinarian to join our highly motivated team, this role has been newly created and now is your opportunity to make it your own!

The role is primarily field based and is focused on providing quality care to a variety of wildlife, such as, reptiles, marsupials, mammals, amphibians and birds in the park. The health and wellbeing of our animals is our number one priority. Our philosophy allows our wildlife to be in their natural habitat which provides our guests a closer and interactive experience with the state's most iconic wildlife.

The role of the Veterinarian is responsible for but not limited to:

- Deliver veterinary services to Cleland Wildlife Park collection animals and provide triage services to surrendered, confiscated, seized and sick and/or injured wildlife presented at the park.
- Undertake surgical procedures.
- Provide advice and guidance on a wide range of animal welfare matters.
- Oversee the development of enrichment programs and ensure that the design and upgrades of animal exhibits at Cleland Wildlife Park are industry leading and abide by the best welfare standards.

Special Conditions

- Long term contract up to 12 months
- Position will be offered at a PO2 or PO3 classification depending your experiences and qualifications
- May be required to participate in fire management and associated duties
- Demonstrates ability to work alone and be self-reliant
- May require some intra/interstate travel
- This role requires the incumbent to have/obtain a Child Related Screening

Requirements

- A veterinary degree able to be registered in South Australia
- Possession of, or eligible to obtain, appropriate firearms licence
- Knowledge of animal husbandry practice as it relates to non-domestic animal care in a captive environment, including captive breeding, nutrition, bio security and enclosure design

- Substantive veterinary experience with a wide range of Australian species, including medicine, surgery, disease investigation and chemical restraint
- Demonstrated ability to understand the impact of husbandry on veterinary medicine and liaise with curatorial teams to help provide improved husbandry practices

For more information or to apply online, go to;

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Applications close: 18th January 2019.