



# UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN

Veterinary Medical Centre  
Western College of Veterinary Medicine  
University of Saskatchewan  
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan  
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The University of Saskatchewan, with a student population of about 20,000, boasts a beautiful campus located in Saskatoon, a prairie city with a population of over 250,000. The city offers a scenic riverbank, many parks, a diverse and thriving economic base, a vibrant cultural community, affordable living, and a high quality of life. The University of Saskatchewan has a reputation for excellence in teaching, research, and service and has the widest array of health science colleges in Canada

The Veterinary Medical Centre (VMC) is a state-of-the-art animal health facility that offers a wide range of clinical and referral services to western Canadian animal owners and veterinarians. The VMC is part of the Western College of Veterinary Medicine (WCVM) - the regional veterinary college for Western Canada and the North. The VMC is an AVMA and AAHA accredited hospital and referral centre employing approximately 120 staff with a case load of about 18,000 cases per year. The VMC offers primary clinical services such as vaccinations and regular checkups, plus it provides a range of specialized services including medical imaging, internal medicine, surgery, oncology, dentistry, ophthalmology, reproduction services, acupuncture and rehabilitation. It also offers 24-hour emergency and critical care and serves as the referral centre for veterinarians across Western Canada.

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## **RVT – Lead Hand (Anes/Surgery) – 1 position**

The Veterinary Medical Centre in sunny Saskatoon is looking for you! Are you a motivated RVT wanting to be challenged to utilize your skills to the highest level? We are expanding our leadership and are seeking enthusiastic RVTs with advanced training and certification in a relevant specialty (Anesthesia or Surgery).

Working in close collaboration with the Nursing Care Manager and multiple constituent groups, the Lead Hand Technician assists with

- team building
- organizing and managing the daily work schedule to accommodate fluctuations in workloads while ensuring adequate technical coverage is provided 24/7/365;
- coaching, mentoring, training and directing staff/students;
- addressing operational problems, bringing issues requiring further assistance to the attention of the Nursing Care Manager;

- responsible for assisting with technical duties as needed across service areas;
- arranging preventative maintenance and repairs for equipment, keeping records, developing SOP's and ensuring adherence to safe practices;
- assists with the technical instruction and for undergraduate veterinary students and Veterinary Technology students.

**Annual Salary Range: \$61,216.44 to \$82,636.32 plus shift premiums as applicable.** Comprehensive benefits package includes pension plan, life insurance (compulsory and voluntary), sick leave, travel insurance, death benefit, dental plan, extended health and vision care plan, employee assistance program and flexible health and wellness spending program.

To view the full job posting and apply online please go to:

<https://usask.csod.com/ats/careersite/JobDetails.aspx?id=1075>

Consideration will be given to candidates with fewer than 3 years of experience at a lower phase level.

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