



The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) is a public sector institution that promotes and develops the research, innovation and biosanitary teaching of the Vall d'Hebron University Hospital. Through the excellence of our research, we identify and apply new solutions to the health problems of society and we contribute to spread them around the world.



In April 2015, the **Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR)** obtained the recognition of the European Commission **HR Excellence**. This recognition proves that VHIR endorses the general principles of **the European Charter for Researchers and a Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers (Charter & Code)**.

Thus, there are no restrictions of gender, national origin, race, religion, sexual orientation or age and **candidates with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.**



## Veterinary anesthetist Experimental Surgery Unit

VHIR offers a **veterinary anaesthetist** position for the **Experimental Surgery Unit (ESU)**. More information about ESU can be found [here](#). The ESU's specialities are: preclinical animal models (pig, sheep and rabbit) for research and teaching purposes, anaesthesia, analgesia and resuscitation protocols and pre and post-operative animal care and welfare. It offers integral preclinical imaging services (fluoroscopy, ultrasound), ethics committee assistance and has an ISO 9001:2015 quality management system certification.

### JOB DESCRIPTION

#### Education and qualifications:

##### Required:

- Degree in veterinary medicine and specialist in anaesthesia
- Hold the accreditations according the *Ministerial Order ECC/566/2015, of 20th March* and to Directive 2010/63/EU: **d Function**
- High level of English.

##### Preferred:

- Deeply knowledge of the regulation, law and ethical aspects related to the animal experimentation.
- Quality system management.

#### Experience and knowledge:

- Experience working with experimental animals (specifically rabbits, sheep and pigs).
- Experience in management of other species.
- Experience in experimental surgeries
- Experience with research procedures or veterinary clinic.

### Main responsibilities and duties:

- Daily monitoring of animal's health.
- Protocols of pre-surgical conditions, anaesthesia, analgesia and euthanasia and with different animal models.
- Pre and postoperative care of the animals.
- Monitoring and improvement of animal welfare.
- Data collection and monitoring and also analysis of results.
- Supervision and coordination of caretakers and technicians work.
- Veterinary advice and support to users with the experimental procedures
- Supervision of in situ environmental parameters of the installation as well as the proper functioning of the housing equipment.

### Labour conditions:

- Length: Replacement for a leave of absence
- Contract: Full Time (40h per week)
- Starting date: November 11<sup>th</sup> 2019
- Gross annual salary: 25.000€ - 32.720€

### HOW TO APPLY

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference "Veterinary anaesthetist" to the following email address: [seleccio@vhir.org](mailto:seleccio@vhir.org) before January 31th 2020.