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# Example of Ophthalmic Technician Job Description

Our growing company is searching for experienced candidates for the position of ophthalmic technician. If you are looking for an exciting place to work, please take a look at the list of qualifications below.

## Responsibilities for ophthalmic technician

* Perform electrophysiological tests and visual fields on clinical research subjects
* Stock and maintain exam and testing rooms
* Input of patient information, managing data entry
* Instrument calibration, download and update software
* Identify equipment malfunction and report problem to technical support
* Assist in training and coordinating the work of ophthalmic assistants and technicians
* Performs basic ophthalmic testing procedures, assessments, and tasks delegated by the eye care provider
* Mentors staff on testing based on presenting symptoms or diagnosis
* Refractometry (measurements for the glasses prescription)
* Tonometry (measure eye pressure)

## Qualifications for ophthalmic technician

* Efficiently and accurately interviews patients and documents medical histories
* Demonstrates working knowledge of eye anatomy, disease, symptoms and ocular medications
* Is capable of performing A-Scans ultrasonography, fundus photography, optical coherence tomography, and autorefraction/corneal topography
* Understands and uses proper sterile technique
* Understands and communicates well to patients about strabismus, amblyopia, glasses and pediatric surgical procedures
* Is energetic and empathic with patients