

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

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**LABORATORY RESEARCH ASSISTANT
(GRADE 9)
TWO YEAR FIXED TERM APPOINTMENT
DISCIPLINE OF MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY
SCHOOL OF LABORATORY MEDICINE AND MEDICAL SCIENCES
COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
INKOSI ALBERT LUTHULI CENTRAL HOSPITAL
REF NO.: LMMS09/2019
CLOSING DATE: 5 AUGUST 2019**

This position entails working with the site principal investigator, laboratory collaborators and study coordinators for receiving shipping, tracking, organizing and documenting laboratory specimens. This is to ensure that accurate information obtained and recorded for an NIH funded TB/HIV research project being conducted in Durban, South Africa.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- Matric/Grade 12
- Bachelor's Degree in a related field (medical laboratory, biomedical technology, Science) or Diploma in biomedical technology
- Registration with HPCSA
- Two years relevant research experience
- Good computer skills (including MS Office, MS Outlook, MS Excel and internet)
- Experience with working in a TB laboratory
- Experience working with human samples

This post reports to Dr K Lutchminarain. Enquiries regarding this post may be directed to Dr K Lutchminarain on 031-240 2783/7. The job profile is available from Eunice Khuzwayo, tel: 031-260 4418 or email: khuzwayo@ukzn.ac.za. You are invited to visit the College website at <http://chs.ukzn.ac.za/Homrpage.aspx>.

The total remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications in 5 August 2019. The University reserves the right not to make any appointment.

Applications are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed forms may be sent to Recruitment-chs@ukzn.ac.za.

Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.