



## **Experienced Veterinary Assistants \* Catskills Veterinary Services Rock Hill, NY**

**Overview:** Catskill Veterinary Services is seeking Experienced Veterinary Assistants in Rock Hill, NY. Are you an experienced Veterinary Assistant looking for a role where you can utilize your full range of skills in a dynamic, full-service animal hospital? Do you thrive in an environment that combines the challenges of urgent care with the intricacies of specialty medicine and the rewards of general practice? Catskill Veterinary Services is looking for a versatile and skilled professional like you to join our comprehensive care team.

We are seeking a seasoned Veterinary Assistant to bring their expertise to our growing, multi-faceted practice. This role is for a confident, proactive individual who can seamlessly transition between different types of cases, anticipate the needs of our veterinarians, and provide a consistently high level of patient care. Your ability to multitask, communicate effectively, and remain calm and professional across a diverse caseload is paramount.

### **Key Responsibilities:**

Provide advanced nursing care to a wide range of patients, from wellness and post-operative cases to urgent and critical emergencies.

Assist veterinarians and vet techs in triaging patients, performing treatments, and managing both routine and complex cases.

Prepare for and assist with wellness exams, vaccinations, client education, and specialized procedures (e.g., endoscopy, ultrasound, advanced surgery).

Care for hospitalized patients across all services, recognizing and responding to changes in their status.

Administer medications and treatments with precision as directed by veterinarians.

Maintain impeccable and accurate electronic medical records (Ezyvet and VetRadar).

Ensure examination rooms, surgical suites, and all equipment are prepared and maintained for a state of readiness for any type of appointment or procedure.

### **Requirements**

2 years of experience as a Veterinary Assistant in a busy, multi-doctor practice.

Experience in emergency, urgent care, or specialty medicine is highly preferred.

Ability to lift and carry up to 40 lbs and stand/kneel for extended periods

**Skills:**

Strong understanding of both routine wellness protocols and emergency/triage principles.

Excellent communication and teamwork skills, with a proven ability to adapt to the varying pace of a full-service hospital.

Comfortable working with a diverse range of animals, including dogs, cats, birds, and reptiles.

**Shift, Salary, and Benefits:** Shifts vary \$18.00-\$25.00 per hour based on experience. Benefits include 401(k), Dental insurance, Employee assistance program, Flexible schedule, Health insurance, Paid time off, Retirement plan, Tuition reimbursement, and Vision insurance. Potential for educational reimbursement and advancement, including working towards becoming a NYS Licensed Veterinary Technician.

**To apply:** Email the Human Resources Team at [hiring@catskillvetservices.com](mailto: hiring@catskillvetservices.com) or call 845-796-5919.