



South Denver

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

ANIMAL CARE CUSTODIAN VOLUNTEER JOB DESCRIPTION

Position Title: Animal Care Custodian (this is an unpaid, volunteer-only position)

Reports to: Museum Manager, CU South Denver, 10035 S. Peoria St., Parker, CO. 80134

Age Requirement: 18+

Contact: Yvette Adele Yvette.adele@ucdenver.edu

Goal: To keep CU South Denver's live animals healthy and happy

Responsibilities and Duties:

- Feed, water and care for reptiles, amphibians and aquatic creatures
- Monitor animal health and habitat conditions
- Record information for CU veterinarian
- Quarterly habitat cleanings for reptiles
- Periodically attend meetings/trainings

Qualifications:

- Enjoy working with animals
- Pass training requirements
- Responsible, punctual and dependable
- Good communication skills
- Ability to sit, stand, climb a three-step step stool

Benefits:

- Opportunity to work closely with animals, and with other who enjoy working with animals
- Gain experience with caring for animals; carrying out veterinarian's requirements
- Increased knowledge of specific species of reptiles, amphibians and aquatic creatures
- Volunteers receive free Museum Admission and Daily Films for self and up to two guests every day the museum is open; 25% off in Gift Shop and Café with volunteer badge; discounted event tickets.