



## **JOB GUIDE – Water Hygiene Technician**

### **About Dantek**

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Dantek Environmental Services (UK) LTD is a Bristol based water hygiene services company. We currently employ 18 people and due to continued growth we are looking for another technician to join our team.

Dantek are niche market specialists operating in the building services sector. We provide solutions to statutory health and safety compliance issues such as the control and prevention of Legionnaires' disease. We are a field based service organisation in a business to business environment. We are signatories to the Legionella control associations' code of conduct which is the recognised trade body for what we do.

The Directors have a combined 25 years experience in the water treatment and the building services sector, all having previously worked for market leading Corporations.

Dantek is built on a vision of providing exceptional service and value for money to our customers. We achieve this by being passionate that our technicians are the best trained, best equipped and best presented in our industry.

### **Package**

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Basic Salary Circa £17 + per annum (Depending on skills and experience)

Saturday overtime – Fixed at £105.00 per day

Sunday overtime – Fixed at £140.00 per day

Overnight (stay away) overtime £45.00 per night with all expenses paid including meals

20 days holiday per annum plus eight bank holidays, accruing one extra day per year from date of second anniversary

Company vehicle (Van)

Sabbatical scheme in operation after 5 years service

Company pension scheme

Full induction

Commitment to training and personal development

Full statutory entitlements

**We are an owner managed company, and we are happy to negotiate personal packages for the best people. If you are worth it and there is something particularly important to you, then talk to us.**

## Hours

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Monday to Friday 8.30 – 5.30pm

The Job is field based with nationwide coverage. Approximately 60% of our business base is in the South West/ South Wales area.

The role will be based and managed from Unit 2, Avonbank Industrial Estate, Avonmouth, Bristol, BS11 9DE

## Candidate attributes

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The role of a Water Hygiene Technician is business critical to the ongoing success of Dantek. It is the first impression many people get of the company, it upholds the company's image and reputation. The work is varied and the environment changes daily, this presents both challenges and freedoms. The ideal candidate must have the confidence to operate in an environment where job details may not be known in advance, and obstacles arise on a daily basis. Obstacles can range from the sundry (no parking on-site or difficult security guards) to the serious (unsafe access or possible plant failure). The right candidate will have the intelligence and intuition to solve the sundry issues without help and to identify and call for help on the serious issues.

## Selection criteria

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### CANDIDATE MUST HAVE:

- GCSE Maths and English grade C and above
- A-level/BTEC or equivalent in a science subject or maths
- Ability to discuss technical issues with confidence
- Experience which demonstrates mechanical aptitude and technical ability
- Enthusiasm about the company and the job
- Honesty and integrity for both customers & colleagues
- Experience at working unsupervised
- Capable of physical work, lifting, carrying and climbing
- Full current UK driving Licence

#### **ADVANTAGEOUS CRITERIA FOR CANDIDATES:**

- Plumbing qualification or work experience
- 2 years minimum experience in field based roles
- In depth understanding of the ACoP L8
- Understanding of water treatment plant (Water softeners, Dosage & control equipment)
- City and Guilds (BS04) risk assessment certificate
- Confined Spaces certificate
- Current CSCS Card
- Sales experience

#### **Job tasks and functions.**

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The lists below set out both the general tasks and the manual tasks which describe the job. This is not an exhaustive list but gives a good overall guide to the job.

#### **GENERAL TASKS**

- Preparing and completing job sheets by hand
- Accurately completing procedure logs by hand
- Ensuring there is a full working set of equipment and P.P.E prior to attending site work
- Driving to site (circa 25,000 business miles per annum)
- Taking and submitting water samples
- Completing log books
- Maintaining a professional and tidy appearance, both personally and with the kit and van
- Confirming attendance on site direct with customers prior to arrival
- Taking ownership of issues and problems as they arise and trying to solve them there and then

#### **MANUAL TASKS**

- Cold water storage tank cleaning and disinfection, which includes handling and dosing chemicals.
- Cold water storage tank lining, including using an angle grinder and painting.
- Showerhead cleaning and disinfection.
- Cold water storage tank inspections.



- Water hygiene monitoring tasks including temperature testing, tank inspections, samples and calorifier inspections.
- Underground mains disinfections
- Duct work cleaning



## **Selection Process**

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Please read the above job description, and if you meet the criteria please forward your CV with a cover letter explaining the reasons why your skills and experience would make you the best candidate for the job.

Please direct all correspondence to; [jobs@dantekenvironmental.co.uk](mailto:jobs@dantekenvironmental.co.uk)

All selected candidates will be subject to a six month probation period. All employment is subject to a satisfactory Criminal records bureau check (CRB).

Dantek are an equal opportunities employer.