

## **Join the Elite Team at Fort Washington Country Club: Chemical Spray Technician**

**About Fort Washington Country Club:** Fort Washington Country Club stands as the premier private club in the Central Valley, renowned for its meticulously maintained championship golf course, exceptional facilities, and a commitment to providing an unparalleled experience for its members. We pride ourselves on a culture of excellence, teamwork, and continuous improvement.

**The Opportunity:** We are seeking a highly experienced and dedicated **Chemical Spray Technician** to join our elite Golf Course Maintenance team. This is a pivotal role in ensuring the pristine condition and playability of our golf course, utilizing advanced turf management practices and responsible chemical applications.

**Key Responsibilities:** The Chemical Spray Technician will play a crucial role in maintaining the health and aesthetics of our turfgrass and surrounding landscapes. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- **Pesticide and Fertilizer Application:** Accurately mixing, calibrating, and applying a variety of pesticides, herbicides, fungicides, and fertilizers to greens, tees, fairways, and other designated areas, adhering strictly to label instructions and safety protocols.
- **Turf Health Monitoring:** Regularly inspecting turf and plant health, identifying diseases, pests, and nutrient deficiencies, and proactively recommending and implementing corrective treatments.
- **Equipment Operation & Maintenance:** Operating and maintaining a range of spray equipment, including mechanically pressurized sprayers, hand-operated equipment, and utility tractors. Performing routine safety inspections and ensuring all equipment is clean and in optimal working order.
- **Record Keeping & Compliance:** Maintaining accurate and detailed records of all chemical applications, including products used, rates, dates, and areas treated, in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.
- **Safety & Training:** Adhering to all safety guidelines and regulations, including maintaining Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS), and participating in ongoing safety training and emergency drills.
- **Collaboration:** Working closely with the Golf Course Superintendent and Assistant Superintendents to develop and execute comprehensive turf management programs.

- **General Golf Course Maintenance:** Assisting with other golf course maintenance tasks as needed to support the overall upkeep and playability of the course.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Minimum of 2-3 years of proven experience as a Chemical Spray Technician in a golf course setting.
- Current and valid California Qualified Applicator License (QAL) or Certificate (QAC) is required as well as a current California Driver License.
- Strong knowledge of turfgrass management, including common diseases, pests, and nutrient requirements.
- Proficiency in the safe and effective operation and calibration of various chemical application equipment.
- Ability to read, understand, and interpret chemical labels and MSDS.
- Familiarity with relevant environmental regulations and best management practices.
- Excellent attention to detail and strong problem-solving skills.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a highly dedicated team.
- Strong communication skills, both written and verbal.
- Physical ability to perform demanding outdoor work in varying weather conditions, including lifting up to 50 lbs., bending, stooping, and walking for extended periods.
- Valid California Driver's License.

**Compensation & Benefits:** Fort Washington Country Club offers a highly competitive compensation package commensurate with experience, reflecting our commitment to attracting and retaining top talent. Our comprehensive benefits package typically includes:

- **Competitive Salary/Hourly Wage:** (Salary range will be discussed during the interview process, based on experience and qualifications.)
- Medical, Dental, and Vision Insurance
- Paid Time Off (Vacation, Sick Leave, Holidays)
- 401(k) Retirement Plan with Company Match
- Life and Disability Insurance

- Employee Golf Privileges
- Discounts on Food & Beverage and Pro Shop Merchandise
- Opportunities for Professional Development and Continuing Education

**To Apply:** If you are a highly skilled and motivated Chemical Spray Technician seeking a rewarding career with the Central Valley's top private club, we encourage you to apply!

Please submit your resume and a cover letter outlining your relevant experience and qualifications to [Fred@fortwashingtoncc.org](mailto:Fred@fortwashingtoncc.org)

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.