



JOB DESCRIPTION

DRILLING OPERATOR & DRILLER ASSOCIATE

COMPANY DETAILS

Established in 2006, Choice Drilling Inc. has become the one-stop solution for geotechnical, environmental, and construction drilling services. The Choice Drilling team takes pride in ourselves in our knowledge, providing solutions to meet client expectations, and our reliability to get the job done right the first time. We tackle a lot of responsibility with a small team through a great deal of experience our staff brings to the table, open communication, and reliability.

OFFICE LOCATION: PACOIMA

ROLE OUTLINE

Drill Operator:

Our company is seeking a drill operator with experience in hollow stem or direct push drilling. Knowledge in environmental drilling including but not limited to groundwater sampling, vapor probe installation, and well installation is a plus. Knowledge in geotechnical drilling including but not limited to auto-hammer sampling, continuous core, SPT sampling, and instrument installation is a plus. The driller must be experienced in rotary machinery and high torque equipment, understand risks in pressure developed during drilling, and understand all hydraulic controls of the rig. The main function of a drill operator is to understand the needs of a clients' project and ensure the field work and materials involved are carried out in accordance with a projects scope. The driller is tasked to ensure all appropriate materials and quantities for a project are loaded prior to departure for field work, ensure rig safety inspections are carried out prior to environmental or geotechnical projects, wear personal protective equipment (PPE) at all times while in the field, and adhere to OSHA safety guidelines.

Driller Associate:

Our company is seeking a drill operator associate with experience in the environmental/geotechnical and/or construction industries. Knowledge in drill sampling, well installation, and rotary and high-torque equipment is a plus. The driller associate is tasked to ensure all appropriate materials and quantities for a project are loaded prior to departure for field work, including additional tools and supplies required for the scope of work. You will provide assistance to the drill operator as instructed, including but not limited to load/unloading of drill rig tools and supplies, maintaining a neat and safe workspace, and assist clients with soil sample collection. You will assist the drill operator with rig safety inspections prior to environmental or geotechnical projects, wear personal protective equipment (PPE) at all times while in the field, and adhere to OSHA safety guidelines.

POSITION STATUS: FULL TIME / PART TIME / CONTRACT (SELECT ONE)



DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Drill Operator:

The successful applicant will carry out the following duties and responsibilities:

- Be able to safely lift up to 50lbs.
- Confirm and/or load needed materials, tools, or supplies with the rig provided to perform a client's project scope.
- Complete safety checklists and rig inspection forms prior to completing field work.
- Drillers are responsible for the safety of everyone onsite at the project location. This includes but is not limited to ensuring hazards onsite are safely removed/avoided, all persons wear PPE as needed, and the rig is closely inspected throughout the course of work performed.
- Must have excellent time management skills to gauge arrival to work, commute to a project location, and complete project scopes in a timely manner.
- Must be extremely reliable and punctual.
- Provide assistance to drill associates as needed, especially concerning safety hazards.
- Qualified to set percolated wells, monitoring wells, air sparge wells, and slip indicators, as well as continuous core and rock drilling.
- Communicate any project issues, rig repairs needed, or emergencies in accordance with company policy.
- Must be OSHA and CPR certified prior to field work being performed.
- Complete other tasks as instructed by the Operations Manager.

Driller Associate:

- Be able to safely lift up to 50lbs.
- Must be extremely reliable and punctual.
- Confirm and/or load needed materials, tools, or supplies with the rig provided to perform a client's project scope.
- Complete safety checklists and rig inspection forms prior to completing field work.
- Follow all directives efficiently and safely provided by the drill operator.
- Observe, report, and assist the drill operator to eliminate any safety hazards.
- Must be OSHA certified

REQUIREMENTS

The successful applicant will have the following experience and skills:

- 2+ years previous experience in a similar role, such as environmental/geotechnical drilling or construction
- Reliability in being present and ready to work on time, as well as completing tasks correctly with an urgent manner
- An understanding of tool and equipment use, and safety guidelines
- Excellent verbal and non-verbal communication skills
- A high school degree or equivalent

To be considered for either role, please email your resume to the office/operation associates at debbie@choicedrilling.com and garret@choicedrilling.com.