# Ammonia Refrigeration Service Technician (Journeyman)



# About the job

PermaCold is hiring an Ammonia/Freon service technician for our office in Pasco, WA. This is a fulltime position with union wage/benefits package and a company provided vehicle, tools, and gas card.

Compensation: \$57/hr - \$65.55/hr + Overtime, On-site, Full-time

# **Preferred Experience / Job Expectations**

# Advanced Refrigeration Knowledge:

o Able to teach, explain, and break down the refrigeration process for industrial Ammonia, Freon, and CO2.

o Understand operating efficiency measures and live by them on a daily basis.

o Understands PermaColds procedure for emergency release of Refrigeration and correct response procedure. When to enter facility, whom to report to, and what your role is.

o Have a clear understanding of P&ID's.

# Work within the industry standards regarding (PSM, OSHA, IIAR, RMP):

o Understand guidelines for Operational Safety (PSM, ASRAE, IIAR)

o OEM Recommended maintenance per component

o Understand the parameters around maximizing energy efficiency (ETO, RETA)

# Able to teach, explain, and break down all electrical components within a refrigeration system. VFDs, Starters, variable speed motors.

o Understand programming of various operating systems. Specifically, but not limited to:

§ Logix, Quantum, Allen Bradley, GForce, KE2

# Complete understanding of processes:

o Vibration Analysis: How to conduct reading, reading reports

o Oil Analysis: Correct way to sample, understanding reports

o Laser Alignment: Correct way to align motors and compressors

o Water Test: How and where to pull sample

o Ammonia Sensor Calibrations: How to work with controls to avoid false alarms

o Component Inspections: Understand why and how to conduct correctly

#### Safety

o Take an active role in safety for entire company. Be part of safety committee or interested in activities that support safety committee.

#### **Certifications:**

o Class 5: Carbon, Stainless, Aluminum, Structural, dis-similar metals

o Brazing: Copper, dis-similar metals

o LEB/LEA

o Current on Ammonia Awareness Training

o CPR/ First Aid Card

o OSHA30

#### Mentor

o Lead by example

o Listen to team members and be their voice of reason

o Provide guidance and support through logic and vision

o Push company policies for work performance and safety

o Guide team to think outside of the box, while remaining in their assigned lane

#### Accountability

o Be proactive and committed to providing the best service possible.

o As a mentor and leader, you are looked upon to lead by example of remaining positive, proactive, and encouraging.

## Train Up

o Understand the individual needs of each Apprentice and new hire and work towards providing that training

o Communicate with Apprentices to guide them on their role within PermaCold.

### Available

o You are expected to be available and included in the on-call rotation to assist with emergencies and after hour customer needs at all times

### **Customer Relations/Sales/Communication**

o Able to accurately estimate follow up work on smaller projects (<30K)

o Clearly communicate with Dispatch on needs and work load

o Able to communicate clearly with customer on their system needs and future maintenance planning

o Be able to communicate with the customer to sell PermaCold on its values and knowledge. Give each a customer a reason to choose us

# Take a proactive, personal role in your continued education.

o Invest in yourself.

o Attending continual training courses