

Summary: The Breeder Facility Team Member will perform duties at the poultry breeding facility/barn. This position will ensure the highest quality of animal care and maintain the integrity of Meyer Hatchery at all times. It includes egg collection, cleaning, sorting general maintenance, egg delivery to hatchery shipping warehouse, and other assigned locations while maintaining the health of the breeder birds. The position has full-time and part-time employees.

Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Use humane animal handling techniques when caring for and handling breeder birds.
- Daily visual evaluation of all facility barns ensuring all equipment, barn conditions, temperatures, medications, waters and feeders are in order.
- Daily egg collection
- Clean nest eggs.
- Put away clean eggs from the prior day's collection.
- Record floor/nest eggs from each pen
- Maintain a high standard of cleanliness in each barn facility – sweeping, disposing of trash, assuring pens are clean and in excellent condition.
- Monitor the health and welfare of breeder birds.
- Implement, practice and uphold strict biosecurity measures.
- Other duties as assigned/required which may include but are not limited to: repairs and adjustments to barn systems, changing light bulbs and repairing watering dispensers.

Physical:

- Able to lift and carry up to 50 pounds
- Standing all shift
- Walking, bending, crouching
- Sweeping, washing equipment/feeders using extensive hand, shoulder and arm motion.
- Adaptable to outdoor climate conditions
- Adaptable to the barn environment, including dust, and chemicals

Compensation:

- Hourly based on skill set and experience
- Paid Time Off, Vacation and Personal
- Medical Benefits