



## **Exciting new opportunity for a Resident Veterinary Surgeon**

**Join a dedicated team in the rehabilitation and ongoing care of over 160 rescued Asiatic black and Malayan sun bears at Animals Asia's Vietnam Bear Rescue Centre.**

We are seeking a veterinary surgeon to join the Bear and Vet Team, located at the Vietnam Bear Rescue Centre (VBRC), Tam Dao National Park, approximately 90 minutes from the capital Hanoi. VBRC is the only sanctuary in Vietnam accredited by the Global Federation of Animal Sanctuaries (GFAS).

The resident veterinary position involves shared responsibility for providing extensive veterinary care to the bears while working closely with our veterinary nurses and bear management team. The position also involves outreach activities with local communities, capacity building with local wildlife rescue centers and zoos, and working alongside and providing on-the-job training for a Vietnamese veterinary intern. The vet and nurse team also provide care for the companion animals of staff and local communities, including vaccines, desexing, and general veterinary care, comprising approximately 30% of the week.

The resident veterinary surgeon will report to the senior veterinary surgeon.

Please contact our HR department at [hrhkg@animalsasia.org](mailto:hrhkg@animalsasia.org) for further details and a full job description for this position.

For more information about Animals Asia please visit our website [www.animalsasia.org](http://www.animalsasia.org).

### **Requirements**

- At least 3 years work experience in a small or mixed veterinary practice, zoological facility, specialist referral centre, or similar working environment.
- Excellent clinical and organizational skills, attention to detail, an aptitude for problem-solving medicine and self-directed learning, and plenty of initiative and flexibility.
- Excellent communication skills and the ability to live and work closely with the rest of the team comprising both western and local staff.
- Cultural sensitivity and a history of working abroad, plus a background in captive wildlife management or charitable veterinary work are beneficial.
- Suitable candidates must be able to commit for a minimum of 2 years.

Appointment is paid, full-time, five (5) days a week with some weekend work applicable.

**The following items are included in your full-time contract**

On-site accommodation  
Relocation assistance  
Emergency medical insurance  
Paid holidays

**How to apply**

Interested parties please forward your cover letter (stating the applied position), CV with your current and expected salary and completed [Job Application form](#) to: [hrhkg@animalsasia.org](mailto:hrhkg@animalsasia.org). Please include your name in the subject line of the email. Only shortlisted candidates will be notified.

We are an equal opportunity employer and welcome applications from all qualified candidates. Personal data collected will be treated in strict confidence and used solely for recruitment purposes.

Closing date: 9 July, 2017



# JOB APPLICATION FORM (CN&VN)

## APPLICANTS DETAILS:

Applicants Full name:

Date of Application:     /     /

Position you are applying for:

Position Location:      Chengdu, China      Tam Dao, Vietnam

Current Address:

Home Phone (include country + area code):

Mobile Phone:

Email Address:

Nationality:

Sex:    Male    Female

Date of Birth:     /     /

Medical Condition (Please state, i.e. allergies, asthma, heart condition, etc):

Further Details about Medical Condition:

Do you take medication for your medical condition:    Yes    No

If yes, what medication (please state):

Have you ever suffered a psychological or psychiatric illness:    Yes    No

If yes, please state:

Are you currently vaccinated against Rabies:    Yes    No

What are your current vaccinations:

How did you hear about this job opening?

## AAF OFFICE USE ONLY:

Received Job Application form for .....position:    Yes    No     Date:

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Received Cover Letter via e-mail:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	Date: / /
Received CV via e-mail:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	Date: / /

- IMPORTANT NOTES**
1. Please place the "Position Title" you are applying for in the subject heading, fill in and attach the saved job application form, cover letter, CV and selection criteria for the position and send to: [hrhkg@animalsasia.org](mailto:hrhkg@animalsasia.org)
  2. The information collected above will be used only for the purpose of assessing your application for employment with Animals Asia Foundation and will not be disclosed for any other purpose.
  3. Please refer to Useful Information for Applicants with Animals Asia Foundation to assist you with your application.