This is a permanent full-time position located at the National Zoological Park's Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute (SCBI) in Front Royal, Virginia. The Associate Veterinarian serves as a clinical and research veterinarian for SCBI and reports to the Supervisory Veterinary Medical Officer within the Department of Conservation Medicine. The Associate Veterinarian, in conjunction with the Supervisory Veterinary Medical Officer, manages all aspects of the clinical veterinary health program while promoting new conservation medicine initiatives and current veterinary studies at SCBI. Approximately 70-80% of this position will focus on the preventive and diagnostic care of the collection animals, assisting with on-site collaborative research, and the veterinary care aspects of captive species propagation for wild release. The remaining 20-30% of the position responsibilities will be developed by the Associate Veterinarian, in consultation with the Supervisory Veterinary Medical Officer, in areas of conservation medicine, teaching/mentorship, and/or individualized research.

Salary range: $94,796 to $123,234 / per year

Minimum qualifications: Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM, VMD, or foreign equivalents). Experience equivalent to one-year full-time clinical practice in zoo/wildlife medicine.

How to apply: Go to https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/476094600. Applications must be submitted through the USAJOBS website, using the USAJOBS resume builder. A Curriculum Vitae may also be uploaded in addition to the required resume. To be considered, applicants MUST provide the following items in their application:

- Detailed resume created in the USAJOBS Resume Builder.
- Unofficial transcripts and/or proof of U.S. accreditation for foreign study must be submitted in order to receive further consideration.
- Veterans: Proof of Veteran's Preference - DD214 (Member 4 Copy), if you are a veteran. Additionally, applicants claiming 10-point preference must complete Standard Form (SF) 15, Application for 10-Point Veteran Preference, as well as additional documentation required by the SF-15, such as a VA letter.

To apply and for a full description of the position, responsibilities, and benefits, go to https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/476094600. Please note that a PhD or equivalent research degree is NOT a requirement for this position.

Additional information regarding SCBI programs and collection animals can be found here, https://nationalzoo.si.edu/conservation.

Please contact Dr. Kelly Helmick (helmickk@si.edu) for any questions regarding the position or application process.

The position closes on **August 24, 2017**.