**FEDERAL WORK STUDY
JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Job Title:** Graduate Laboratory Assistant  
**Department:** Health Promotion, Social and Behavioral Health

**Number of Positions:** multiple  
**Contact Person:** Ghada Soliman, MD, PhD, RD

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**Duties and Responsibilities:** Duties include assisting in a basic science laboratory, preparing solutions and performing procedures following set protocols. Responsibilities include assisting with biochemical and molecular biology techniques including Western Blot, cell proliferation assays, Immunohistochemistry, flow cytometry, Immunofluorescence and Confocal Microscopy, PCR and DNA analysis.

**Special Skills Required:** Basic laboratory training, compliance with laboratory safety procedures is required, and cell culture skills are preferred.

**Supervisor (If different than Contact name listed above):** Same

**Number of hours/week per position:** 20 hrs/week in Fall 2016-Spring 2017 semesters  
Not more than 20 hours per week while student in enrolled in classes.  
Maximum is 40 hours per week during summer term or during breaks as long as it does not conflict with student school schedule.

To be considered employed in a community service job for FWS purposes; an FWS student does not have to provide a “direct” service. The student must provide services that are designed to improve the quality of life for community residents or to solve particular problems related to those residents’ needs. A school may use its discretion to determine what jobs provide indirect or direct service to the community.

**Do you consider this position to be a community service job? ____No____

**Contact:** Students will schedule interviews with your department. When you have selected a student to work in your area, contact Meghan Moore, UNMC Office of Financial Aid, Student Life Center, Campus Zip 984265, (402) 559-3123 or meghanmoore@unmc.edu

Approved by the Financial Aid Office  
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