

Gila County has open full-time position in Globe, Arizona:

Environmental Health Specialist – Responsible for inspecting restaurants, hotels/motels, food stores, food manufacturing and storage facilities, food vending machines and other permitted facilities for appropriate refrigeration temperature, signs of pest infestation, cleanliness, proper food protection and compliance with smoking regulations. Will review, instruct and educate employees on proper hygiene and food handling and processing techniques. Responds to complaints from the public regarding garbage, debris, sanitary problems, vermin, smoking and related issues. Makes on-site visits to validate the nature of the complaint, and follows-up with enforcement activities as required. Issues notices of violation as required and for mitigation or improvement. Ensures compliance with environmental regulations, ordinances, laws and standards. Monitors and investigates potential/actual food borne illness complaints and outbreaks. Identifies hazardous foods and environments, examines biological specimens. Issues permits for operation of food establishments, pet shops, hotels/motels and swimming pools. Provides information to enforcement personnel regarding environmental standards, advises government, industrial and individual owners regarding community health and vector control. May conduct vector borne disease surveillance activities including mosquito trapping and monitoring for West Nile virus. Prepares and maintains environmental documentation, records and files, and submits required reports. Maintains accurate files and records.

Requires weekly travel to local and regional sites in Gila County, Arizona.

Bachelor's Degree in Environmental Technology Management, and six (6) months of experience required. Email resume to modriscoll@gilacountyaz.gov. Include job code "GCEW"