

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Job Title: Spray Applicator/Farmer
Reports to: Farm Manager
Location: Healy, Kansas



Position Overview

Main focus is spraying (March through first part of August) and the rest of the year person will assist in all crop production operations. A person who has experience operating larger late model JD precision equipment. The majority of sprayed acres will be within a 45-mile radius, 22-30,000 acres. Person needs to be conscientious and very aware of surrounding during application. Need good experience with routine maintenance and general repair and a CDL is a must. Good employer with good opportunity to grow with a progressive farm producer.

About Sharp Bros. Seed Company

Sharp Bros. Seed Co. is a family owned seed company that has been in business in Healy, Kansas since 1958. Today we continue to work out of our newly renovated office in Healy. Our facilities, like our company have grown over the years, but with our 50 person staff we have stayed grounded in our roots of a small town business with a big business operation. The Sharp family has been in the seed business since 1908, over the years we have added new product lines, but we started with sorghums and native grasses, developing our own variety of Buffalograss, we sell also wheat, milo, corn, cover crops, alfalfa, wildflowers, turf, etc. Sharp Bros. Seed Co. has a dealer network in Kansas, as well as locations in Nebraska, Colorado, Oklahoma, and Texas.

General responsibilities include, but are not limited to

- Communicate daily activities, needs, & accomplishments with manager
- Apply agronomy products to fields including dry and liquid fertilizer, and chemicals
- Assist in maintenance of facility grounds including mowing, spraying weeds and moving snow
- Assist with outbound and inbound agronomy products
- Operate all equipment & vehicles according to local, state, and federal laws
- Ensure Safety compliance
- Maintain & record maintenance of application equipment, tending equipment, pickups and side dress units
- Record daily application logs
- Assist with measure and counting of inventory of dry and liquid fertilizers, and chemicals
- Need to be a self-starter and able to work a flexible schedule during spray season

Qualifications

- 3-5 year experienced sprayer applicator
- Good math skills
- Able to read and follow chemical labels
- Good preventative maintenance and general repair skills
- Have CDL/Hazmat Preferred
- Good agronomic skills
- Experience operating large late model row crop precision equipment
- Private applicators license required, commercial applicators license preferred
- Ability to sit, stand, walk, reach with arms and hands, climb or balance, stoop, kneel, crouch or crawl. Able to occasionally lift and carry up to 50 lbs

Benefits

- Work Vehicle
- Cellphone
- Paid Vacation
- 401k available
- Single-health insurance offered

Please send resumes to careers@sharpseed.com

Only qualified individuals being considered will be contacted for an interview.