



NPMA SkillBridge Internship Description Pest Control Service Technician

Overview: This SkillBridge training opportunity is designed to provide transitioning service members with comprehensive training in the field of pest control service. Participants will gain hands-on experience, technical knowledge, and practical skills required to excel in this industry. This program is an excellent fit for those interested in a rewarding career that involves problem-solving, customer service, and environmental stewardship.

Duration: 8-10 weeks

Locations: Throughout the U.S.

Eligibility

- Active-duty service members within 180 days of separation or retirement.
- Open to all branches of the U.S. military.

What You Will Learn

- Technical Proficiency: Develop a strong foundation in pest identification, biology, and behavior.
- Application Techniques: Learn safe and effective methods for pest control, including pesticide application, trapping, and exclusion.
- Regulatory Compliance: Understand and adhere to local, state, and federal regulations governing pest control operations.
- *Customer Service Skills*: Enhance communication, interpersonal, and conflict resolution skills to provide exceptional service to clients.
- *Safety Protocols*: Master industry-specific safety practices and procedures to ensure a secure work environment for both technicians and clients.
- Equipment Operation: Gain proficiency in the use of specialized equipment and technology employed in pest control operations.
- Business Operations: Gain understanding of all aspects of the pest control business and team.

Benefits:

- *Mentorship*: Access to experienced pest control technicians, business owners and other military veterans in pest control for guidance and support.
- Networking: Opportunities to connect with industry professionals and potential employers.
- *Potential Employment*: Candidates who successfully complete the program may be offered full-time employment with benefits.