

Data Center Operations (DCO) Technician

On-site in Northern Virginia

6-Month Contract-to-Hire

ABOUT THE ROLE

Our client is seeking a Data Center Operations Technician to support a large-scale, enterprise data center environment. This role is ideal for experienced technicians who thrive in mission-critical environments and enjoy hands-on hardware troubleshooting. You will play a key role in maintaining high-availability infrastructure, responding to operational incidents, and ensuring compliance with safety and operational standards. This is an excellent opportunity to join a dynamic team, gain exposure to advanced technologies, and build a long-term career in data center operations.

WHAT YOU'LL DO

- Perform advanced server hardware troubleshooting and break/fix support
- Diagnose and replace components including CPUs, GPUs, memory, power supplies, and networking hardware
- Support rack and stack activities, hardware installations, and structured cabling/labeling
- Respond to infrastructure tickets and operational incidents in a timely manner
- Maintain compliance with data center operational and safety standards
- Collaborate within a fast-paced, high-availability environment

WHAT YOU BRING

- Experience in a data center environment OR strong hands-on IT infrastructure support experience
- Server hardware troubleshooting and break/fix experience
- Familiarity with enterprise hardware components (CPUs, GPUs, operating systems)
- Ability to work independently and take ownership of technical issues
- Comfortable working in a dynamic, high-urgency environment
- Experience in enterprise or hyperscale data centers (preferred)
- CompTIA A+ certification (preferred)
- Security+ or Network+ certification (preferred)
- Military technical background (preferred)

WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU

- Opportunity to support large-scale, mission-critical infrastructure
- Structured onboarding and hands-on training
- Path to long-term employment based on performance