

Gabriel Hollis

COMMERCIAL PEST CONTROL TECHNICIAN

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Summary

Commercial pest control technician with 5 years of service, the last 3 dedicated to food plants, warehouses and restaurants in the Chicago area. Runs integrated pest management programs that pass third-party food safety audits, with a 96% average audit pest score across 40 accounts. Licensed by the Illinois Department of Public Health.

Skills

- Integrated Pest Management • Commercial Pest Control • Food Safety Audits • Rodent Monitoring • Insect Light Traps
- Stored Product Pests • Pesticide Application • Service Documentation • Customer Service • Attention to Detail

Experience

Commercial Pest Control Technician

03/2023 - Present

Lakeshore Commercial Pest Services

Chicago, IL

Commercial division of a regional pest company serving food, healthcare and logistics accounts.

- Manage **40** commercial accounts, including 6 food processing plants, on weekly and monthly schedules.
- Check rodent monitoring stations, insect light traps and pheromone monitors, then trend activity for each client.
- Build audit binders and corrective action reports that helped all 6 plants pass AIB and SQF food safety audits.
- Control stored product pests and German cockroaches after hours with targeted pesticide application.

Pest Control Technician

07/2021 - 02/2023

Prairie State Pest Control

Elmhurst, IL

Mixed residential and small business route in DuPage County.

- Serviced 14 residential and small business accounts a day across DuPage County.
- Sealed rodent entry points at 35 restaurants and retail stores, cutting monthly catches by about half.
- Responded to 10+ urgent calls a week for wasps, mice and cockroaches, often the same day.
- Wrote service documentation with photos and sanitation notes for every commercial visit.

Warehouse Associate

09/2019 - 06/2021

Midway Cold Storage

Bedford Park, IL

Shift associate at a refrigerated food distribution warehouse.

- Picked and staged 150+ food cases per shift by lot code for grocery deliveries.
- Reported pest sightings and damaged pallets to the sanitation lead during each shift.
- Rotated stock first-in, first-out across 3 freezer zones to meet customer lot rules.

Education

High School Diploma

06/2019

Lane Tech College Prep High School

Chicago, IL

General Studies

Certificates

Structural Pest Control Technician License

09/2021

Illinois Department of Public Health