Job Evaluation Rating Document

CUPE, SEIU, SGEU, SAHO	Job Title	Laboratory Scientist I	Code
	Date	December 12, 2018	
SEIU WEST	Revised Date	September 14, 2021	522
sgeu	Revised Date		

Decision Making	Degree
Testing is performed as per guidelines established by the Province of Saskatchewan. Choice of action utilized when processing/transporting specimens.	
	3.0

Education	Degree
Grade 12. Baccalaureate of Science Degree with a major in defined science and required courses (Major dependent on specific specialty area, e.g., Chemistry required in Chemistry, Microbiology in Microbiology, etc).	6.0

Experience	Degree
No previous experience. Twelve (12) months on-the-job experience to become familiar with facility-specific equipment, various test procedures and department policies and procedures.	
	4.0

Independent Judgement	Degree
Laboratory duties are performed in accordance with provincial standards. Exercises judgement in testing, calibration, troubleshooting, preventative maintenance and minor repairs of equipment. Performs additional tests based on diagnostic evidence.	4.0

Working Relationships	Degree
Regular contact with clients and government agencies requiring tact and discretion.	
	3.0

Impact of Action	Degree
Delays in test results may require re-testing and may cause substantial delays in follow-up treatment. Improper handling of infectious material, chemicals, sharps or improper disposal of biohazardous material may cause serious discomfort.	3.0

Leadership and/or Supervision	Degree
Provides occasional guidance to the primary function of others, including training.	
	2.0

Physical Demands	Degree
Regular physical effort walking, standing, testing, with periods of coordination of fine or coarse movements.	

Sensory Demands	Degree
Frequent sensory demands while performing laboratory procedures which require concentration on fine precision work such as testing, computer and microscope.	
	3.0

Environment	Degree
Frequent exposure to major disagreeable conditions/hazards such as chemicals, blood/body fluids, sharps and infectious diseases.	
	5.0