

# **Provincial** Job Description

*TITLE:* (035) Laundry Services Worker

PAY BAND: 5

FOR FACILITY USE:

## SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Provides laundry-related services to all departments and facilities for clients, patients, residents and staff.

# **QUALIFICATIONS:**

• Grade 10

## KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Basic computer skills
- Ability to work independently
- Valid driver's license, where required by the job

## **EXPERIENCE:**

• <u>Previous:</u> No previous experience.

# **KEY ACTIVITIES:**

## A. Collection

- Gathers and porters soiled laundry/linen to laundry room (e.g., using carts and slings/mono-rails).
- Weighs laundry/linen, documents and reports weights.

### B. Sorting and Processing

- Sorts soiled laundry/linen and pre-treats stains.
- Loads and unloads washers and dryers.
- Selects/programs appropriate wash/dryer cycle and detergents/chemicals.
- ♦ Sorts, irons.
- Folds, checks quality of linens for repair or replacement.
- Sorts, cleans, stocks carts.

### C. Distribution

- Organizes and stocks laundry carts.
- Porters clean linen to wards, closets and carts.
- Transports/porters clean laundry/linen to facilities, wards, closets and carts.
- Delivers clean laundry/linen to client/patient/resident rooms, puts into drawers, hangs in closets.

#### D. Related Key Work Activities

- Stores, records and tracks laundry/linen.
- Maintains inventory (e.g., orders chemicals and sewing supplies).
- Launders mops, cleaning cloths, privacy curtains and drapes.
- Ensures proper labeling of clothing and laundry/linen (e.g., Thermopatch or hand labeling).
- Cleans work area and equipment (e.g., washers, dryers, carts).
- Addresses telephone requests.
- Performs pre-scheduled washing (e.g., curtains).
- Disposes of sharps, broken glass and biohazardous waste, as per department procedures and policies.
- May show others how to perform tasks or duties by familiarizing new employees with the work area and processes.
- Performs basic mending and alterations.
- Sizes, orders, receives, mends, launders and distributes uniforms.
- Secures laundry area.

The above statements reflect the general details considered necessary to describe the principal functions of the job and shall not be construed as a detailed description of all related work assignments that may be inherent to the job.

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