

# Provincial Job Description

TITLE: PAY BAND:

(092) Environmental Services Worker 5

## **FOR FACILITY USE:**

## **SUMMARY OF DUTIES:**

Provides a clean, sanitary and safe environment for clients/patients/residents, staff and visitors.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

♦ Grade 10

## KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

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

## **EXPERIENCE**:

♦ Previous: No previous experience.

## **KEY ACTIVITIES:**

## A. Cleaning Duties

- ♦ Cleans, sanitizes/disinfects all areas, equipment and floors according to established procedures.
- Ensures infection control, isolation techniques and universal precautions are followed.
- ♦ Performs and documents daily, weekly, monthly and annual cleaning.
- ♦ Cleans walls, ceilings, fixtures, furniture and equipment.
- ♦ Cleans windows (interior and exterior), ledges, sills, curtains, drapes and vertical blinds.
- ♦ Cleans, vents, heat registers, light fixtures, fans, air return ducts.
- ♦ Cleans sinks, toilets, showers, bathtubs, mirrors, shelves and whirlpool tub.
- ♦ Cleans cupboards, doorknobs, handrails, light switches, sprinklers, counters, garbage cans, fridges.
- ♦ Cleans specific areas (e.g., operating rooms, labour and delivery, trauma rooms, laboratory, x-ray, offices, dining rooms, patient/resident rooms and items).
- **♦** Discharge cleaning and bed making.
- ♦ Maintains floors dry/wet mop, burnish, vacuum, strip, seal and finish, auto scrub.
- ♦ Maintains carpets and mats vacuum, spot clean and shampoo.
- ♦ Ensures mops, cleaning cloths, privacy curtains and drapes are cleaned
- ♦ Cleans stairwells and elevators.
- ♦ Cleans and maintains equipment (e.g., vacuums, burnishers and auto scrubber).
- **♦** Collects and disposes of garbage.
- ♦ May clean stretchers, IV poles/pumps and other patient equipment (e.g., wheelchairs, Geri chairs, footstools, canes/walkers, commodes).

#### **B.** Related Key Work Activities

- ♦ May show others how to perform tasks or duties by familiarizing new employees with the work area and processes.
- ♦ Prepares cleaning solutions (e.g., dilutes, titration checks).
- ♦ Collects and porters soiled linen and garbage.
- **♦** Delivers and porters supplies and stock.
- ♦ Orders, receives and distributes clean linen.
- ♦ Launders/hangs curtains/drapes.
- ♦ Provides plant care water, re-pot, clean artificial plants.
- ♦ Disposes of sharps, broken glass and biohazardous waste, as per department procedures and policies.
- **♦** May perform seasonal decorating.
- ♦ Secures areas (unlocks/locks doors).
- **♦** Moves furniture and equipment.
- ♦ Sets up and dismantles meeting rooms (e.g., tables, chairs audiovisual equipment).

- ♦ Orders, receives and distributes paper, cleaning supplies and equipment.
- ♦ Checks and re-stocks bathroom supplies (e.g., paper towels, toilet paper, soap).
- ♦ Collects recyclables (e.g., paper and cardboard).
- ♦ Operates garbage compactor, cardboard baler.
- Reports any unsafe conditions or maintenance concerns.
- **♦** Provides input into policies and procedures.
- Ensures maintenance requisitions are completed.
- ♦ May measure, select and order drapes, verticals, curtains and floor mats.
- ♦ May represent department/facility at meetings.
- ♦ May do replacement scheduling according to a predetermined call-in list.
- ♦ May assist client/patients/residents with meals (e.g., opens and unwraps containers, toast, cuts meat)
- ♦ Participates in a variety of audits and surveys.

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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