

# **Provincial** Job Description

# TITLE:PAY BAND:(194) Nuclear Medicine Technologist II17

FOR FACILITY USE:

SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Prepares radiopharmaceuticals and performs technical procedures utilizing radiation and/or radioactive materials for the diagnosis and tracking of disease and pathology. Coordinates workflow and maintains inventory.

# **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Nuclear Medicine Technology diploma
  - Certified and Registered by Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists
  - Licensed and Registered with College of Medical Radiation and Imaging Professionals of Saskatchewan

# KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Intermediate computer skills
- ♦ Interpersonal skills
- Organizational skills
- Communications skills
- Leadership skills
- Analytical skills
- Ability to work independently

## **EXPERIENCE:**

• <u>Previous:</u> Twenty-four (24) months previous experience as a Nuclear Medicine Technologist to consolidate knowledge and skills.

## **KEY ACTIVITIES:**

#### A. Diagnostic and Therapeutic Procedures

- Assists/transports, assesses, screens, prepares, instructs and positions patient.
- Monitors patients during procedures.
- ♦ Starts/administers various media/radiopharmaceuticals/medications.
- Performs diagnostic and therapeutic procedures (e.g., bone densitometry).
- Modifies technical data to ensure complete series of diagnostic tests are obtained for physician to view and interpret.
- Performs various laboratory procedures (e.g., collecting, pipetting, labeling, separation and

tagging).

- Provides occasional guidance to the primary function of others, including training.
- Assists physicians during interventional and sterile procedures.
- Participates in research projects.

#### B. **Quality Assurance/Quality Control**

- Participates and monitors Quality Assurance/Quality Control programs as required by local protocols and government regulations.
- Follows preventative maintenance programs by maintaining instrument logs.
- Cleans, maintains, troubleshoots and calibrates diagnostic equipment according to established standards.
- Records radiopharmaceutical information for the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission.
- Follows radiation safety protocols in accordance with the Medical Radiation Health and Safety Act.

#### C. Administration

- Provides functional advice/technical expertise and problem solving.
- Directs workflow on the floor/area.
- Provides input into the research, development and maintenance of policies and procedures.
- Maintains and develops department computer systems.
- Assists in ongoing staff development.
- Maintains inventory and orders supplies.

#### D. Related Key Work Activities

- Retrieves, files and distributes requisitions, images and reports.
- Maintains daily log of patients and examinations.
- Disposes of records and films.
- Performs computer work (e.g., data entry, back-up).
- Responds to telephone calls and inquiries from physicians/patients and other staff members.
- Prepares and maintains chemical mixtures.
- Disposes of radioactive and biohazardous waste, as per departmental procedures and policies.
- Prepares statistical reports

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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