Job Evaluation Rating Document

CUPE, SEIU, SGEU, SAHO	Job Title	Newborn Hearing Screener	Code
	Date	November 2010 - Interim	
SEIU WEST	Revised Date	December 5, 2014	442
SGEU	Revised Date	June 16, 2022	

Decision Making	Degree
Follows established guidelines for newborn hearing screens. Has the ability to prioritize work. Patient's condition (e.g., fussy, noisy) may necessitate discretion on how to best provide service and not delay screenings.	3.0

Education	Degree
Grade 12. Speech Language & Pathologist Assistant diploma (Medicine Hat College 1408 hours).	
	3.5

Experience	Degree
No previous experience. Twelve (12) months on the job to establish working relationships with other staff, patients/families and professionals, and to become familiar with operating related equipment/procedures and department policies and procedures.	4.0

Independent Judgement	Degree
Hearing screens are defined by standard practices and procedures. Minor operating problems regarding prioritization of caseload are resolved with limited analysis. Direction is sought when apparent solutions are outside established protocols.	3.0

Working Relationships	Degree
Requires tact and discretion in performing and providing hearing screening results to parents/ family members and staff. Secures cooperation of infants and parents/family members to perform newborn hearing screens.	4.0

Impact of Action	Degree
Conducts hearing screens within service requirements. Inaccuracies in information/maintenance of records/equipment could result in delay of succeeding services.	2.0

Leadership and/or Supervision	Degree	
May show others how to perform tasks or duties by familiarizing new employees with the work area and processes.		
	1.0	

Physical Demands	Degree
Regular effort of accurate fine hand/eye coordination placing hearing devices in infants ears, with periods of prolonged standing and bending.	
	2.0

Sensory Demands	Degree
Regular sensory effort while testing/observing infants and computer operation.	
	2.5

Environment	Degree
Occasional major disagreeable conditions such as blood/body fluids, interruptions and exposure to infectious disease.	
	3.0