

Provincial Job Description

TITLE: (450) Phlebotomist

PAY BAND: 9

FOR FACILITY USE:

SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Responsible for specimen collection, handling and data entry.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Grade 12
- Phlebotomy Applied Certificate

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Intermediate data entry skills
- Basic computer skills
- ♦ Communication skills
- Interpersonal skills
- Ability to work independently
- Valid driver's license, where required by the job

EXPERIENCE:

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

KEY ACTIVITIES:

- A. Specimen Procurement/Accessioning/Pre-Analytical Specimen Handling
- Prepares patient for specimen procurement (e.g., identification, consent, medical condition, instruction of procedure).
- Perform micro-collection on newborns.
- Enters requisition data and prints bar code labels.
- Collects, labels and prepares samples according to priority.
- Collecting diagnostic specimens for legal alcohols and ensuring legal documentation is complete.
- Completes requisitions for testing, enters patient data and tests requests for daily routine specimen collections.
- Transports samples within facility or packaging for external transport.
- Assesses specimen integrity and or adequacy.
- Performs various protocols and procedures for research.

B. **Quality Assurance/Quality Control**

- Participates in Quality Assurance/Quality Control programs as required by government regulations and local protocols.
- Ensures proper disposal of specimens, reagents and biohazardous waste, as per department policies and procedures.
- Ensures all work complies with CSA Infection Control (e.g., disinfects benches, countertops, sinks, cupboards and equipment).
- C. <u>Related Key Work Activities</u>
- Performs various clerical duties (e.g., fax, photocopy, scanning, process/file reports, distribute results, book appointments, answer telephone).

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.

Validating Signatures:

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