

Provincial Job Description

TITLE: PAY BAND:

(508) Telecommunications Networking Technician 12

FOR FACILITY USE:

SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Establishes communications systems by installing, maintaining, troubleshooting and repairing a wide range of telecommunications equipment and computer-network cabling.

QUALIFICATIONS:

♦ Computer Automated Systems Technician diploma

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- **♦** Intermediate computer skills
- **♦** Analytical skills
- **♦** Problem solving skills
- **♦** Decision making skills
- **♦** Ability to work independently
- ♦ Organizational skills
- **♦** Communication skills
- **♦** Interpersonal skills
- ♦ Valid driver's license

EXPERIENCE:

♦ Previous: No previous experience.

KEY ACTIVITIES:

A. Telecommunications Equipment and Computer-Network Cabling

- ♦ Plans network installations by studying customer orders, plans, manuals and technical specifications.
- ♦ Prepares an installation diagram, assesses installation site, orders and gathers equipment, supplies, materials and tools.
- ♦ Establishes voice and data networks by running, pulling, terminating and splicing cables.
- ♦ Installs telecommunications equipment including routers, switches, multiplexors, cable trays and alarm and fire-suppression systems.
- ♦ Builds ironwork and ladder racks.
- ♦ Establishes connections, programming features and integrations following industry standards; activates remote access tools.
- ♦ Verifies service by testing circuits, equipment and alarms; identifying, correcting or escalating problems.
- ♦ Documents network by labeling and routing equipment and cables and recording configuration diagrams and specifications.
- ♦ Maintains network by troubleshooting and repairing outages, testing network back-up procedures and updating documentation.
- **♦** Liaises and communicates with contractors, vendors and suppliers for parts, technical assistance and service.
- ♦ Orders, verifies and maintains inventory stock.

B. Related Key Work Activities

- **♦** Coordinates contract work and participates in facility renovations.
- ♦ Ensures all work complies with Canadian Standards Act (CSA) infection control standards.
- ♦ Provides occasional guidance to the primary function of others, including training.
- ♦ Provides technical direction with all network installations.

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