New Mexico State Personnel Office



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Classification Description

HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONER AND TECHNICAL WORKER, ALL OTHER SUPERVISOR

Class Title	Class Code	Pay Band	Alt Pay Band*
Healthcare Practitioner & Tech Wkr Supv.	K9099S	65	

^{*}In accordance with SPB Rule 1.7.4.10 NMAC, the assignment to alternative pay bands shall be reviewed annually to determine their appropriateness.

Purpose

Devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two (2) full time equivalent employees**, acting upon leave requests, conducting annual performance evaluations and recommending disciplinary actions. Interviewing and recommending selection of applicants and conducting training of personnel. All healthcare practitioners and technical workers not listed separately.

Nature of Work

Healthcare Practitioner and Technical Worker Supervisor devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two (2) full time equivalent employees and keeps healthcare offices running efficiently. They apply knowledge of and/or interpret basic principles, rules, regulations, policies, guidelines, and objectives specific to a program or professional subject area. Activities include technical budget detail, preparing budget documents, and overseeing compliance with federal, state, and local laws. They coordinate health programs and provide professional level program assistance to various public and community agencies and health professionals.

Distinguishing Characteristics

The omission of specific statements does not preclude management from assigning other duties which are reasonably within the scope of the duties.

- Devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two
 (2) permanent/full time employees. Acts upon leave requests, conducts annual performance
 evaluations and recommends disciplinary actions.
- Conducts training of personnel; may interview and recommend selection of applicants.
- Provides career coaching through mentoring and arranges for outside training opportunities when possible.
- Makes well-informed, effective, and timely decisions and perceives the impact and implications of those decisions.
- Makes point of view in a clear and convincing manner.
- Listens effectively and clarifies information as needed.
- Identifies and analyzes problems; weighs relevance and accuracy of information; generates and evaluates alternative solutions; makes recommendations.
- Writes in a clear and concise manner.

(For higher level, professional white collars jobs, add...)

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- Develops networks and builds alliance; collaborates across boundaries to build strategic relationships and achieve common goals.
- Builds and manages workforce based on organizational goals, budget considerations, and staffing needs
- Ensures that employees are appropriately recruited, selected, and appraised; addresses performance issues.
- Keeps up to date on occupationally specific technological developments; makes effective use of technology to achieve results.
- Employees in this Role, manage a health-related program activity of moderate to broad scope, direct the development of program goals, priorities, procedures, operating manuals, control and reporting systems and ensures that federal, state, and local laws are complied with.
- Employees direct ongoing health-related program evaluation; approve changes affecting the program; responsible for program related budget; and coordinate activities with other agency units.

Recommended Education and Experience for Full Performance

Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Healthcare Administration, Statistics, or Finance an two (2) years of experience with a public assistance program, medical, healthcare, educational or state facility working with policies and procedures, conducting analysis/research and/or providing or requesting information from the general public, one (1) year of which must be supervisory. Any combination of education from an accredited college or university in a related field and/or direct experience in this occupation totaling six (6) years may substitute for the required education and experience.

Minimum Qualifications

Associates degree in Business Administration, Healthcare Administration, Statistics, or Finance and three (3) years of experience with a public assistance program, medical, healthcare, educational or state facility working with policies and procedures, conducting analysis/research and/or providing or requesting information from the general public. Any combination of education from an accredited college or university in a related field and/or direct experience in this occupation totaling five (5) years may substitute for the required education and experience.

Knowledge and Skills

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Knowledge

Leadership - Knowledge of leading through influence and persuasion by establishing mutual trust, respect, and loyalty, through shared beliefs, values, and goals; Being cognizant of subordinates' needs, goals, and aspirations, and to carefully consider these personal variables when making decisions.

Biology — Knowledge of plant and animal organisms, their tissues, cells, functions, interdependencies, and interactions with each other and the environment.

Medicine and Dentistry — Knowledge of the information and techniques needed to diagnose and treat human injuries, diseases, and deformities. This includes symptoms, treatment alternatives, drug properties and interactions, and preventive health-care measures.

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Psychology — Knowledge of human behavior and performance; individual differences in ability, personality, and interests; learning and motivation; psychological research methods; and the assessment and treatment of behavioral and affective disorders.

Therapy and Counseling — Knowledge of principles, methods, and procedures for diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation of physical and mental dysfunctions, and for career counseling and guidance.

English Language — Knowledge of the structure and content of the English language including the meaning and spelling of words, rules of composition, and grammar.

Customer and Personal Service — Knowledge of principles and processes for providing customer and personal services. This includes customer needs assessment, meeting quality standards for services, and evaluation of customer satisfaction.

Mathematics — Knowledge of arithmetic, algebra, geometry, calculus, statistics, and their applications.

Sociology and Anthropology — Knowledge of group behavior and dynamics, societal trends and influences, human migrations, ethnicity, cultures and their history and origins.

Education and Training — Knowledge of principles and methods for curriculum and training design, teaching and instruction for individuals and groups, and the measurement of training effects.

Clerical — Knowledge of administrative and clerical procedures and systems such as word processing, managing files and records, stenography and transcription, designing forms, and other office procedures and terminology.

Skills

Leadership - Displaying attributes that makes employees willing to follow; applying effort to increase productiveness in areas needing the most improvement; establishing a spirit of cooperation and cohesion for achieving goals; making the right things happen on time; providing performance feedback, coaching, and career development to individuals to maximize their probability of success; giving subordinates the authority to get things accomplished in the most efficient and timely manner.

Reading Comprehension — Understanding written sentences and paragraphs in work related documents.

Speaking — Talking to others to convey information effectively.

Active Listening — Giving full attention to what other people are saying, taking time to understand the points being made, asking questions as appropriate, and not interrupting at inappropriate times.

Complex Problem Solving — Identifying complex problems and reviewing related information to develop and evaluate options and implement solutions.

Critical Thinking — Using logic and reasoning to identify the strengths and weaknesses of alternative solutions, conclusions or approaches to problems.

Social Perceptiveness — Being aware of others' reactions and understanding why they react as they do.

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Writing — Communicating effectively in writing as appropriate for the needs of the audience.

Active Learning — Understanding the implications of new information for both current and future problem-solving and decision-making.

Judgment and Decision Making — Considering the relative costs and benefits of potential actions to choose the most appropriate one.

Monitoring — Monitoring/Assessing performance of yourself, other individuals, or organizations to make improvements or take corrective action.

Statutory Requirements: N/A

Conditions of Employment: Working Conditions for individual positions in this classification will vary based on each *agency's utilization*, *essential functions*, and the *recruitment needs* at the time a vacancy is posted. All requirements are subject to possible modification to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities.

Default FLSA Status: Exempt.

Bargaining Unit: Not covered

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Note: Classification description subject to change. Please refer to the SPO website <u>www.spo.state.nm.us</u> to ensure this represents the most current copy of the description.

^{**}Means two (2) or any combination of full-time equivalent (FTE) status that equals at least two (2) regular or term status employees in non-temporary positions.

^{***}Adapted from the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics and are intended to illustrate the typical education and experience required for this occupation. Not to be construed as minimum qualifications.