

# **Provincial** Job Description

*TITLE:* (098) Finance Assistant

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## FOR FACILITY USE:

SUMMARY OF DUTIES:

Performs a variety of general accounting duties.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

• Business certificate

## KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Intermediate computer skills
- Intermediate keyboarding skills
- ♦ Accounting skills
- Analytical skills
- Interpersonal skills
- Communication skills
- Ability to work independently
- Drivers license, where required by the job

## **EXPERIENCE:**

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

# **KEY ACTIVITIES:**

### A. Accounting / Financial

- Handles/balances cash and negotiable securities (e.g., cheques, money orders).
- Processes bank deposits.
- Maintains accurate records of basic financial transactions (e.g., patient trust accounts, petty cash, expense claims, journal entries).
- Assists with budget preparation.
- Matches invoices to purchase orders, clients, codes.
- Performs accounts receivable duties (e.g., prepares invoices).
- Reconciles client/vendor account statements, handles inquiries and discrepancies.
- Requisitions, prepares and distributes cheques.
- Enters data for various financial/taxation transactions and payroll records.
- Prepares reports (e.g., statistical).
- Creates new accounts as required (e.g., patient and non-patient accounts).
- Reviews patient discharge summaries for billing purposes.
- Follows up on unpaid accounts, second notices, collection agencies; writes off accounts (within prescribed limits).
- Receipts payments and codes.
- Liaises with outside agencies (e.g., insurance, ambulance, government agencies, vendors).
- Assists the auditor.

#### B. General Office Duties

- Performs clerical and reception duties (e.g., answer phone, photocopy, fax, scan, file, take minutes).
- Orders supplies.
- Processes mail.
- Processes transportation expenses.
- Assists with payroll and benefits.
- May show others how to perform tasks or duties by familiarizing new employees with the work area and processes.

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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