

# Administrative Assistant

Nursing

## JOB SUMMARY

This position is responsible for providing administrative support for division operations.

## **MAJOR DUTIES**

- Answers telephone and greets visitors and students; provides information and assistance; refers to appropriate personnel.
- Assists students with dropping and adding classes.
- Receives and processes student fees.
- Processes change of major forms.
- Processes all nursing program student applications.
- Processes student background checks, drug screenings and other admissions processes.
- Processes student and graduate surveys.
- Maintains division supplies; reorders as needed.
- Prepares reports, correspondence and memoranda.
- Assists in the preparation of class schedules.
- Maintains department files.
- Performs related duties as assigned.

## **KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED BY THE POSITION**

- Knowledge of modern office practices and procedures.
- Knowledge of college and department policies and procedures.
- Knowledge of computers and job-related software programs.
- Skill in prioritizing and organizing work.
- Skill in the use of such office equipment as a computer, scanner, fax machine, and copier.
- Skill in oral and written communication.

## SUPERVISORY CONTROLS

The Senior Administrative Assistant assigns work in terms of general instructions. The supervisor spot-checks completed work for compliance with procedures, accuracy, and the nature and propriety of the final results.

## GUIDELINES

Guidelines include college and division policies and procedures. These guidelines are generally clear and specific, but may require some interpretation in application.

## COMPLEXITY/SCOPE OF WORK

- The work consists of related administrative duties. Frequent interruptions contribute to the complexity of the position.
- The purpose of this position is to provide administrative support for division operations. Successful performance helps ensure the efficiency of those operations.

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## CONTACTS

- Contacts are typically with co-workers, other college employees, students, instructors, applicants, vendors, and members of the general public.
- Contacts are typically to give or exchange information, resolve problems, and provide services.

#### PHYSICAL DEMANDS/ WORK ENVIRONMENT

- The work is typically performed while sitting at a desk or table or while intermittently sitting, standing, or stooping. The employee occasionally lifts light and heavy objects and climbs ladders.
- The work is typically performed in an office.

## SUPERVISORY AND MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY

None.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Knowledge and level of competency commonly associated with completion of specialized training in the field of work, in addition to basic skills typically associated with a high school education.
- Sufficient experience to understand the basic principles relevant to the major duties of the position, usually associated with the completion of an apprenticeship/internship or having had a similar position for one to two years.