# **Auburn University Job Description**

 Job Title:
 Coord, Purchasing, Vet Med
 Level I
 Grade 29 \$25,000 - \$41,700

 Level II
 Grade 30 \$28,000 - \$46,700

Job Code: **ED16** 

FLSA status: Non-exempt

## Job Summary

Coordinates and oversees the purchasing and expenditures of supplies and services of the teaching hospital.

#### **Essential Functions**

- Conducts on-going analysis of hospital purchasing expenses and uses data to develop a purchasing consolidation plan designed to reflect continuous cost improvements.
- 2. Confers with vendors to obtain product or service information, such as price, availability, and delivery schedule.
- 3. Executes procurement of services and products.
- 4. Processes vendor invoices for payments.
- 5. Maintains records such as items or services purchases, cost of item, quality, and inventories; provides reports and assessments of data.
- 6. Assists departments in standardizing materials and supplies, discussing requirements and specifications.
- 7. May oversees the input of hospital purchases into inventory system and assists with yearly inventory reporting.

# **Supervisory Responsibility**

May supervise employees but supervision is not the main focus of the job.

The above essential functions are representative of major duties of positions in this job classification. Specific duties and responsibilities may vary based upon departmental needs. Other duties may be assigned similar to the above consistent with the knowledge, skills and abilities required for the job. Not all of the duties may be assigned to a position.

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# Job Family Levels Level Responsibility

Level	Responsibility	Knowledge	Education and Experience*
I	Duties require basic physical and mental skills and abilities, including use of hand tools, power tools or other equipment and use of basic math or reading skills.	Follows detailed instructions and procedures.	High school diploma or equivalent.
II	Duties require basic or advanced physical and mental skills and abilities, including use of hand tools, power tools, heavy machinery or other equipment and use of basic or intermediate math, reading or writing skills. Duties may require personal protective gear and/or knowledge of special safety or regulatory procedures.	Follows detailed instructions and procedures. May work under limited supervision, and prioritize tasks independently.	High school diploma or equivalent plus 2 years. Experience must include at least 2 years at the preceding level or equivalent.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  See the "Minimum Required Education and Experience" section of the job description for any substitutions that may be allowed for education and experience.

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## **Minimum Required Education and Experience**

**Level I** High school diploma or equivalent.

Level II High school diploma or equivalent plus 2 years. Experience must include at least 2 years at

the preceding level or equivalent.

### Focus of Education Focus of Experience

High School Diploma or equivalent Experience in equipment/materials purchasing and/or business office environment.

#### Substitutions allowed for Education:

Indicated education is required; no substitutions allowed.

#### Substitutions allowed for Experience:

When a candidate has the required education, but lacks the required experience, they may normally apply additional appropriate education toward the experience requirement, at a rate of one (1) year relevant education per year of required experience.

### **Certification or Licensure Requirements:**

None Required.

# **Physical Requirements/ADA**

Occasional and/or light lifting required. Limited exposure to elements such as heat, cold, noise, dust, dirt, chemicals, etc., but none to the point of being disagreeable. May involve minor safety hazards where likely result would be cuts, bruises, etc.

Routine deadlines; usually sufficient lead time; variance in work volume seasonal and predictable; priorities can be anticipated; some interruptions are present; involves occasional exposure to demands and pressures from persons other than immediate supervisor.

Job frequently requires sitting, talking, hearing, .

Job occasionally requires standing, walking, reaching, climbing or balancing, stooping/kneeling/crouching/crawling, handling objects with hands, and lifting up to 25 pounds.

Vision requirements: Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.

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