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## Auburn University Job Description

Job Title: **Mgr, Athletic Turf**

Job Family: No Family

Job Code: **NC08**

Grade AT07 \$50,300 - \$85,500

FLSA status: Exempt

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### Job Summary

Maintains the athletic fields and landscaping around athletic facilities.

### Essential Functions

1. Supervise and schedule turf grass maintenance practices.
2. Supervise and assist with pesticide applications.
3. Installs and maintains landscaping around baseball park, softball park, Jordan Hare Stadium, and other men's and women's athletic complexes.
4. Diagnoses turf problems such as diseases, insects, weeds, soil compaction and soil infertility.
5. Ensures that athletic fields are prepared for each event.
6. Analyzes weather forecasts to schedule routine maintenance and make rain delay decisions.
7. Assists with department budget preparation.
8. Complies with all applicable National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) and Southeastern Conference (SEC) regulations in the performance of job duties.

### Supervisory Responsibility

Full supervisory responsibility for other employees is a major responsibility and includes training, evaluating, and making or recommending pay, promotion or other employment decisions.

*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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### Minimum Required Education and Experience

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Focus of Education/Experience</u>
<b>Education</b>	Four-year college degree	Degree in Turf Management or related field
<b>Experience (yrs.)</b>	3	Experience in athletic field maintenance and/or preparation

#### Substitutions allowed for Education:

Indicated education is required; no substitutions allowed.

#### Substitutions allowed for Experience:

Indicated experience is required; no substitutions allowed.

#### Minimum Required Knowledge

Knowledge of turf grass management to include plant anatomy physiology, and soil physics.

#### Certification or Licensure Requirements

Pesticide Applicators License

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### Physical Requirements/ADA

Regularly involves lifting, bending or other physical exertion. Often exposed to one or more elements such as heat, cold, noise, dust, dirt, chemicals, etc., with one often to the point of being objectionable. Injuries may require professional treatment.

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 standing, walking, talking, hearing, handling objects with hands, .

Job occasionally requires sitting, reaching, stooping/kneeling/crouching/crawling, and lifting up to 50 pounds.

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

Date: 11/11/2010

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