Job Description

Title: Director, Student Health Services

Unit: Management

Range: 15

Synopsis: Updated Minimum Qualifications

Rational The minimum qualifications were updated to reflect those provided from the Chancellors Office.

Standardization and EDI language was added.

Incumbent 1 Vacancy

DIRECTOR, STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

DEFINITION

Under administrative direction, plans, organizes, manages, and provides administrative direction and oversight for all functions and activities of the Student Health Services Department, including physical and mental health, clinical services, health education and outreach efforts, first aid, and crisis intervention services; coordinates and directs communications, services, resources, and information to meet student health needs and ensure smooth and efficient department activities; coordinates assigned activities with other DistrictCollege divisions and departments, officials, and outside agencies; provides highly responsible and complex professional assistance to the Dean, Student ServicesAccess and Wellness in areas of expertise.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED

Receives administrative direction from the Dean, Student Services. The work provides for a wide variety of independent decision making, within legal and general policy and regulatory guidelines assigned managerial personnel. Exercises general direction and supervision over professional, technical, and administrative support staff.

CLASS CHARACTERISTICS

This is a Department Director classification that oversees, directs, and participates in all activities of the Student Health Services Department, including short—and long-term—planning and development and administration of departmental policies, procedures, and services. This class provides assistance to the Dean, Student ServicesAccess and Wellness in a variety of administrative, coordinative, analytical, and liaison capacities. Successful performance of the work requires knowledge of health and education policy and DistrictCollege functions and activities and the ability to develop, oversee, and implement projects and programs in a variety of areas. Responsibilities include coordinating the activities of the department with those of other divisions and departments and outside agencies, and managing and overseeing the complex and varied functions of the department.—The incumbent is accountable for accomplishing departmental planning and operational goals and objectives and for furthering DistrictCollege goals and objectives within general policy guidelines.

EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS (Illustrative Only)

- 1. Assumes full management responsibility for all Student Health Services Department programs, services, and activities, including review and evaluation of all accidents, emergencies, and crises to determine appropriateness of care provided, necessary follow-up with patients, and communication with Risk Management, Public Safety, Maintenance, staff and faculty, Administration, the Department of Health, policy, and emergency medical affiliated departments, stakeholders, public agencies and emergency services as needed.
- 2. Develops, directs, and coordinates the implementation of goals, objectives, policies, procedures, and work standards for the department; establishes, within DistrictCollege policy, appropriate budget, service, and staffing levels.
- 3. Manages and participates in the development and administration of the department's annual budgets and related grants; directs the forecast of additional funds needed for staffing, equipment, materials, and supplies; directs the monitoring of and approves expenditures; directs and implements adjustments as necessary.
- 4. Selects, trains, motivates, and directs department personnel; evaluates and reviews work for acceptability and conformance with department standards, including program and project priorities and

- performance evaluations; works with employees on performance issues; implements discipline and termination procedures; responds to staff questions and concerns.
- 5. Contributes to the overall quality of the department's service by developing, reviewing, and implementing health services, systems, standards, programs, policies and procedures to meet legal requirements and DistrictCollege needs; continuously monitors and evaluates the efficiency and effectiveness of service delivery methods and procedures; assesses and monitors the distribution of work, support systems, and internal reporting relationships; identifies opportunities for improvement; directs the implementation of change.
- 6. Directs the services and activities of the Health Center; oversees the screening, assessment, and treatment of ill or injured individuals; coordinates the evaluation of medical conditions; ensures proper and accurate identification of and response to illnesses, injuries, and medical emergencies; ensures medical care complies with established health standards.
- 7. Initiates and participates in the development of bid specifications and requests for proposals and the selection of and contract negotiation with outside vendors such as pharmaceuticals, medical supplies, and discounted medical, dental, chiropractic, and radiology services.
- 8. Participates in campus-wide health and safety efforts, including disaster preparedness, automatic external defibrillator program, pandemic flu response, alcohol and other drugs program, crisis management, sexual assault prevention program, and bloodborne pathogen compliance plans; directs and ensures proper administration of clinical laboratory tests; directs activities and personnel to ensure appropriate community resources and referrals for needed health services.
- 9. Plans, organizes, promotes, and directs health education functions and activities to enhance health awareness; develops, implements, and conducts special events concerning bloodborne pathogens, disease prevention, healthful living, and related issues and problems; prepares and delivers oral presentations; directs the preparation and distribution of related informational materials.
- 10. Coordinates health services and related communications and information between <u>DistrictCollege</u> personnel, administrators, students, hospitals, physicians, paramedics, public health agencies, law enforcement organizations, and others; ensures proper and timely resolution of health services issues and conflicts.
- 11. Serves as chair of or participates in a wide variety of District committees and task forces.
- 12. Directs and participates in the preparation and maintenance of a variety of narrative and statistical reports, records, and files related to health services, patients, projects, programs, personnel, financial activities, and assigned duties; ensures mandated reports are submitted to appropriate governmental agencies according to established timelines.
- 13. Attends and participates in professional group meetings and various <u>DistrictCollege</u> committees and advisory groups; stays abreast of new trends and innovations in the fields of student health services, medicine, and other programs and services as they relate to the area of assignment.
- 14. Maintains and directs the maintenance of working and official departmental files.
- 15. Monitors changes in laws, regulations, and technology that may affect District or departmental operations; implements policy and procedural changes as required.
- 16. Prepares, reviews, and presents staff reports, various management and information updates, and reports on special projects as assigned by the Dean, Student Services.
- 17. Responds to difficult and sensitive public inquiries and complaints and assists with resolutions and alternative recommendations.
- 18. Learns and applies emerging technologies and, as necessary, to perform duties in an efficient, organized, and timely manner.
- 19. Provides a working and learning environment that is free from prohibited discrimination, harassment and retaliation (DHR), and provided by applicable law and District policies. Attends District mandated DHR training and participates in DHR investigations as directed. Prevents discrimination and harassment and retaliation against individuals who bring these complaints forward through recognizing and reporting possible incidents to the Director of Equal Employment Opportunity Programs in Human Resources.

- 20. Selects, trains, motivates, and directs the assigned department personnel; evaluates and reviews work for acceptability and conformance with department standards, including program and project priorities and performance evaluations; works with employees on performance issues; implements discipline procedures; responds to staff questions and concerns.
- 21. Performs other related duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of:

- 1. <u>Principles and practices of supporting a diverse, equitable, inclusive, and anti-racist academic and work environment.</u>
- 2. Budget development, administrative principles and practices, and organizational and management practices as applied to the analysis and evaluation of projects, programs, policies, procedures, and operational needs.
- 3. Principles and practices of employee supervision, including work planning, assignment, review and evaluation, and the training of staff in work procedures.
- 4. Principles, practices, theories, and methods of planning, organizing, and directing college health services, operations, and activities, including physical and mental health, and health education and outreach functions.
- 5. Current healthcare theories, principles, and methods, issues and trends.
- 6. Methods, techniques, and equipment for the assessment illnesses, injuries, and medical emergencies, screenings, and immunizations; preventative measures related to healthcare activities.
- 7. Public health agencies and local healthcare resources.
- 8. Applicable Federal, Statefederal, state, and local laws, regulatory codes, ordinances, policies, and procedures relevant to student health programs, services, and operations, including CLIA, HIPAA, and California Codes and Regulations related to the practice of nursing, medicine, mental health, pharmacy, consent, care of minors, privacy laws, and mandated reporting laws.
- 9. Methods and techniques for the development of presentations, business correspondence, and information distribution; research and reporting methods, techniques, and procedures.
- 10. Principles and procedures of record keeping, technical report writing, and preparation of correspondence and presentations.
- 11. Modern office practices, methods, and computer equipment and applications.
- 12. English usage, spelling, vocabulary, grammar, and punctuation.
- 13. Techniques for effectively representing the <u>DistrictCollege</u> in contacts with governmental agencies, community groups, and various business, professional, educational, regulatory, and legislative organizations.
- 14. Techniques for providing a high level of customer service by effectively <u>dealinginteracting</u> with the public, vendors, students, and <u>DistrictCollege</u> staff, including individuals of various ages, disabilities, various socio-economic and ethnic groups.

Skills & Abilities to:

- 1. Develop Oversee and implement goals, objectives, policies, procedures, work standards, address gaps in diversity, equity, inclusion and internal controls for the anti-racism in recruitment and retention of students and department and assigned program areas personnel.
- 2. Articulate and communicate the college's vision and commitment to creating equity, diversity, inclusion and anti-racism academic and work environment.
- 3. <u>Create and execute resources and programming towards diversity, equity, inclusivity, and anti-racism academic and work environment goals.</u>

- 4. <u>Effectively work with, advise, and counsel college students from diverse academic, socioeconomic cultural, disability, and ethnic backgrounds.</u>
- 5. Provide administrative and professional leadership and direction for the department and the DistrictCollege.
- 6. Prepare and administer large and complex budgets; allocate limited resources in a cost effective manner.
- 7. Interpret, apply, explain, and ensure compliance with Federal, State, and local policies, procedures, laws, and regulations.
- 8. Plan, organize, direct, and coordinate the work of professional and technical personnel; delegate authority and responsibility.
- 9. Select, train, motivate, and evaluate the work of staff and train staff in work procedures.
- 10. Research, analyze, and evaluate new service delivery methods, procedures, and techniques.
- 11. Effectively administer a variety of student health programs, services, and activities.
- 12. Direct health education functions and activities to enhance health and awareness.
- 13. Effectively represent the <u>DistrictCollege</u> and the department in meetings with various healthcare, educational, business, professional, regulatory, and legislative organizations.
- 14. Prepare clear and concise reports, correspondence, policies, procedures, and other written materials.
- 15. Conduct complex research projects, evaluate alternatives, make sound recommendations, and prepare effective technical staff reports correspondence, policies, procedures, and other written materials.
- 16. Effectively work with, advise, and counsel college students of a diverse academic, socioeconomic cultural, disability, and ethnic backgrounds.
- 17. Establish and maintain a variety of filing, record keeping, and tracking systems.
- 18. Organize and prioritize a variety of projects and multiple tasks in an effective and timely manner; organize own work, set priorities, and meet critical time deadlines.
- 19. Operate modern office equipment including computer equipment and specialized software applications programs.
- 20. Use English effectively to Effectively communicate in person, over the telephone, and in writing.
- 21. Understand scope of authority in making independent decisions.
- 22. Review situations accurately and determine appropriate course of action using judgment according to established policies and procedures.
- 23. <u>Learn and apply emerging technologies and, as necessary, to perform duties in an efficient, organized, and timely manner.</u>
- 24. Establish, maintain, and foster positive and effective working relationships with those contacted in the course of work.

Education and Experience:

Any combination of training and experience which would provide the required knowledge, skills, and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required qualifications would be:

Equivalent to a

A valid, current California license as a registered nurse, five (5) years of full time equivalent experience as a registered nurse in a health care center or facility with a minimum of two (2) years of full time equivalent experience working in a lead or administrative/management capacity, and either of the following:

Master's degree from a regionally accredited college or university with coursework in in nursing, elinical social work and a California Public Health nurse certificate; or Bachelor's degree in nursing, a California Public Health nurse certificate, and a master's degree in health education, sociology, psychology, medicine counseling, health care administration, public health, community health, or a related field and five (5) years management.

Desirable Qualifications:

- 1. Proven track record of implementing or overseeing programs or policies relating to diversity, equity, inclusion, and/or administrative experience in the field of healthcare services, preferable at an educational anti-racism, preferably in a minority serving institution, such as Hispanic Serving Institution and Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institution; OR
- 2. Proven track record of participating in programs relating to diversity, equity, inclusion, and anti-racism, preferably a minority serving institution such as Hispanic Serving Institution and Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institution.

Licenses and Certifications:

Possession of, or ability to obtain, a valid California Driver's License by time of appointment.

- 1. Possession of a valid Registered Nurse License in the State of California.
- 2. Possession of a valid Public Health Nurse Certificate in the State of California.
- 3. Possession of a current Basic Life Support Certificate issued by the American Health Association.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Must possess mobility be able to work in a standard health clinic office setting and use standard medical and office equipment, including a computertechnological devices; to operate a motor vehicle to visit District communicate with individuals at various College and meeting sites; the ability to understand and attend meetings; vision to read printed comprehend written and electronic materials and a computer screen; and hearing the ability to receive, review, and speech respond to communicate communications in person, before groups, and over the telephone and through various media. This is partially primarily a sedentary office classification; frequent standing in work areas and walking although movement between work areas is may be required. Finger dexterity is needed to access, enter, and retrieve data using a computer keyboard or calculator and to operate standard office and medical equipment. Positions in this classification frequently bend, stoop, kneel, occasionally may need to physically reach, push, and pull drawers open and closed to retrieve and file information. Employees Incumbents must possess the ability to lift, carry, push, and pull materials and objects up to 5020 pounds.

ENVIRONMENTAL ELEMENTS

Employees primarilyIncumbents work in a health clinic environment with moderate noise levels, controlled temperature conditions, and direct exposure to hazardous physical substances. Incumbents may be exposed to blood and body fluids rendering first aid, CPR, and/or treating patients. EmployeesIncumbents may interact with upsetagitated individuals when interpreting and enforcing departmental policies and procedures.