#### **DETENTION OFFICER**

#### ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS OF THE POSITION

Physical Required: General Physical, Diabetes, BP, Vision, Back strength and lifting, TB and Hep B.

DOCTOR: This form identifies the essential functions of this position. Please review these essential functions and indicate in each area if your patient is medically able to perform the skills and abilities required by the essential function. In the comments box indicate any functions in which the employee has limitations. This information will be used to determine if a reasonable accommodation can be provided that will allow the employee to fully perform the function(s). You may suggest an accommodation for the company to consider. You must state the objective medical reason(s) in the comments box for why the employee has a medical limitation.

**Definition of job and Distinguishing characteristics of work:** Detention Officer's are responsible for the safety and welfare of youth housed in a secure detention facility which operates on a 24-hour basis. Under general supervision, this position performs detained booking, housing, and release activities including security work within the Juvenile Detention Division.

Essential Functions	Skills & Abilities Required	Able to Fully Perform	Comments — Restrictions must be stated in objective measurable terms. Use medical rationale to justify restriction <i>but do not state the diagnosis</i> .
1) Come to work on a regular and reliable basis, work under direct supervision, perform work duties under stressful conditions and have contact with individuals that may be aggressive and/or confrontational.	<ul> <li>The ability to work regularly and ability to work an 8-hour shift, including working multiple shifts.</li> <li>The ability to cope with the stress inherent with confined individuals living in crowded living space.</li> <li>The ability to accept supervision, such as receive instructions, coaching, and/or corrective action/discipline.</li> <li>The ability to physically open security doors attached by widgets that weigh 250 pounds10–20 times a day.</li> <li>Operate security doors, by buzzing and manually opening doors.</li> </ul>	Yes □ No □  Yes □ No □  Yes □ No □  Yes □ No □  Yes □ No □	
2) Monitor video terminals in one or all of the following situations to regulate detainee and security:  Monitor video terminals and operate control panels simultaneously to maintain perimeter security of Detention Facility and control movement within Detention.  Monitor video terminals and operate control panels while responding to both visual and audio cues. Maintain security on Detention floor and control movement of detainees and authorized individuals to/from Living area, recreation area, library, visitation area, health clinic and elevator.	<ul> <li>Ability to view multiple video screens and be aware of normal hazards and respond appropriately to changes in a security detention setting including simultaneous requests from different areas; changing priorities while working under and meeting documented procedures; the ability to remember detailed instructions; and to maintain attention and concentration for extended periods of time.</li> <li>Ability to sit regularly and/or stand intermittently while using arms in a forward extended position and small motor movement of fingering to enter computer data or operate control panel buttons.</li> </ul>	Yes  No  No  No  No  No  No  No  No  No  N	

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2) [contd.] Visually monitor detainee Living area and operate control panel from Post to maintain living security and control movement within Living area.	Ability to rotate head up to 90 degrees (left and right) while observing detainee movement both on monitors and through direct observation. Ability to flex/extend head up to 60 degrees while operating control panel. Ability to hear audible tones.	Yes □ No □	
	Walking/standing is used to move around detention area or within the control booth.  Additionally, stair climbing is used to access control booth and/or detainee areas. In cases of emergency, staff may be required to exert significant physical effort and use most body motions in an effort to restrain a detainee or assist in restraining a detainee.	Yes □ No □	
3) Maintain control with direct supervision of detainees – up to 13 detainees – in a separate Living area.	Physical mobility to interact with youth in unit and court yard.	Yes □ No □	
	Utilize stairs in 15-minute interval.	Yes □ No □	
	Participate in housekeeping chore.	Yes □ No □	
	Provide structure programming.		
4) Maintain security and control of the detainees and Detention Facility. Respond to emergency situations (i.e., detainee disturbance, escape attempt or fire) to maintain or regain security and safety.	Follow State/County approved techniques for defense. The ability to react quickly and appropriately to changing detainee situation. Evaluation situation and determine appropriate enforcement method. Require the use of restraint or physical force.	Yes □ No □	
	Ability to perform under stress when confronted with emergency, critical or dangerous situations; handle multiple activities happening simultaneously; exercise good judgment under stressful circumstances in which working speed and sustained attention are critical to the job.	Yes □ No □	
	Employee must physically be able to run 300– 500 yards, walk, climb stairs, and may be required to	Yes □ No □	

	exert significant physical force in restraining detainees. Employee may have the assistance of other worker(s).				
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4) [contd.]	Transport detainee, when necessary, which may require lifting up to 100 pounds. Assistance available for transporting detainees weighing more than 200 pounds.	Yes □ No □			
5) Escort detainee between floors and to/from Health Clinic or court; escort detainee to/from various outside courts, hospitals or County/State facilities utilizing County vehicle.	Ability to be aware of detainee activity that is suspicious in nature and to take appropriate precautions. The ability to interact quickly, appropriately and calmly to detainees displaying disruptive or threatening behavior.	Yes □ No □			
	Ability to use non-lethal physical force when necessary to restrain a detainee.	Yes □ No □			
	The ability to drive a car or van with automatic transmission and to talk and listen over a communications radio.	Yes □ No □			
6) Conduct detainee receiving including a body search, booking, release and transfer functions by collecting necessary information from detainee or other agency; intake/issue personal property, collect detainee signatures and review legal documents.	Ability to follow written procedures and regulations; ability to accept and respect individual differences without personal bias; ability to control disruptive detainees; ability to read and complete legal documents.	Yes □ No □			
Screen detainee visitors (this may include a wide variety of persons) to ensure no contraband, weapons or other inappropriate items enter the detention facility.	Ability to operate computer keyboard to access and record information correctly; ability to sit and stand on an intermittent basis while interviewing detainee and recording information; ability to bend and/or squat to conduct personal body search; ability to collect detainee personal property and lift/carry property bags weighing up to 25 pounds on an occasional basis.	Yes □ No □			
	The ability to interact appropriately with the general public and inform them of the proper regulations and procedures for entering the detention	Yes □ No □			

	facility.		
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7) Instruct detainee on Detention rules; maintain detainee counts; write detainee disciplinary reports concerning security, detainee problems, emergency problems or other occurrences.	Communicate effectively with a diverse detainee population; ability to understand and perform basis mathematical functions; write clearly, accurately and concisely; ability to conduct or assist with investigations.	Yes 🗆 No 🗆	
Provide previously prepared food to detainees on trays and provide for the removal of the tray after meal is completed.	Walk, stand, bend and/or carry trays to detainee.	Yes □ No □	
8) Monitor detainees in security facility and detainees participating in COC programs; supervise work of detainee workers in the cleaning and maintenance of the detention areas.	Follow written procedures and regulations; maintain accurate log books; function as a team member with other staff and maintain effective working relationship with supervisor.	Yes □ No □	
Order, receive and stock materials and supplies utilized within facility; escort construction, repair and other individuals throughout the facility.	Walk up to four hours daily performing inspections of living units and movement of detainees.	Yes □ No □	
	Ability to understand and perform basis mathematical functions; communicate effectively with supervisor and outside vendors; coordinate and schedule maintenance and repair of detention facilities.	Yes □ No □	
	Walk while escorting individuals; lift and carry supplies that may weigh up to 40 pounds, may bend, reach or squat while stocking shelves.	Yes □ No □	
Marginal Functions	Skills & Abilities Required	Able to Fully Perform	Comments — Restrictions must be stated in objective measurable terms. Use medical rationale to justify restriction <i>but do not state the diagnosis</i> .
Participates in staffing proceedings and hearings as assigned.	The ability to communicate with a diverse detainee population; follow standard operating procedures.	Yes □ No □	
Relieve other workers of their assignment during lunch and break periods.  Collects and distributes detainee commissary requests and issues supplies.	The ability to do all corrections officer job assignments throughout the facility. This may physically require the employee to use all noted body motions and exert minimal to significant physical effort.	Yes □ No □	

	Walk, stand, bend and/or carry	while obtain	ing and				
	distributing supplies. May car			Yes □ No □			
Employee is released to <b>return to work</b> :		YES  NO	If no, probab	ole date of return	to workforce: _	Date	
Employee is medically released to fully perform the funct	tions of Detention Officer:	YES	Date:			Bute	
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Employee is medically <b>released to perform some type of</b> in this document:	work but the job described	YES  NO	Date:		_		
Please provide restrictions:							
Please check if restrictions are: Permanent OR	Temporary	y, please ind	icate duration	Date			
Comments:							
Physician's Name: ( <b>Please Print</b> )		Phone N	umber:				
Physician's Signature:		Date	e:				

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PLEASE FAX ANY RETURN TO WORK RELEASE OR RESTRICTION INFORMATION TO: Paula R. Seeger, CDMS, CCM, Disability Services Specialist, King County, Department of Adult and Juvenile Detention, fax # 206-205-5666. Phone contact can be made at 206-205-9517. Thank you!