Job Description: [Industrial Chef]



Function:	SODEXO JUSTICE SERVICES – HMP PETERBOROUGH
Job:	INDUSTRIAL CATERER
Position:	Industrial Caterer
Job holder:	
Date (in job since):	
Immediate manager (N+1 Job title and name):	CATERING MANAGER
Additional reporting line to:	Head of Learning Skills
Position location:	HMP PETERBOROUGH

1. Purpose of the Job – State concisely the aim of the job.

- To assist in the preparation and cooking of meals for 1300 residents twice daily in accordance to Sodexo policies and procedures.
- Maintain all food safety/ Health and Safety regulations.
- To provide Residents support to increase their Catering knowledge and pass a recognised Catering qualification.
- To follow instructions given by Catering Manager and Supervisor.
- To challenge negative behaviour reporting to catering prison officers.
- To increase prisoners' employability and reduce re-offending.



3. Context and main issues – Describe the most difficult types of problems the jobholder has to face (internal or external to Sodexo) and/or the regulations, guidelines, practices that are to be adhered to.

- Working with challenging individuals in a large catering environment.
- Working within a strict time frame.
- Adhering to Sodexo policies and procedures.
- Controlling the receipt, storage & issue of resources

4. Main assignments – Indicate the main activities / duties to be conducted in the job.

- Ensure the training and supervision of prisoners
- Assist residents to achieve a Food Safety Level 2 to be carried out at regular throughout the year
- Assist residents to achieve NVQ Level 1&2 in catering alongside Peterborough Regional Collage
- Be compliant with all paperwork requests within the Department and wider prison context
- To assist in the preparation and cooking of meals for 1300 residents twice daily in accordance to Sodexo policies and procedures.
- Following the choices from a four week menu of a varied and diverse menu options.
- Maintain all food safety/ Health and Safety regulations.
- To provide Residents support to increase their Catering knowledge and pass a recognised Catering qualification.
- To follow instructions given by Catering Manager and Supervisor.
- To challenge negative behaviour reporting to catering prison officers.
- To increase prisoners' employability and reduce re-offending.
- Assist with tool checks on regular intervals through-out the day.
- To ensure all relevant policies and procedures, such as Security, Health and Safety and adhered to and take responsibility of the work area
- Attend team meetings to evaluate progress and promote good practice and attend staff meetings.
- Establish a rapport with residents to encourage them to learn and achieve a recognised qualification
- Monitor quality control of work produced by prisoners to maintain standards required
- Meet agreed prison targets which will be identified in your PDR and reviewed regularly throughout the year.
- 40 hour week full time over a 4 day period alternate weekends and some Bank holidays. (no evenings)
- Undertake duties as required by the Director or Catering Manager that will contribute to the effective operation of HMP Peterborough.

- Accountabilities Give the 3 to 5 key outputs of the position vis-à-vis the organization; they should focus on end results, not duties or activities.
 - A flexible and responsive attitude
 - Enthusiasm for the subject area
 - Willingness to innovate and demonstrate self-motivation
 - Awareness of and commitment to the promotion of equal opportunities and the recognition of diversity and inclusion
 - Participate in training as required in order to keep up to date with all mandatory and refresher training
 - Abide by the Sodexo corporate mission statement and all appropriate regulations, policies and procedures
 - Every employee will be required to obtain a successful security clearance and CRB check.

6. Person Specification – Indicate the skills, knowledge and experience that the job holder should require to conduct the role effectively

Essential

- Minimum Qualification City and Guilds 7132/06-07 or 706/2 diploma in food production and cooking or equivalent.
- Experience of industrial catering.
- To have an interest in the rehabilitation and resettlement of offenders
- To have an ability to communicate effectively at all times through different mediums, including spoken and written communication.

Desirable

- Experience of instructing/supporting people with challenging behaviour
- Experience in a prison or forces environment.
- There is the opportunity to progress and train as a Prison Custody Officer if desired.

7. Competencies – Indicate which of the Sodexo core competencies and any professional competencies that the role requires

- Knowledge of catering
- Ideal experience of custodial settings
- Understanding of diverse groups
- Ability to be flexible and have a dynamic approach to delivery whilst under pressure.

8. Management Approval – To be completed by document owner

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