

ALLENTOWN, PA

Position Title: Campus Safety Police Officer **Department:** Campus Safety & Police

Classification: Service Personnel, Non-exempt

Characteristic Duties & Responsibilities:

- A. Patrols campus and all college buildings with attention to life/safety issues including but not limited to:
 - 1. Conditions dangerous to persons
 - 2. Fire or conditions with potential for fire
 - 3. Condition of operating equipment
 - 4. Security of buildings and rooms not currently in use, open and/or secure same if appropriate
 - 5. Conducting fire drills
 - 6. Enforcement of federal, state, local and college laws and regulations
- B. Makes complete operations report to Director of Campus Safety and Campus Safety Supervisor.
- C. Assumes responsibility for operations in emergency situations, including but not limited to: 1) fire, 2) bomb threat, 3) catastrophe; notifies the Director of Campus Safety or his/her designee; determines the appropriate immediate response of building/area occupants until situation is resolved or higher authority provides relief.
- D. Conducts initial investigation of all criminal complaints, performs follow-up investigations when necessary, and documents all information as necessary in form of a written (typed) report.
- E. Prepares criminal cases for civil authorities and/or campus judicial proceedings.
- F. Cooperates with Student Health Services in handling of emergency medical and/or psychological problems.
- G. Provides traffic control on campus as needed; issues tickets for parking violations.
- H. Performs various safety inspections as directed.
- I. Assists the public and campus community in public relations service (i.e., directions, information).
- J. Provides various services as required by department policy or as required by Treasurer's Office, President's Office, or the Dean of Students.
- K. Carries and properly maintains college-owned firearm.
- L. Assists with, prepares, and offers training, crime prevention, and other educational programs for faculty, staff and students.
- M. Assists with the smooth operation of shift duties and responsibilities.
- N. Inspects and maintains, as necessary, all equipment related to patrol. Reports equipment defects to the appropriate individual when unable to resolve personally
- O. Inspects patrol vehicle for any damage. Reports maintenance issues related to the vehicle operation.
- P. Performs various tasks related to Community Policing.
- Q. Works with computer operating systems, including but not limited to systems operating the card access, fire alarms, CCTV, and ID computer.

- S. Dispatches for short and/or extended periods of time based on departmental needs and in accordance with the duties and responsibilities of a part-time dispatcher.
- T. Performs other duties as assigned by the Chief or his/her designee.

Qualifications & Work Conditions:

- 1. College degree in Criminal Justice or related field or relevant experience in an academic environment required.
- 2. Act 235 certification with Firearm required, and must be maintained throughout employment.
- 3. Act 120 certification preferred, and updates must be maintained throughout employment.
- 4. First Aid/CPR/AED certification required, and must be maintained throughout employment.
- 5. Clean criminal background must be maintained throughout employment.
- 6. Valid PA driver's license with clean driving record (as maintained through Pennsylvania Department of Transportation or any state Department of Motor Vehicles) must be maintained throughout employment.
- 7. Ability to work hours as necessary based on the needs of the department and campus community, including overtime and various shifts. **Initial shift assignment is not guaranteed as "permanent" shift.**
- 8. Satisfactory completion of drug test in accordance with Departmental procedures, including random drug testing throughout employment.
- 9. Ability to hear non-amplified sounds/normal speaking voices at a distance of 15 feet required.
- 10. Must be able to see at least 20/70, uncorrected, in the stronger eye, correctable to 20/20; and at least 20/200, uncorrected, in the weaker eye, correctable to at least 20/40; and must be free of any significant visual abnormality. Corrected vision is required if uncorrected vision does not already meet 20/20, 20/40 standard.
- 11. Ability to perform a variety of patrol and physical functions including but not limited to driving in various weather/lighting conditions, ability to walk stairs, ability to stand at stationary posts for extended periods of time, ability to lift 50 pounds of weight, climb steps and walk uneven terrain.
- 12. Must be computer literate, willing and able to learn new systems and functions.
- 13. Good written and oral communication skills and fluency in the English language (including ability to hear, speak and write in English) required. Ability to speak a second language preferred.
- 14. Due to the nature of the department, must maintain confidentiality and demonstrate a personable manner.
- 15. Must be able to work well under pressure and deal effectively with regular interruptions while maintaining accuracy and showing patience for detail.

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