COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

ACCOUNTANT IV

Job Number: 20001639
Job Code: 91110V180416
Job Group: 9100 - BOOKKEEPING AND ACCOUNTING
Job Established: 06/16/1982
Job Revised: 02/01/2019

Grade: 11  Salary (MIN - MID):

$13.581-$21.730 - Hourly
$2,206.92-$3,531.14 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary
$2,354.04-$3,766.54 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

Special Entrance Rate:
NONE
NONE
NONE

PROBATIONARY PERIOD:
This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months, except as provided in KRS 18A.111.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB: Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.

Supervises technical accounting personnel and performs technical work in the maintenance of accounting and financial records, OR performs functional supervision over two or more complex accounting functions. Analyzes financial reports, programs, costs, payments and/or accounting processes; and performs other duties as required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION:
High school graduate.

EXPERIENCE, TRAINING, OR SKILLS:

Four years of accounting, bookkeeping, or fiscal clerical experience.

Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:
Training in accounting, business administration, business education, office administration, or a related field will substitute for the required experience on a year-for-year basis.

Substitute EXPERIENCE for EDUCATION:
Accounting, bookkeeping, or fiscal clerical experience will substitute for the required education on a year-for-year basis.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):
NONE
EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION: Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.

Supervises a staff of employees in the maintenance of accounting and financial records such as budgeting, auditing. Supervises posting, balancing and reconciling accounting records. Directs the input of financial data into computerized systems. Directs the use of office machines. Prepares financial statements, summaries and reports for review. Assists professional staff in the preparation of agency accounting and financial records. Maintains agency records and filing systems. Performs the work of clerical staff as needed. Performs functional supervision over two or more complex accounting activities such as: compilation and analysis of complex data for federal reports, reconciliation of benefits accounts, processing payment for contractual services requiring utilization of cost distribution formulas, coordination of the PROCARD System for multiple offices or departments, analysis of accounting initiatives, designs and processes coordination of the KAPS System, etc. Analyzes and distributes multiprogram costs to appropriate funds. Tracks expenditures through electronic systems such as STARS and KAPS. Prepares journal vouchers for the transfer of funds.

UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Any unique physical requirements necessary to perform the duties of a specific position will be listed on the individual position description, if applicable.

TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS: Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.

Incumbents working in this job title typically perform duties in an office setting.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and may be required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary, it will be listed in the specific position description for the position at issue. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug-screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F. R.115.17 and 115.317.

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