

THE EASTERN REGIONAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

POSITION DESCRIPTION

1. JOB TITLE	2. DIVISION:	3. DEPARTMENT
SUPPLY CHAIN ASSISTANT II (INVENTORY)	SANGRE GRANDE HOSPITAL ST. ANDREW/ST. DAVID NARIVA/MAYARO	SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT UNIT

4. ORGANISATIONAL RELATIONSHIP

The Supply Chain Assistant II (Inventory) will report to the Area Administrative Officer/Supply Chain Officer.

5. NATURE & SCOPE

The Supply Chain Assistant II (Inventory) will be responsible for the operation of a storeroom containing inventory and provide clerical skills necessary for the maintenance of proper supply chain functions. Supervision is exercised over a small group of subordinate personnel assigned to the storeroom for purposes of receiving, issuing, creating and stacking a variety of stores. Supervision is received from a superior officer who reviews work through observations and inspection for compliance with regulations, and established procedures.

6. SPECIFIC ACCOUNTABILITIES

The Supply Chain Assistant II (Inventory):

- Reviews and posts all transactions recording the receipts, issuance or movement of stock on the Financial Management Information Systems (FMIS) to ensure completeness and accuracy daily.
- □ Plans, directs and supervises all activities in a storeroom containing inventory.
- □ Supervises a small number of clerical and other workers assigned to the storeroom.
- Receives and issues supplies and maintain appropriate records on the computerized system.
- □ Requests, receives and issues non-pharmaceutical items from NIPDEC Central Stores.
- □ Prepares and submits periodical reports showing obsolete, expired and excessive stocks for consideration by Disposal Committee.
- □ Checks goods received and report shortages, breakages and other discrepancies.
- □ Prepares and signs requisitions, delivery notes, Goods Received Notes and other related documents.
- □ Ensures the maintenance of established inventory levels of stock items and proper cataloging/storage of inventory
- Maintains perpetual inventory account using computerized record keeping, completes periodic reports to General Manager Supply Chain Management
- □ Liaises with Supply Chain Officer (Purchasing) and suppliers for timely delivery of goods and services.
- □ Coordinates delivery of goods and services with suppliers.
- Obtains specification for selected items from requesting departments in an effort to initiate procurement.
- □ Assists in the preparation of budget estimates.
- □ Ensures all items and equipments needed for use by stores department is functional and available.
- Assists with ensuring an adequate supply of items in the event of a disaster.
- □ Assists with timely distribution of uniform material to the relevant staff.
- □ Performs related work as required by the appropriate Authority.

7. KEY KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- □ Comprehensive knowledge of storeroom and supply chain management policies and procedures.
- □ Sound knowledge of Inventory Management.
- □ Knowledge of Financial Management Information Systems (FMIS/Great Plains Dynamics).
- □ Some knowledge of the types and uses of a variety of stores.
- □ Knowledge of Inventory Management Policies and Procedures specific to the RHA's.
- □ Knowledge of procurement, financial regulations and other related rules and regulations as it relates to Procurement Process.
- □ Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with other employees and the public.

8. MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

- □ Training as evidenced by completion of CIPS Level 4.
- □ At least three (3) years' experience in Supply Chain Management (Stores/Inventory Management).
- □ Computer Literate in Microsoft Office Suite and Great Plains Dynamics.
- □ Any other equivalent combination of qualification, training and experience.

9. SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

- □ Supply Chain Assistant I
- □ Supply Chain Clerk
- □ Stores Attendant
- □ On the Job Trainee

10. COMMUNICATION AND WORKING RELATIONSHIP

Internal:

- □ General Manager-Supply Chain Management
- □ Manager-Procurement and Contract
- □ Manager-Hospital Administration
- □ Area Administrative Officer
- □ Supply Chain Officer
- □ All Members of the Supply Chain Management Unit
- □ All other Heads of Departments
- Members of staff

External:

- Suppliers
- □ Government Institutions e.g. C 40.
- Other Regional Health Authorities