

Employee Relations Organizations Meeting September 24th – 10am to 11am Zoom Meeting

Representatives Present:

ERC: Amber Carter, April Thompson, Jackie Cotton, Katora Jones, Linda Johnson, Lyncie Crawford, Nathan Tipton, Vickie Christian, Jackie Fox, Andrea Briggs, Jean Perdicaris, Nury Magana, Joyce Hamilton, Robyn Taylor, Jasmine Bowles, Janette Smith

ESC: Blake Dingman, Daniel Hutchinson, Kimberlee Norwood, Stephanie Breuer, Vanessa Baker, Venus Claxton, Dorothea Owens

Guests: Damon Davis, Debbie Jackson, Debbie Long, Rebekka Freeman, Edwin Jeffres

Minutes Secretary: Kimberlee Norwood

Representatives Absent: Yin Su, Kaining Zhi, Lisa, Hall, Felicia Washington

Meeting Agenda and Minutes

10:00am Welcome – Debbie Long

10:05am Benefits Open Enrollment – Debbie Jackson

Annual Open Enrollment Period October 1-16, 2020 – time to sign up or to make changes. Virtual benefits fair this year. If not making changes, no Edison action required. Medical 2.8% increase, Cigna Dental increase 3%. PayFlex is changing to Optum Bank for flexible spending account (FSA). Every year you MUST reenroll in your FSA. Recommended spend funds before 2020 end. Up to \$500 will roll over but will not be available until July 2021.

10:10am New Performance Evaluation form and expectations – Damon Davis

Performance Review Instruction Form – Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion has been added.

Detailed summary form – added the Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion. Defined key elements of performance in more detail and aligned with performance evaluation.



Summary form – only form that is sent to HR. Exceeds expectations and Unsatisfactory, both require supporting documentation. If unsatisfactory, HR should have previous documentation of corrections efforts or documented conversations with the employee. Adaptability and flexibility have been removed. Service and relationships are emphasized.

Key elements guide – gives examples in each area of accomplishment for each level of achievement, i.e. exceeds. Also, give separate examples for supervisors and for staff.

Performance evaluations will be for regular employees hired before June 30, 2020. July 1, 2020 and after employees will be on the probationary performance evaluation. Will be on the website and fillable on the HR website. SharePoint will still be used for submitting evaluations.

10:45am Announcements

ESC Pharmacy New faculty, Wenkuan Xin, PhD, Assistant Professor (Non-Tenure Track)

started in Pharmaceutical Sciences on August 25, 2020.

ERC AFSA The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on

Colleges (SACSCOC) accreditation of UTHSC completed its virtual site review Tuesday, 9-15, of the Knoxville, Nashville, & Chattanooga campuses and Tuesday & Wednesday, 9-22 & 9-23, of the Memphis campus. There are 73 standards that require a response. UTHSC was compliant in all but one. In other words, UTHSC achieved a perfect score. The chair stated that the average range of issues for campuses is 4 to

8. The Chair of the committee stated he had done 13 or so onsite visits and this is the only time he has seen only 1 recommendation. This perfect score represents hundreds of hours that many in Academic, Faculty, and Student Affairs (AFSA) spent during the last 18 months in preparation for this accreditation visit. Accreditation, which occurs every 5 years, is mandated for every university receiving federal funding that is Financial Aid. UTHSC should be very proud of this amazing accomplishment!

ESC Dentistry September 1, 2020, 60 days away from groundbreaking for addition to

dental building. Filtration system updated to MERV 14 rating as of yesterday, one of the first in the country to receive this system able to

filter COVID-19.

ESC Facilities Everyone is back in the office in facilities. Contract bids for elevator

replacement for Dunn, Hyman, and 930 Madison are being accepted. Next will be repair bids for 920 Madison, Van Fleet, and Wittenborg

elevators.

Annual Open Enrollment October 1-16, 2020

Want to keep the same benefits in 2021?



What's New for 2021?

Medical and Dental premiums

- Medical premiums will increase by 2.8%
- Cigna Dental will increase by 3%

New Flexible Spending Account Vendor

- Changing to Optum Bank
- Re-enrollment required for FSA accounts each year!
- New cards will be sent in Dec
- Recommend using all 2020 funds by the end of the year
- Carry over funds (up to \$500) will not be available until July 2021.

Annual Open Enrollment Newsletter



The Benefits Administration forwarded the Newsletter early September.



It can be found on the Edison website for all AETP information and links.





Instructions for Edison Login:



Handout for instructions.



Edison Log on video instructions

Questions?

The University of Tennessee Performance Review Instruction Form

Purpose of Performance Reviews

The performance review is intended to be a fair and balanced assessment of an employee's performance. It is a time for the supervisor and employee to review the performance of the last year, give and receive feedback, clarify job duties, explain management's expectations, and set goals for the coming year. To accomplish a fair and balanced assessment, management must provide the employee an opportunity to express his/her opinions about the employment relationship. Even though the employee's past performance is reviewed, an essential component is planning for the next year.

Essential Elements of Performance Reviews

- 1. Supervisor reviews the employee's job duties for evaluation (using the PD or job description). The purpose of this review is to identify the job duties to be evaluated. The supervisor may also review the performance review from the previous year to see if the employee's goals and objectives were met.
- 2. Supervisor and employee discuss the performance review. The performance review process must include one-on-one discussion between the supervisor and employee with both parties being full participants. The supervisor may ask the employee to complete a self-assessment before the review.
- **3. Timeliness.** Performance reviews should cover the calendar year and should be submitted during the first quarter of the following year.
- **4. Documentation.** The summary sheet and any required statements/documentation should be sent to your campus's/institute's Human Resources office. Review your campus procedures for required documentation. Any additional documentation that either the supervisor or employee wants included in the employee's permanent personnel file may also be attached.

The Performance Review Summary Form

The Performance Review Summary Form is designed to record the results of the employee's evaluation. During the performance review meeting with the employee, use the Performance Review Summary Form to record an overall evaluation in the areas of accomplishments; service and relationships; accountability and dependability; equity, diversity and inclusion; and decision making/problem solving. The ratings on this form will be entered into IRIS and may be used in determining merit pay.

Key Elements of Performance Review Summary

- Accomplishments Evaluate the employee's success in performing identified duties/areas of responsibilities. Use the PD or departmental goals and objectives to identify specific duties/areas of responsibilities.
- > **Service & Relationships** Evaluate the employee's success in the areas of customer service, communication, interpersonal skills, civility, and teamwork.
- Accountability & Dependability Evaluate the employee's success in contributing to the effectiveness of the department and the overall mission of the university. It is important to note that time off approved under FLMA may not be considered in the evaluation.
- ➤ **Equity, Diversity & Inclusion** Evaluate the employee to the extent which the employee treats others with fairness, dignity, and respect, fosters inclusiveness, values individual and group differences (e.g. age, gender, religion, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, nationality, veterans, disability, culture, position, and others), takes efforts to enhance diversity, inclusion and cultural humility, and contributes to departmental and organizational unit diversity strategic goals.
- ➤ **Decision Making & Problem Solving** Evaluate the employee's success in making decisions, following safe work practices, and complying with the university's policies and federal, state, and local laws. If the employee performs a managerial function, evaluate the employee on his/her abilities to manage human and fiscal resources effectively, developing goals which support the university's and unit's mission, and setting appropriate examples for employee behavior.

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Ratings

Expectations should be specific, measurable, attainable, realistic, and timely. An employee should be evaluated based on how well he/she has met the known expectations of his/her position.

Evaluate the employee using the following options:

Consistently Exceeds Achieves Expectations

Example: Employee consistently completes tasks early or on time and will consistently

seek ways to help others complete tasks and/or accepts additional tasks.

Fully Achieves & Occasionally Exceeds Expectations

Example: Employee consistently completes tasks early or on time and will occasionally

seek ways to help others complete tasks and/or accepts additional tasks.

Fully Achieves Expectations

Example: Employee consistently completes tasks on time or in a timely manner with no

intervention.

Sometimes Achieves Expectations

Example: Employee sometimes does/sometimes does not complete tasks on time and may

often have to be reminded to complete the tasks.

Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves Expectations

Example: Employee rarely completes tasks on time.

Other Forms and Retention of Performance Review Form

Please review your campus's/institute's procedures for any additional detailed forms necessary to complete the performance review. These procedures should also include retention requirements.

Questions

If the employee disagrees with the evaluation, he/she should discuss his/her concerns with the supervisor.

Supervisors may click on <u>this link</u> for access to forms and other information. On-line performance review courses may be accessed by going to the <u>Employee and Organizational Development website</u>.

Questions

Questions about performance reviews may be forwarded to your local Human Resources office. Attending a training session on how to conduct an effective performance review may be scheduled by contacting your local Human Resources-Training office:

Chattanooga	(423) 425-4221
Health Science Center (Memphis)	(901) 448-5600
Knoxville Area	(865) 946-8847
Martin	(731) 881-7845
Space Institute	(931) 393-7226

The University of Tennessee Performance Review Summary Form (to be completed for all staff and forwarded to Human Resources)

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		ment: v Completed By:	Position Title: Reviewer's Personnel Number:
		v Period: to	
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	5	· ·	pporting statement/documentation required)
	4	☐ Fully Achieves and Occasionally Excee	. ,
	3	☐ Fully Achieves Expectations	•
	2	☐ Sometimes Achieves Expectations	
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2.		vice & Relationships - the extent to which the	he employee's behaviors are directed toward fostering positive working 's fellow workers, and cooperation with students, customers, and visitors.
	5	☐ Consistently Exceeds Expectations (su	pporting statement/documentation required)
	4	\square Fully Achieves and Occasionally Excee	ds Expectations
	3	☐ Fully Achieves Expectations	
	2	☐ Sometimes Achieves Expectations	
	1	☐ Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves Expect	ations (supporting documentation required)
3. Accountability & Dependability - the extent to which the employee contributes to the effectiveness of the department overall mission of the University. (NOTE: Time off approved under FMLA may not be considered.)			
	5	\square Consistently Exceeds Expectations (su	pporting statement/documentation required)
	4	\square Fully Achieves and Occasionally Excee	ds Expectations
	3	☐ Fully Achieves Expectations	
	2	\square Sometimes Achieves Expectations	
	1	☐ Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves Expect	ations (supporting documentation required)
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	2	☐ Sometimes Achieves Expectations	
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5.	the		ent to which the employee makes sound and logical job-related decisions that are in e, this element includes developing and managing human and fiscal resources
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Employee Name:		IRIS Personnel No:			
RATING				TOTAL PO	<u>INTS</u>
Consistently Exceeds Expectation				=	23 - 25
Fully Achieves and Occasionally	Exceeds Expectations			=	19 - 22
Fully Achieves Expectations Sometimes Achieves Expectation	ne			=	15 - 18 10 - 14
Unsatisfactory/Not Eligible for Ac		Performance Improvement PI	an Required)	=	9 or les
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. Goals and Objectives have been	en developed and discuss	ed with employee?	Yes □	No □	
2. Job Duties and Performance E	Expectations have been dis	scussed with employee?	Yes □	No □	
3. Appropriate corrective action	has been discussed with e	mployee?	Yes □	No □	NA 🗆
i. My supervisor has informed m that is recorded in IRIS.	ne of the importance of reg	ularly checking my work and	personal informat	ion	
Supervisor's Comments: (This s	ection may be used as doo	cumentation for the "Unsatist	factory" ratings.)		
Employee's Comments: (Employ	ees may provide additiona	al comments to be retained w	ith this document	in the person	inel file.)
By signing below, I acknowledge	e that I have participated ir	the review process and have	e received a copy o	of the review.	
(1)		(2)			
(1)Supervisor's Signature	Date	Dept. Head/Dir	ector's Signature	Date	 e
(3)		(To be reviewe	d before employee's	s signature.)	
(3) Employee's Signature	 Date				

The University of Tennessee Goals & Objectives Form

Employee Name:	Personnel Number:
Department:	Position Title:
Review Completed By:	Review Period:to

- The Goals & Objectives should include both departmental goals and plans for personal and professional development.
- The time frame indicates when the goal should be accomplished.
- Evaluation indicates how accomplishment will be measured.

	Goals and Objectives	Time Frame	Evaluation
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The University of Tennessee Performance Review Detail Form

Emp	oloyee	Name:		Personnel Number:	
Department:		Position Title:			
Rev	Review Completed By:			Review Period:	to
mate	ch the c			ou in completing the Summary She m, choose the response that most o	
Acc	ompli	shments			
1.	Attai	nment of Goals - the exte	nt to which the emp	loyee determines goals and makes	efforts to reach those goals.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/ Examples:		
		Sometimes Achieves			
		Fully Achieves			
		Meets and Occasionally I	Exceeds		
	Ш	Consistently Exceeds			
2.		of Resources - the extent able to them.	to which the employ	yee is a good steward of University	resources and maximizes the tools
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/		
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:		
		Fully Achieves			
		Meets and Occasionally I	Exceeds		
		Consistently Exceeds			
3.	Dead	Ilines - the extent to which	the employee adhe	eres to stated and unstated deadline	es.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/		
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:		
		Fully Achieves			
		Meets and Occasionally I	Exceeds		
		Consistently Exceeds			
4.	Initia	tive - the extent to which t	he employee has th	e ability to assess and initiate things	s independently.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/		
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:		
		Fully Achieves			
		Meets and Occasionally I	Exceeds		
		Consistently Exceeds			
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Ser		Relationships			
1.				ee recognizes the importance of cus mpt and accurate information in a re	
		loes not	Comments/ Examples:		
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2.		munication & Interperson nts and the general public.		to which the employee is respectful of management, co-workers, staff,
		Does not	Comments/	
		Does	Examples:	
3.	Liste proce	ning Skills – the extent to	which the employee	accurately receives and interprets messages in the communication
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
4.		work — the extent to whice rsity goals.	h the employee succ	essfully collaborates with others to accomplish departmental and
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
Acco	untabi	-	Note: Time off app	roved under FMLA may not be considered)
1.	Atten	dance — the extent to whi	ch the employee can	be depended upon to report to work promptly each day.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/ Examples:	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples.	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
2.	Follo	w-through - the extent to v	which the employee o	continues an action or task to its conclusion.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
3.		ing Independently – the evision to complete that task		nployee takes ownership and does not require constant assistance or
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		

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Equity, **Diversity**, **and Inclusion** – the extent to which the employee is willing to learn new techniques and/or tasks apply them to his/her job.

1.	Equity – tl	he extent to which the empl	oyee treats others e	equitably and respects individual differences.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally E	xceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
2.	Diversity -	- the extent to which the en	nployee invites dive	rse ideas.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally E	xceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
3.	Inclusion	- the extent to which the er	nployee appropriate	ely connects with others and interacts with different people.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally E	xceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
De	cision Mak	king/Problem Solving		
1.	Decisio	on Making – the extent to w	hich the employee o	can be relied upon to make sound, logical decisions.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally E	xceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
2.	Solutio	n Driven – the extent to wh	ich the employee pr	revents or solve problems.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally E	xceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		

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3.	Com	oliance – the extent to whi	ch the employee fo	ollows University policies and Federal, State, and Local laws.
		Rarely Achieves Sometimes Achieves	Comments/ Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
	Ш.	Consistently Exceeds		
4	I. Safet	y – the extent to which the	employee follows	safe working practices.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/ Examples:	
		Sometimes Achieves	_xampioo.	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
If e		ee performs a manage ges and develops humar		lease complete the Manager/Supervisor evaluation section:
		Does not	Comments/	
		Does	Examples:	
2.	Prom	otes personal and profes	ssional developm	ent of employees.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/ Examples:	
		Sometimes Achieves		
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally	Exceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
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3.	Uses	fiscal resources in a res	ponsible manner	
		Does not Does	Comments/ Examples:	
4.	Deve	lops plans and goals whi	ch support the U	niversity's and unit's mission.
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
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5.	Encou	rages creativity and innov	ation in others.	
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally Ex	cceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
6.	Sets a	ppropriate example for en	nployee behavior	
		Rarely Achieves	Comments/	
		Sometimes Achieves	Examples:	
		Fully Achieves		
		Meets and Occasionally Ex	cceeds	
		Consistently Exceeds		
7.	Makes	appropriate hiring decisi	ons.	
		es not es	Comments/ Examples:	
8.	_	olves problems in a constr	uctive manner.	
	□Do	es not es	Comments/ Examples:	

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9.	Reviews employees' perfor	mance and provides	formal evaluations annually.		
	☐ Does not ☐ Does	Comments/ Examples:			
	General Comments:				
(3)_	Employee's Signature	Date	(1)	Supervisor's Signature	Date
			(2)	Dept. Head/Director's Signature	Date

Key Elements Guide

The UTHSC Performance Evaluation Tool is designed to provide feedback to staff regarding their performance for the calendar year. There are five key elements to be evaluated during this process. Examples of performance standards for each category are listed below. While these are not exhaustive, they provide concepts and ideas that support the designated ratings.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS - the extent to which the employee meets expectations in performing the job functions of his/her position as defined in documentation such as the PDQ, annual work plan, etc.

Consistently Exceeds Expectations	 Achieved goals that others have failed.
	 Achieves goals, then looks for more.
	• The employee consistently beat deadlines for their own work and stay abreast of deadlines for their department.
	 Employee is consistently proactive and anticipates the needs of the department prior to potential problems arising and bring to supervisor approval. For example: Always monitors and forecast supplies for ebbs and flows to ensure the department always has an adequate amount of supplies on hand without creating a surplus.
	 Work reflects maximum innovative use of time and resources to consistently surpass
	expectations and improve operations.
Fully Achieves and Occasionally	Overcomes frustrating circumstances to achieve goals.
Exceeds Expectations	 Juggles various goals and achieves most of them.
	 Does not get thrown by tough situations.
	 Does not let everyday problems deflect focus from goals.
	 The employee occasionally beats deadlines for their own work and stay abreast of deadlines for their department.
	 Employee is occasionally proactive and anticipates the needs of the department prior to potential problems arising and bring to supervisor approval.
	 Frequently plans/organizes work to timely and effectively accomplish job duties with appropriate use of resources.

Fully Achieves Expectations	Employees meets deadlines for their own work.
,	Takes responsibility for goal achievement.
	Comfortable being held accountable for achievement.
	Informs others when problems occur.
	Helps teammates achieve goals.
	 Employee responds to departmental needs in a timely manner based on direction of supervisor or co-workers. Example: orders supplies when requested.
	 Work is planned to meet routine volume and timeliness and usually fulfills operational and customer service needs.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	Goal achievement suffers under pressure.
	Lack of confidence sometimes interfered with achievement.
	 Needs to work on achieving several goals at once.
	The employee occasionally misses deadlines for their own work.
	• Employee sometimes responds to departmental needs in a timely manner based on direction of supervisor or co-workers and needs reminders of supervisor or co-workers.
	 Frequently lacks organization and planning of work and does not adequately use available resources.
Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves	Denies failure to achieve goals.
Expectations	Does not seem to care about reaching goals.
	Makes excuses when goals not attained.
	Blames others.
	 The employee often misses deadlines for their own work and co-workers are relied upon to help to complete tasks.
	 Consistently fails to meet expected standards due to lack of effective organization, use of equipment/resources, or inattention to customer service needs.

SERVICE & RELATIONSHIPS - the extent to which the employee's behaviors are directed toward fostering positive working relationships in a civil workplace, respect for one's fellow workers, and cooperation with students, customers, and visitors.

Consistently Exceeds Expectations	 Relates to customers exceedingly well. Hs developed an incredibly loyal customer base. Always delivers on promises. Consistently promotes and maintains a harmonious/productive work environment. Is respected and trusted and often viewed as a role model. Often requested as a work partner. Excellent conflict management skills. Managers call this person a breeze to work with. Effective interacting with people no matter the status.
	Genuinely interested.
Fully Achieves and Occasionally Exceeds Expectations	 Has won us customer loyalty many times. Graceful and tactful under pressure from customers. Always patient, competent, and professional with customers. Solves customer problems with speed and accuracy. Frequently fosters teamwork, cooperation, and positive work relationships. Handles conflict constructively and professionally. Seeks first to understand. Corrects others without being offensive. Assertive, but does not offend. Open to improving interpersonal skills

Fully Achieves Expectations	Usually interacts in a cooperative manner.
	 Avoids disruptive behavior. Deals with conflict, frustration appropriately.
	 Usually competent and professional with customers.
	Courteous and knowledgeable.
	 Manages all but the most challenging customer situations.
	Sense of humor appropriate.
	Gets along OK in most situations.
	Communicates with others well.
	A little awkward in some social situations.
	Manages own anger well.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	Gets annoyed by customers with a lot of questions.
	Sometimes gets sarcastic.
	 Presents a sloppy and uncaring image.
	 On several occasions has lost temper with customers.
	 Conducts personal phone conversations while customers wait.
	 Sometimes has difficulty getting along with others.
	 Has difficulty dealing with conflict, frustration appropriately.
	Customer relation skills need improvement.
	 Does not always listen carefully.
	Quick to lose patience.
	 Sometimes tells inappropriate jokes.
	 Does not use skills in emotionally charged situations.
	Body language and words do not always match.

Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves	Interpersonal relationships are counter-productive to work unit or team functions.
Expectations	Often makes insensitive criticisms of others.
	Talks behind people's backs.
	Received justified complaints from co-workers.
	Has not benefited from coaching.
	Consistently passive-aggressive.
	Tries to look good by attacking others.
	Frequently impolite.
	Condescends to customers.
	Ignores customers.
	Shouted obscenities at a customer.
	Very weak customer relation skills.

Accountability & Dependability - the extent to which the employee contributes to the effectiveness of the department and the overall mission of the University. (NOTE: Time off approved under FMLA may not be considered.)

Consistently Exceeds Expectations	 Work consistently exceeds expectations of quality, quantity, and timeliness.
	Employee always arrives to work on time.
	 Willingly takes accountability for all departmental activities.
	 Can always be counted on to complete assignments.
	Always delivers on promises.
	Highest level of dependability.
	 Achieves results with minimal resources.
	 Always achieves stated goals and more.
	 Assumes personal responsibility for his/her work.
	 Performs work independently and accurately.
	Takes action and makes decisions quickly.
	Always delivers on time.
	 Followed up personally with over customers.

Fully Achieves and Occasionally Exceeds Expectations	 Work frequently exceeds expected quality, quantity, and timeliness standards. Employee usually arrives to work on time. Delivers on promises far more than not. High level of accountability for projects. Does not disappoint when deadlines are tight. Almost always adheres to instructions/directions. Performs most work independently. Delivered_of completed reports on time. Missed only days of work in last year.
Fully Achieves Expectations	 Work usually meets expectations of quality, quantity, and timeliness. Employee normally arrives to work on time. Appropriate level of accountability. Delivers on promises. Adheres to policies and guidelines. Conscientious worker. Accountable for projects. Follows direction and instructions. Needs a little oversight on projects.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	 Often has difficulty meeting expected quality, quantity, and timeliness standards. Employee arrives to work tardy and has been reminded of the work schedule. Fails to accept accountability for missed deadlines. Does not accepted accountability for project failures. Frequently fails to achieve goals. Does not follow directions or instructions. Needs oversight. Does not take action or made decisions without direction. Has missed deadlines times. Returned late from breaks times in the year.

Sometimes Achieves Expectations	Often has difficulty meeting expected quality, quantity, and timeliness standards.
·	Employee arrives to work tardy and has been reminded of the work schedule.
	Fails to accept accountability for missed deadlines.
	Does not accepted accountability for project failures.
	Frequently fails to achieve goals.
	Does not follow directions or instructions.
	Needs oversight.
	Does not take action or made decisions without direction.
	Has missed deadlines times.
	Returned late from breaks times in the year.
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Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves	Consistently fails to meet expected quality, quantity, and timeliness standards.
Expectations	 Employee frequently arrives to work tardy and has been reminded of work schedule and expectations.
	Fails to ever accept accountability for own behavior or results.
	Always attributes failure to others or circumstances.
	Rarely delivers a project on time.
	Does not achieve agreed upon goals.
	Frequently does not follow directions or instructions.
	Needs constant oversight.
	Rarely takes action or makes decisions without guidance or direction.
	Needs frequent reminders to keep projects on track.
	Arrived late out of days in weeks.
	Uses the phone for personal conversations.

EQUITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION - the extent to which the employee treats others with fairness, dignity, and respect, fosters inclusiveness, values individual and group differences (e.g. age, gender, religion, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, nationality, veterans, disability, culture, position, and others), takes efforts to enhance diversity, inclusion and cultural humility, and contributes to departmental and organizational unit diversity strategic goals.

Consistently Exceeds Expectations	Supervisor	 Actively promotes EEO/diversity programs. An excellent model of EEO practices. Ensures staff represents percentage of protected classes in population. Leads in promoting inclusion and diversity and is always results-oriented. Dedicates more than enough resources for supporting diversity and always communicates the value of diversity.
Consistently Exceeds Expectations	Staff/All	 Invites diverse ideas. Sensitive to and respectful of all individuals. Treats everyone the way they wish to be treated and never alienates others.
Fully Achieves and Occasionally Exceeds Expectations	Supervisor	 Promotes and adheres to EEO/diversity program requirements. Provides equal opportunities to members of protected classes. Is free of bias in personnel evaluations. Ensures that staff from disadvantaged backgrounds receive appropriate training. Discourages any form of harassment, bullying, and abrasive behavior and leads in promoting team building activities. Possesses understanding of the perspectives of others and demonstrates mutual respect, equity, and fairness.
Fully Achieves and Occasionally Exceeds Expectations	Staff/All	 Participates and contributes to a shared vision and works hand in hand with everyone when implementing programs. Contributes to positive change and is seen as a spokesperson to promote diversity issues and concerns of others.

Fully Achieves Expectations	Supervisor	 Bases all personnel decisions on performance. Supports EEO and diversity values. Shows no indication of bias. Makes decisions based on performance, not personal characteristics. Has hired from diverse ethnic backgrounds.
Fully Achieves Expectations	Staff/All	 Treats others equitably and respects individual differences. Adheres to EEO/diversity program requirements. Shows no indication of bias. Shows willingness to embrace people from diverse backgrounds and avoids alienating others. Avoids making jokes that may be offensive to others and remains respectful to everyone. Often welcomes and considers the ideas and views of other people. Shows willingness to accept feedback, learn, and listen to concerns of others.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	Supervisor	 Sometimes allows personal bias to affect job relationships. Requires reminders regarding needs and sensitivities of others. Inconsistently adheres to EEO/ diversity program requirements. Needs to strengthen EEO/diversity orientation. Has a lack of gender and racial diversity and beyond in supervisory positions. Underrepresented, minorities enrolled in fewer training sessions. Departmental makeup does not demonstrate a diverse workforce.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	Staff/All	 Often unwilling to embrace people from diverse backgrounds and alienates others. Is closed to the ideas and views of other people. Does not easily accept feedback, learn, or listen to concerns of others.

Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves Expectations	Supervisor	 Has blatantly discriminated. Often ignores EEO/ diversity program requirements. Will not interview underrepresented minority candidates. Has told off-color jokes in staff meetings. Underrepresented minorities consistently receive lower performance ratings.
Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves Expectations	Staff/All	 Lags in supporting positive change and is never seen as a person who is open to the diversity issues of others. Possesses little understanding of the perspectives of others and does not bother to make improvements.

DECISION MAKING & PROBLEM SOLVING - the extent to which the employee makes sound and logical job-related decisions that are in the best interest of the University. (As applicable, this element includes developing and managing human and fiscal resources within the framework of University policy.)

Consistently Exceeds Expectations	 Consistently prevents resolves unit/team problems and promotes improvements. Maximizes resources, innovation/technology to streamline/improve. Analyzes full dimension of complex problems. Develops/implements solutions with minimal supervision. Is a resource to colleagues for hazard safe work information and safe work practices; promotes continuous improvement and sustainable operations. Clearly understands the implications of situations and uses sound judgement when deciding what to do. Makes tough decisions. Decisions always appropriate.
	Decisions always appropriate.
	Weighs options carefully and thoughtfully.

Fully Achieves and Occasionally Exceeds Expectations	 Prevents/resolves unit/team problems. Suggests innovations to improve operations or streamline procedures. Develops/implements solutions with moderate supervision. Will make decision when others are afraid to commit to a course of action. Analytic and decisive. Decisions are well thought out. Promotes hazard awareness and safe work practices among colleagues; reports incidents, near-misses, and concerns. Decisions always result of detailed analysis. Involves others in decision making. Corrects others without being offensive.
Fully Achieves Expectations	 Addresses existing and significant potential problems. Suggest or assists in developing solutions individually or in a team. Carries through solution implementation with routine supervision or follow-up. Resolves routine problems. Usually makes appropriate decisions. Consistently follows standard operation procedures, wears required PPE (if necessary) and properly reports incidents. Gathers ample information to make reasoned decisions. Considers many alternatives. Involves others appropriately when making decisions. Bases decisions on facts not personalities. Communicates decisions clearly and directly.
Sometimes Achieves Expectations	 Exhibits little initiative in identifying problems, solutions, or improvements and/or working proactively as part of a team to address issues of concern. Requires more than routine supervision. Delays making necessary decisions. Often comes to management for help with a decision. Requires reminders follow standard operating procedures and wear PPE (if required). Does not properly report incidents, problematic workplace conditions or concerns. Sticks with status quo rather than making a decision.

	Uses gut rather than facts for decision making.
	Always accepts others' decisions.
Unsatisfactory/Rarely Achieves	 Consistently fails to recognize or seek help in resolving routine problems.
Expectations	 Demonstrates inability to work individually or in a team.
	Rarely suggests improvements.
	Requires frequent reminders and supervision.
	Extremely fearful of making a mistake.
	Logic fails in decision making.
	Often fails to see problems that require decisions.
	Fails to gather necessary information for decision making.
	Frequently makes bad decisions.
	 Does not follow standard operating procedures, wear appropriate PPE (if required), report
	incidents, or manage waste properly.
	Never makes a decision.
	 Avoids decision-making situations.

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