



# COUNTY OF HIDALGO

## Department of Human Resources

Job Title: **CLERK IV**  
Grade: 07

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*The County of Hidalgo Department of Human Resources reserves the right to select candidates considered to be the most highly qualified based on education and experience. The hiring department will interview and select the candidates provided by the Department of Human Resources.*

### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Performs advanced (senior-level) clerical work in areas such as bookkeeping, inventory control, statistics, employment, human resources, purchasing, and accounting; Work involves compiling and tabulating data, checking documents for accuracy, handling and transporting documents and/or stock and inventory, and maintaining files; May train others; May supervise the work of others; Works under limited supervision with considerable latitude for the use of initiative and independent judgment.

### **EXAMPLES OF WORK PERFORMED**

Oversees, prepares, edits, and reconciles discrepancies in, and reviews for accuracy and completeness reports, purchase orders, correspondence, summaries, manuals, vouchers, journals, ledgers, requisitions, records, and other related forms

Answers inquiries regarding procedures and policies, and provides routine information to the public by mail or telephone

Posts information to agency records and modifies forms or records

Assembles, organizes, and tabulates data, and develops charts, graphs, and tables

Maintains and/or oversees the maintenance of files, materials, and supplies, and oversees the receiving, storing, and issuing of stock items

May open and distribute incoming mail and prepare mail-outs

May perform data entry and retrieval and arithmetic computations

May maintain office schedules and appointments

May perform back-up receptionist or telephone switchboard duties

May receive, maintain accountability for, and forward payments to the appropriate agency staff

May screen applicants and assist in orienting employees; may conduct preliminary Interviews

May administer employment tests

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May arrange the scheduling, transfer, and display of surplus property

May make arrangements for or obtain bids for repairs and services

May inspect merchandise for quality and compliance with specifications

May train, oversee or supervise the work of others

Performs related work as assigned

### **EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION**

One academic year from an accredited college or university

Five (5) years of progressive experience in clerical work

One (1) year of related experience may be substituted for one (1) year of education

### **CERTIFICATES, LICENSES AND REGISTRATION**

Must have a current valid Texas motor vehicle operator's license

Must be able to be insured by the County's insurance carrier

### **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES**

Knowledge of business or program terminology, office procedures, spelling, punctuation, grammar, and arithmetic; of records administration and maintenance techniques and procedures; of warehousing procedures; and of state purchasing policies and procedures

Skill in using a personal computer and office equipment; MS Word and Excel

Ability to make arithmetic computations; to prepare and maintain detailed records, files, and reports; to transfer stock from one location to another; to maintain files, and to train or supervise the work of others

Supervisory skills preferred

### **PHYSICAL DEMANDS**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to talk or hear. The employee frequently is required to stand. The employee is occasionally required to walk; sit; use hands to find, handle, or feel objects, tools or controls; reach with hands and arms; climb or balance; stoop and kneel.

The employee must occasionally lift and/or move over twenty-five (25) pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, depth perception, and the ability to adjust focus.

### **WORK ENVIRONMENT**

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounter while performing the essential functions of this job.

The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

## **SAFETY REQUIREMENTS**

Maintain physical conditions appropriate to the performance of assigned duties and responsibilities which may include the following:

- sitting for extended periods of time
- standing for extended periods of time
- operating assigned equipment

Maintain mental capacity which permits:

- making sound decisions and using good judgment
- demonstrating intellectual capabilities

Effectively handle a work environment and conditions which involve:

- working closely with others
- working in a multi-task environment

Maintain effective audio-visual discrimination and perception needed for:

- making observations
- reading and writing
- operating assigned equipment
- communication with others
- required to follow the County of Hidalgo Accident Prevention Plan and department's safety regulations