



Department of State Hospitals

Training & Experience Examination Instructions

EXAMINATION INFORMATION

All parts of this examination belong to the Department of State Hospitals.

HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR TRAINING & EXPERIENCE EXAMINATION

- Read the instructions on the Training & Experience Examination carefully before you begin.
- Please note that your overall score will be determined solely by the information you provide on this Training & Experience Examination. Information on your application will not be used to determine your final score.
- Please utilize the checklist below to complete the 4 sections in the examination.

Section 1: Employment/Education Verification

- Provide any previous and current Employment and/or Education information.
- Use the Employment/Education Verification information to complete Sections 2 and 3.

Section 2: Task Ratings

- EXPERIENCE/EDUCATION Column: Using the Experience/Education Scale, provide the number that corresponds with the total number of years you have performed the item.
- FREQUENCY column: Using the Frequency Scale, provide the number that corresponds with the number of times you have performed the item.
- VERIFICATION column: Mark the appropriate Verification Employment and/or Education box that corresponds to the answers you provided under the Experience/Education and Frequency column for each item.

ITEM	EXPERIENCE / EDUCATION SCALE	FREQUENCY SCALE	EXPERIENCE / EDUCATION	FREQUENCY	VERIFICATION			
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1.	Develop Human Resources training curriculum (e.g. classification & pay, exam development, survey) to ensure a comprehensive class using PowerPoint, manuals, and handouts.		2	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D
2.	Develop training exercises utilizing books, team building concepts, fill-in-the-blanks, and question/answer exercises in order to assist the students comprehend the materials.		2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D

Section 3: Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs) Ratings

- EXPERIENCE/EDUCATION column: Using the Experience/Education Scale, provide the number that corresponds with the total number of years you have applied the item.
- VERIFICATION column: Mark the appropriate verification Employment and/or Education box for each item that corresponds to the answers you provided under the Experience/Education column for each item.

ITEM	EXPERIENCE / EDUCATION SCALE	EXPERIENCE / EDUCATION	VERIFICATION			
	I have applied this knowledge, skills, and/or abilities for: 4 - More than five years 3 - More than three years and up to five years 2 - More than one year and up to three years 1 - More than six months and up to one year 0 - Zero to six months		Employment (Emp)		Education (Edu)	
3.	Knowledge of training techniques to ensure informative and engaging discussions for various audiences.	3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D
4.	Ability to effectively conduct and convey training objectives to audiences with varying levels of understanding.	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D	<input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D



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Section 4: Conditions of Employment

- Mark the type of Appointment and Locations in which you are willing to work.

Signature

- Failure to include an original signature on page 3 of the examination may result in disqualification.

NOTE: INCORRECT MARKS OR BLANK RESPONSES WILL NOT BE SCORED AND MAY AFFECT YOUR OVERALL SCORE OR RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM THIS EXAMINATION.

An example on how to fill out the Training & Experience Examination has been provided on the next page. For additional information on completing the Training & Experience Examination, [please click here](#).

Please submit your completed Training & Experience Examination, along with a State Application (STD. 678) as follows:

Mail or Hand Deliver to:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE HOSPITALS - SACRAMENTO
SELECTION SERVICES UNIT
1600 9TH STREET, ROOM 121
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814
(916) 651-8832



Training Program Specialist

Training & Experience Examination

Read instructions carefully

The California civil service selection system is merit-based and eligibility for appointment is established through a formal examination process. The Training Program Specialist examination consists of a Training & Experience Examination used to evaluate your education, training, and experience. The eligible list resulting from this examination process will be used by the Department of State Hospitals to fill their existing positions.

This Training & Experience Examination will account for 100% of the weight of your examination for this classification. Therefore, please be sure to follow the instructions carefully.

Candidate's Name: John Doe

Social Security Number: 555-00-5555

Address: 1123 Mather Road, Sunny City, CA 91215

*****In order to expedite the examination process, your phone numbers are required*****

Home Phone Number: 123-555-555

Work Phone Number: 123-456-7890

Cellular Phone Number: 123-233-4455

Section 1: Employment/Education Verification

Include any previous and current Employment and/or Education information that may apply to this examination. You will use this information to complete Sections 2 and 3.

Contact may be made to confirm that you have paid or unpaid experience pertaining to the duties and requirements listed in this examination. List all Employment and/or Education information that applies.

EMPLOYMENT Employment A

Job Title: Training Coordinator

Organization Name and Address: ABZ Corporate Agency, 123 Oak Ave, Sacramento, CA 95814

Dates Worked: From: 7/1/2010 To: 7/30/2013

Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: Dana Clark

Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): 555-565-5656

EDUCATION Education A

School Name and Address: University of California, Sunny City

Degree(s) Earned: Business Administration with Concentration in Communications

Date(s) Attended: From: 9/1/2005 To: 5/1/2010

**Training Program Specialist
TRAINING & EXPERIENCE EXAMINATION**

Section 2: Task Ratings

Instructions:

Respond to each of the following items by indicating how the statement applies to you. You are required to respond to every item.

Using the scales (Experience/Education, Frequency, Verification) provided below, you will rate your experience performing specific job-related tasks.

In responding to each item, use the information you listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).

For items 1-2, provide responses regarding your:

- **“Experience/Education”** – Using the Experience/Education rating scale identify the corresponding number for the amount of time, based on your experience and/or education that you have performed the item, and write that number in the Experience/Education box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Frequency”** – Using the Frequency rating scale identify the corresponding number of times you have performed the item, and write that number in the Frequency box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Verification”** – Mark the “Emp” and “Edu” boxes that match your employment and/or education listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**.
Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).
 - Ensure you have marked at least one box for each item in the Verification column.
 - Make sure the Verification column is marked correctly for the Employment/Education you indicated.

	EXPERIENCE / EDUCATION SCALE I have performed this task for: 4 - More than five years 3 - More than three years and up to five years 2 - More than one year and up to three years 1 - More than six months and up to one year 0 - Zero to six months	FREQUENCY SCALE I have performed this task: 4 - More than 30 times 3 - At least 21-30 times 2 - At least 11-20 times 1 - At Least 1-10 times 0 - 0 times			VERIFICATION Employment (Emp)/ Education (Edu)
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2.	Develop training exercises utilizing books, team building concepts, fill-in-the-blanks, and question/answer exercises in order to assist the students comprehend the materials.		2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp__

**Training Program Specialist
TRAINING & EXPERIENCE EXAMINATION**

Section 3: Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs) Ratings

Instructions:

Respond to each of the following items by indicating how the statement applies to you. You are required to respond to every item.

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In responding to each item, use the information you listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).

For items 3-4, provide responses regarding your:

- **“Experience/Education”** – Using the Experience/Education rating scale identify the corresponding number for the amount of time, based on experience and/or education that you have applied the item, and write that number in the Experience/Education box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Verification”** – Mark the “Emp” and “Edu” boxes that match your employment and/or education listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).
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 - Make sure the Verification column is marked correctly for the Employment/Education you indicated.

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3.	Knowledge of training techniques to ensure informative and engaging discussions for various audiences.	3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp__
4.	Ability to effectively conduct and convey training objectives to audiences with varying levels of understanding.	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp__

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Medical Transcriber

Training & Experience Examination

Read instructions carefully

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This Training & Experience Examination will account for 100% of the weight of your examination for this classification. Therefore, please be sure to follow the instructions carefully.

Candidate's Name: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____

*****In order to expedite the examination process, your phone numbers are required*****

Home Phone Number: _____

Work Phone Number: _____

Cellular Phone Number: _____

Section 1: Employment/Education Verification

Include any previous and current Employment and/or Education information that may apply to this examination. You will use this information to complete Sections 2 and 3.

Contact may be made to confirm that you have paid or unpaid experience pertaining to the duties and requirements listed in this examination. List all Employment and/or Education information that applies.

EMPLOYMENT

Employment A

Job Title: _____

Organization Name and Address: _____

Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____

Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

Employment B

Job Title: _____

Organization Name and Address: _____

Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____

Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

Employment C

Job Title: _____
Organization Name and Address: _____
Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____
Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____
Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

Employment D

Job Title: _____
Organization Name and Address: _____
Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____
Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____
Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

Employment E

Job Title: _____
Organization Name and Address: _____
Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____
Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____
Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

Employment F

Job Title: _____
Organization Name and Address: _____
Dates Worked (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____
Name of Supervisor(s) or Person(s) Who Can Verify Your Job Responsibilities: _____
Contact Phone Number(s) of the above Individual(s): _____

EDUCATION

Education A

School Name and Address: _____
Degree(s) Earned: _____
Date(s) Attended (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

Education B

School Name and Address: _____
Degree(s) Earned: _____
Date(s) Attended (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

Education C

School Name and Address: _____
Degree(s) Earned: _____
Date(s) Attended (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

Education D

School Name and Address: _____

Degree(s) Earned: _____

Date(s) Attended (mm/dd/yyyy): From: _____ To: _____

CERTIFICATION – IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING – if not signed, this Examination may be disqualified.

Before a final score is determined, your responses to exam questions will be verified. An exams manager or personnel staff member may contact the individuals or educational institutions you have provided to confirm job dates, experience, duties, achievements, and/or possession of knowledge, skills, and abilities. Failure to provide adequate employment and/or education information may result in a low score or disqualification from this Examination.

If it is determined at any time that you have made any false or inaccurate representations in any of the information you have provided on this Examination, you may be disqualified from this process, removed from the certification list(s), suffer a loss of State employment, and/or suffer a loss of the right to compete in any future State of California hiring processes. You are solely responsible for the accuracy of the responses provided.

This warning has been provided to protect your rights as a job candidate as well as the rights of the department. Be advised that you are expected to answer truthfully and accurately.

I certify and understand that all statements I have made in this Examination are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and contains no willful misrepresentation of falsifications. Failure to include original signature may result in disqualification.

Signature

Date

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:

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**Medical Transcriber
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Name: _____

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Each candidate must meet the minimum qualifications on his/her application by the date it is received. If not, the candidate's application in the examination process will be rejected and his/her Training and Experience Examination will not be scored. Please ensure that your State Application (STD. 678) clearly indicates your education, experience, and licensure information reflective of the minimum qualifications for this examination process as stated below:

EITHER I

In the California state service, one year of experience performing the duties of an Office Assistant II (Typing), Range A (formerly Clerk Typist II, Range A).

OR II

Two years of experience in typing and clerical work, at least one year of which shall have been in work of a medical nature requiring the transcription of dictation from a dictating machine on medical matters and the preparation of a wide variety of medical records and reports.

Both Levels:

Under Pattern II, academic education above the twelfth grade may be substituted for the year of required general experience on the basis of either (a) one year of general education being equivalent to three months of experience; or (b) one year of education of a business or commercial nature being equivalent to six months of experience.

**Medical Transcriber
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Name: _____

Section 2: Task Ratings

Instructions:

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In responding to each item, use the information you listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).

For items 1-9, provide responses regarding your:

- **“Experience/Education”** – Using the Experience/Education rating scale identify the corresponding number for the amount of time, based on your experience and/or education that you have performed the item, and write that number in the Experience/Education box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Frequency”** – Using the Frequency rating scale identify the corresponding number of times you have performed the item, and write that number in the Frequency box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Verification”** – Mark the “Emp” and “Edu” boxes that match your employment and/or education listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**.
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 - Ensure you have marked at least one box for each item in the Verification column.
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1.	Type reports and/or correspondence.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
2.	Communicate through various channels (e.g., telephone, email, visitors) to respond to inquiries.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
3.	Review medical documents and define (spell out) acronyms to ensure accuracy of records.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
4.	Review and edit reports or documents for spelling, grammar, clarity, accuracy, consistency, formatting, and proper medical terminology.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_

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5.	Route reports through various channels (e.g., fax, mail, electronic mail) to ensure it gets to the appropriate staff.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
6.	Contact the appropriate staff to seek clarification of information utilizing various communication tools.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
7.	Process reports and forms (e.g., medical, psychiatric, legal) for inclusion in the medical records.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
8.	Maintain records and logs of material (e.g., date of record and name of person requesting service) in order to keep an accurate tracking.				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
9.	Perform mathematical computations (e.g., the calculation of line counts (tabulations), birthdates, patients' ages).				<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_

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Name: _____

Section 3: Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs) Ratings

Instructions:

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In responding to each item, use the information you listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).

For items 10-18, provide responses regarding your:

- **“Experience/Education”** – Using the Experience/Education rating scale identify the corresponding number for the amount of time, based on experience and/or education that you have applied the item, and write that number in the Experience/Education box. Please complete this for each item.
- **“Verification”** – Mark the “Emp” and “Edu” boxes that match your employment and/or education listed in **Section 1: Employment/Education Verification**. Please reference any paid and/or unpaid experience (e.g., employment, education, volunteer work).
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10.	Knowledge of a variety of medical terms (e.g., medical, psychiatric, legal, forensic) and abbreviations in order to accurately transcribe dictated material.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
11.	Knowledge of various forms and reports (e.g., medical, psychiatric, legal, forensic) in order to process information.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
12.	Knowledge of business English and correspondence to communicate in a professional manner.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
13.	Knowledge of various word-processing software programs to facilitate transcription.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_

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14.	Ability to accurately type at a speed of not less than 45 words per minute.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
15.	Ability to make arithmetical computations to make calculations in the course of work.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
16.	Ability to perform clerical work (e.g. data entry, filing, answering phones) as required.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
17.	Ability to utilize appropriate references, manuals, online tools, etc. to check reports for inconsistencies, discrepancies and inaccuracies.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_
18.	Ability to appropriately edit, revise, and clarify reports without altering the meaning or without changing the style.		<input type="checkbox"/> Emp A <input type="checkbox"/> Edu A <input type="checkbox"/> Emp B <input type="checkbox"/> Edu B <input type="checkbox"/> Emp C <input type="checkbox"/> Edu C <input type="checkbox"/> Emp D <input type="checkbox"/> Edu D <input type="checkbox"/> Emp_

Section 4: Conditions of Employment

DEPARTMENT OF STATE HOSPITALS
CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT
FORM 631(11/12)

Medical Transcriber TRAINING & EXPERIENCE EXAMINATION

Name: _____

If you are successful in this examination, your name will be placed on an active employment list for 12 months and utilized to fill vacancies. Before you mark this form, please consider relocation and distance. If you are not planning to relocate or are not willing to travel to a distant job location, do not select locations that are a great distance from your residence. You may choose multiple locations.

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT YOU WILL ACCEPT

Select at least one of the following types of appointment options:

1. On a permanent basis, I am willing to work:

- Full-Time Intermittent (Not more than 1500 hours per year, equivalent to 9 months at 40 hours/week)
- Part-Time (12 months per year, less than 40 hours/week)

2. On a temporary basis, I am willing to work:

- Full-Time Intermittent (Not more than 1500 hours per year, equivalent to 9 months at 40 hours/week)
- Part-Time (12 months per year, less than 40 hours/week)

LOCATIONS IN WHICH YOU ARE WILLING TO WORK

- San Luis Obispo County
DSH – Atascadero
- Fresno County
DSH – Coalinga
- Los Angeles County
DSH – Metropolitan (Norwalk, CA)
- Napa County
DSH – Napa
- San Bernardino County
DSH – Patton



Please notify the Department of State Hospitals, Selection Services Unit promptly of address or location preference changes at 1600 9th Street, Room 121, Sacramento CA 95814 or (916) 651-8832.