

Food and Beverage Attendant

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JOB PROFILE

TASK ANALYSIS

. Receive and store supplies

- Take delivery of supplies and store and rotate supplies
- Maintain supply levels and the supply storage facilities

Select food items

- Refer to daily menu plan and recipes
- Locate food in refrigerator, freezer or dry goods store
- Move food to preparation benches

B. Prepare and present food

- Portion and plate food for service
- Assist with vegetable and salad preparation
- Present food for service

4. Arranging and setting tables

- Arrange or adjust table floor plans
- Lift and carry tables/chairs as required for functions
- Set up menus, cutlery, glassware and crockery
- Provide silver service as applicable

5. Greet and seat customers/take orders

- Greet and direct customers to their table and assist being seated
- Explain menu details and daily specials, take orders from customers
- Deliver orders to the kitchen and liaise with Chef on details

6. Serve food and beverages

- Carry plates of food from kitchen to tables
- Carry beverages from bar or drink station to tables
- Supply, dispense or mix both alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- Where required, cork bottle and pour beverage at table
- Use espresso machine to make tea/coffee
- Assist customers to drink within appropriate limits

7. Clear and clean tables

- Clear dirty cutlery, glassware and crockery from table
- Wipe down tables, reset cutlery, glassware and crockery

8. Receive monies and operative a cash register

- Use menu to calculate prices and issue bill
- Collect payment (cash/EFTPOS) and use cash register to process bill

Develop/update knowledge and follow company procedures

- Participate in internal training opportunities
- Update skills, knowledge, qualifications and licenses
- Adhere to health, safety and security procedures
- Adhere to food safety and hygiene standards
- Observe catering, cash handling and point-of-sale procedures
 - Comply with marketing initiatives, tools and standards

CRITICAL PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Material handling

Lifting

Frequent 3kg to 8kg; Occasional up to 20kg; > 20kg assistance from coworkers or mechanical aid

Push/pull:

Trolley on hard and/or carpeted surfaces

Carrying:

Frequent 3kg to 8kg; Occasional up to 20kg

Mobility

- Walking:
 - Short distances on even surfaces

Standing:

Dynamic standing

Posture - Back

Bending:

Bending or forward flexion of the trunk

Posture - Upper limbs

Reaching:

Below and above shoulder height under load

Dynamic movement:

Dynamic movements of the upper limb under load

Hand activity

- Grasp:
 - Gross grasp patterns

Hand dexterity:

Hand dexterity and coordination to write and operate equipment

Posture – Lower limbs

Squatting/crouching/kneeling: Occasional

CRITICAL COGNITIVE/ PSYCHOSOCIAL DEMANDS

- Maintain personal presentation standards
- Basic reading comprehension skills
- Basic numerical skills
- Organisation and time management skills
- Ability to do multiple tasks concurrently
- Effectively communicate with peers and customers
- Ability to work in a team
- Capacity to resolve conflicts and negotiate with others
- Follow instructions and take direction
- May be exposed to aggressive customers

ENVIRONMENT/ EQUIPMENT

Environment

- Restaurant, bar, defence barracks, cafes, kitchen, corporate events
- Occasional/frequent wet hands
- Possible exposure to chemicals and irritants (for example cleaning products)
- Maneuvering furniture for functions
- Roster as per site requirements

Equipment

- Trollev
- Personal protective equipment
- Espresso machine
- Cash register
- Bottle openers
- Refrigerators
- Use knives, graters, slicing machine, mixing bowls, etc. to prepare dry and wet food ingredients according to recipes
- Use the following cooking appliances or similar:
 - Fryer
 - Oven
 - Oven
 Combi oven
 - Cook top
 - Microwave
 - Salamander





















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PHYSICAL DEMANDS								
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Material handling	Lifting Floor to waist (FW) Waist to shoulder WS) Above shoulder (AS)		✓ Up to 20kg (FW) – boxes food items, tables/chairs	✓ 3kg to 8kg (FW, WS, AS) – stock, serving food (e.g. plates, platters)				
	Push/Pull		✓ Laden trolley on hard or carpeted surfaces					
	Carrying		✓ Up to 20kg less than 10m – boxes food items, tables/chairs	✓ 3kg to 8kg – serving food (e.g. plates, platters)				
Mobility	Walking			✓ Short distances (tiled floors, carpet, concrete)				
	Running							
	Standing			✓ Usually on hard floors for varying periods (e.g. 1 hour) – serving drinks, taking orders				
	Sitting	✓		✓				
Back/ neck	Bending Forward Lateral/twisting	✓ Neck and trunk extension	✓ Sustained and repeated forward bending – generally up to 50 ⁰ lumbar flexion	✓ Lateral bending/twisting at trunk; forward bending/ flexion at neck				
Upper limbs	Reaching Below shoulder/waist Forward Above shoulder Above head		✓ Repeated above shoulder height under load (e.g. shelving) – flexion/ abduction at shoulders bilaterally	✓ Repeated below shoulder and forward reach under load – serving food/drinks				
	Dynamic movement Shoulders Arms/elbow/ wrists			✓ Generally under load – flexion /extension at elbow; wrist rotation/ flexion/ extension; repeated flexion at shoulders (e.g. carrying plates)				
ctivity	Grasp Power Precision			 Precision and power grasp bilaterally/unilaterally for gripping equipment, knives 				
Hand activity	Hand dexterity Keying/mousing Coordination		✓ Coordination – bilaterally and unilaterally (e.g. operating Espresso machine)					
Lower	Squatting/ crouching/ kneeling		✓ Crouching/squatting – Access low levels					
Other	Driving Automatic Manual							
	Climbing	✓ Dependent upon site – may use step ladders, occasional stairs						

COGNITIVE/PSYCHOSOCIAL DEMANDS							
	R	0	F	С			
Communication			✓ Peers/customers – Clear and concise				
Decision-making		✓					
Problem solving		✓					
Time management			✓ Multiple tasks concurrently				
Working in teams			✓				
Attention to detail			√ High quality service				
Literacy/ Numeracy		✓ Basic reading and numerical skills					
CONTEXTUAL DEMANDS							
	R	0	F	С			
Indoors/outdoors			✓ Predominantly indoors				
Dust	✓						
Excessive temperatures	✓						
Vibration	✓						
Chemical exposure		✓					

KEY										
FREQUENCY		MATERIAL HANDILNG								
DEFINITIONS	% of 8hr working day	Repetitions per day	Repetitions per minute	Repetitions per hour	Repetitions per day					
Rarely = R	1–5%	1–2	1 less than 5	>hourly	1–2					
Occasional = O	6-33%	0-100	1 every 5-15	0 to 12	3–32					
Frequent = F	34-66%	101-800	1 every 1-5	12 to 63	33–200					
Constant = C	67-100%	>800	1 or more	> 63	>200					



















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Arranging and setting tables



Serve food and beverages



Serve food and beverages – using espresso machine



Clear and clean tables



Receive monies and operate cash register



Develop/update knowledge and follow company procedures

















