Program Manager III



Job Code	20000283	Job Family	Program Management	Professional / Knowledge Worker	
Department	Various	Reports to	Various	Union Status	Non- Represented
FLSA Status	Exempt	Pay Grade	2058	This Job is a Lead	No
Last Updated	07/27/2025				

Accountability for Workplace Culture

Our PUD values are at the center of our culture. Putting the safety, health, and well-being of our communities and those we work with is valued above all else and everyone on Team PUD must meet this commitment daily. Nothing we do in achieving our Mission is worth a single injury, and all who interact with us must feel they are valued and welcomed as individuals.

Everyone on Team PUD, in all positions, is accountable for achieving this safe and welcoming culture by:

- 1. Taking full ownership for the safety of themselves and their coworkers, while ensuring everyone feels valued and welcomed.
- 2. Taking action to identify and eliminate their own and others' at-risk behaviors, including the behaviors that may undermine another's feelings of being welcomed and valued.
- 3. Following all safety rules and regulations and ensuring the PUD's expectations for conduct and respect are maintained.
- 4. Openly sharing near-misses, safety learning opportunities, and ways we can learn to be a more welcoming place while encouraging others to do the same.
- 5. Utilizing Stop Work Authority to intervene with anyone, anytime, in any place.
- 6. Intervening or seeking guidance to stop actions that are harmful to the wellbeing, health, or sense of belonging of others, and which are detrimental to our PUD values.

Job Summary

The Program Manager III assists with the strategy, roadmap, and feature definition for a District program or service and also contributes to the development and launch of the program or service, supporting the design and other activities.

Accountabilities

Accountability #1

Assist with the strategy, roadmap, and feature definition for a program and contribute to the development and launch of program services, supporting the design and other activities, and similar responsibilities.

Accountability #2

Assist in increasing service excellence and customer satisfaction through the exploration of new ways to improve existing programs and services; researching and reporting market trends for continuous improvement, and similar responsibilities.

Accountability #3

Assist in building awareness and understanding of new and enhanced services creating encouraging buyin for the program vision, and similar responsibilities.

Accountability #4

Assist in ensuring that programs or service requirements are understood through regular interface with development personnel, work on viable solutions with consideration for contracting, positioning, and customer requirements, and similar responsibilities.

Accountability #5

Contribute to the timely and quality release of program service enhancements by understanding the prioritization and trade-offs between customer experience, business impact, performance, and post-launch support. Support the work of cross-functional design and/or technology teams, and similar responsibilities.

Accountability #6

Contribute to customer understanding and adoption of the program or service through assisting in the drafting of training and post-launch support materials, and similar responsibilities.

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Minimum Qualifications Note

Qualifications – Education and Experience

Minimum Required Education and Experience:

Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, or related field, AND Four (4) years of experience in managing a program, product, or service deliverable, account management, or related;

OR

Eight (8) years of experience in managing a program, product, or service deliverable, account management, or related.

Preferred Education and Experience:

Qualifications – License(s) and/or Certification(s)

Minimum Required License(s) and/or Certification(s):

Valid Washington State Driver's License may be required with a good driving record.

Preferred License(s) and/or Certification(s):

Qualifications – Skills and Abilities

Minimum Required Skills and Abilities:

Project Planning and coordination techniques

Program and Marketing strategy development methodologies

Work independently with minimal direction

Research, analyze, and apply both current and emerging technology, standards and trends

Prioritize and perform a variety of assignments simultaneously, meeting established commitments and deadlines

Negotiation and dispute resolution techniques

Work and communicate effectively, both orally and in writing, with all levels of the organization, outside agencies and the general public

Analyze data, develop reports and make recommendations for program improvement

Preferred Skills and Abilities:

Generating, analyzing, evaluating, and interpreting data for program reports
Recommend new and updated policies that meet regulations and best practices
Interpret complex information for use in developing recommendations for course of action

Competencies

The following competencies describe the cluster of behaviors associated with job success in the job group identified as "Professional / Knowledge Worker".

Adaptability

- Building Customer Loyalty
- Building Partnerships
- Communication
- Continuous Improvement
- Continuous Learning
- Courage
- Decision Making
- Earning Trust
- Emotional Intelligence Essentials
- Facilitating Change
- Influencing
- Initiating Action
- Innovation
- Leveraging Feedback
- Mentoring
- Planning and Organizing
- Positive Approach
- Professional Knowledge and Aptitude
- Stress Tolerance
- Technology Savvy
- Valuing Differences
- Work Standards

Physical Demands List	Frequency
iit	Constant (67-100%)
Valk	Occasional (11-33%)
Stand	Occasional (11-33%)
Drive	Occasional (11-33%)
Work on ladders	Seldom (1-10%)
Climb poles or trees	Never
Nork at excessive heights (note heights in open text box below)	Never
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Bend/Stoop	Seldom (1-10%)
Squat/Kneel	Seldom (1-10%)
Crawl	Never
Reach	Seldom (1-10%)
Work above shoulders (note specific activity in open text box below)	Never
Use Keyboard /mouse	Constant (67-100%)

Use wrist (flexion/extension)	Seldom (1-10%)	
Grasp (forceful)	Occasional (11-33%)	
Fine finger manipulation	Constant (67-100%)	
Operate foot controls	Occasional (11-33%)	
Lift (note weight in open text box below)	Seldom (1-10%)	
Carry (note weight in open text box below)	Seldom (1-10%)	
Push/Pull (note specifics in open text box below)	Seldom (1-10%)	
Work rapidly for long periods	Seldom (1-10%)	
Use close vision	Occasional (11-33%)	
Use distance vision	Occasional (11-33%)	
Use color vision	Constant (67-100%)	
Use peripheral depth perception	Occasional (11-33%)	
Speak	Constant (67-100%)	
Hear	Constant (67-100%)	

Additional Physical Demands not listed above and associated frequency below.

Communication	Frequency
Understand and carry out simple oral instructions	Frequent (34-66%)
Understand and carry out complicated oral instructions	Frequent (34-66%)
Train other workers	Occasional (11-33%)
Work alone	Frequent (34-66%)
Work as a member of a team	Frequent (34-66%)
Follow standards for work interactions	Constant (67-100%)
Write communications for clarity and understanding	Constant (67-100%)
Speak with clarity with others	Constant (67-100%)
Comprehension	Frequency
Read and carry out simple instructions	Constant (67-100%)
Read and carry out complicated instructions	Occasional (11-33%)
Retain relevant job information	Constant (67-100%)
Reasoning	Frequency
Read and interpret data	Constant (67-100%)
Count and make simple arithmetic additions and subtractions	Frequent (34-66%)
Use intermediate and/or advanced math	Frequent (34-66%)
Organization	Frequency

Plan own work activities	Constant (67-100%)	
Plan work activities of others	Occasional (11-33%)	
Direct work activities of others	Occasional (11-33%)	
Resilience	Frequency	
Work under pressure	Constant (67-100%)	
Work for long periods of time	Occasional (11-33%)	
Work on several tasks at the same time	Frequent (34-66%)	

Additional Mental Demands not listed above and associated frequency below.

Work Environment

Environmental Conditions List	Frequency	
Exposure to weather	Seldom (1-10%)	
Wet and/or humidity	Seldom (1-10%)	
Atmospheric conditions	Seldom (1-10%)	
Confined/restricted working environment	Seldom (1-10%)	
Vibratory Tasks – High	Never	
Vibratory Tasks – Low	Never	

Additional Environmental Conditions in this job not listed above and the associated frequency below.

Risk Conditions List	Frequency	
Exposure to Heights	Never	
Exposure to Electricity	Occasional (11-33%)	
Exposure to Toxic or Caustic Chemicals	Seldom (1-10%)	
Working with Explosives	Never	
Exposure to Radiant Energy	Seldom (1-10%)	
Extreme Cold	Seldom (1-10%)	
Extreme Hot	Seldom (1-10%)	
Proximity to Moving Mechanical Parts	Seldom (1-10%)	
Noise Intensity	Seldom (1-10%)	
Exposure to animals	Seldom (1-10%)	
Working with angry customers	Occasional (11-33%)	

Additional Risk Conditions present in this job not listed above and the associated frequency below.

On-Call Status and Frequency	
On-Call is required. ○ Yes ⊙ No	
On-call activities and frequency.	

Work Location

The primary assignment for this position is:

- Remote
- Office Hybrid
- On-Site
- Field/Job Site

While this description has provided an accurate overview of responsibilities, it does not restrict management's right to assign or reassign duties and responsibilities to this job at any time. This position description is designed to outline primary duties, qualifications, and job scope, but not limit our employees or the organization to complete the work identified. In order to serve our customers best, each employee will offer their services wherever and whenever necessary to ensure the success of the District in serving our customers, to further the safety, health, and inclusivity of employees and the public, and achieve expectations of the District overall, while also remaining flexible in recognition of the employee's wellbeing.