



## SIMULATION LABORATORY ASSISTANT – FALL 2021

<b>Term</b>	September 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021
<b>Commitment/Hours</b>	Up to 12 hours weekly, based on lab needs Monday through Friday Evenings and weekends
<b>Rate</b>	\$14.25 hourly plus 4% in lieu of benefits
<b>Requirements</b>	Current enrolment as a student at Queen's University, School of Nursing. Previous experience in a similar environment preferable, but skills can be acquired on-the-job.
<b>Location</b>	On-campus. Labs occur at the School of Nursing, School of Medicine and Clinical Education Centre (CEC).

### Duties and Responsibilities

- 1) Setting up the lab environment and simulation models for:
  - a) Scheduled skills labs and simulations
    - Preparing/moving equipment within lab and between lab sites
    - Following directions to ensure lab stations are stocked with appropriate equipment, paperwork, supplies and medications
  - b) Practice labs
    - Retrieving and setting up supplies based on student/facilitator request
- 2) General laboratory maintenance:
  - Tidying up during and between labs
  - Cleaning after lab sessions and resetting for the next lab session
  - Restocking supplies
  - Labeling and preparing simulated medications for lab use
  - Making sure all equipment is put away properly and in "ready to use" condition
  - Receiving and processing new stock, involving unpacking, counting, and placing items in their storage areas
  - Inventory management: maintaining accurate item counts within inventory program
- 3) Operating simulation equipment:
  - Changing vital signs and symptoms of the SIM based on pre-set states or at the direction of the Instructor
  - Acting in scenarios to facilitate SIM/being the voice of SIM behind one-way glass
- 4) Documenting supply needs, technical issues and other questions for the Simulation Laboratory Manager and Simulation Laboratory Technician for follow-up
- 5) Assisting with Special Events and functions as needed:
  - Tours – Alumni tours, Fall Preview, etc.
  - OSCE Testing
- 6) Other duties as assigned

May occasionally be required to move heavy objects (e.g. equipment, supplies, boxes, chairs/tables).

The selected candidates may be invited to extend their positions into following terms if an excellent work ethic is consistently demonstrated.



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### Special Skills & Decision Making

- Tact, tidiness and eagerness to learn
- Attention to detail
- Takes initiative and works well independently
- Able to follow verbal and written instructions carefully
- Can determine work priorities within established deadlines
- Holds basic laboratory and computer skills
- Can refer potential problem situations to more senior staff
- Experience with some basic simulation lab equipment will be considered an asset

### Application Procedure

Please send the following to the attention of Celine Dunn, Simulation Laboratory Manager, to [csd5@queensu.ca](mailto:csd5@queensu.ca)

1. **Cover Letter:** Please mention if you foresee any additional openings to your timetable (Ex. Electives already taken)
2. **CV**

**Application deadline is Friday, July 30, 2021 at 5:00 PM EST**

Please note:

Only those candidates selected will be contacted for an interview.

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