Job Title: Manager – Academic Advising  
Salary Range: N05  
JTC: CQB  
FLSA: Exempt

Since 1965, we have served more than 3 million students. Dallas County Community College District (DCCCD) is one of the largest community college systems in the state of Texas, which includes seven independently accredited colleges located around the Dallas/Fort Worth area.

POSITION SUMMARY
Responsible for assisting with the day-to-day functions of a segment of work, a sub-section of an organization, or a functional area within an organization.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES
Responsible for assisting with the planning, direction or oversight of a business unit, division, department, or an operating unit within an organization with or without reporting staff. Plans and maintains work systems, procedures, and policies that enable and encourage the optimum performance of its people and other resources within the organization.

Assists in the establishment and implementation of efficient administrative policies, programs and procedures; develop strategic goals and objectives for area(s) of responsibility in conjunction with strategic direction, mission and goals of business unit or organization.

Demonstrated ability to work effectively with both internal and external groups with a cultural, racial and ethnically diverse background; strong commitment to world-class customer service. Recognize emerging trends in area(s) of expertise and prepare for changes that may occur as a result of these trends. Ability to multi-task and/or lead projects to ensure they are completed within timeframe and budget.

Manages the preparation and maintenance of reports necessary to carry out the functions of the department. Prepares periodic reports for management, as necessary or requested, to track strategic goal accomplishment.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS
Normal physical job functions performed within a standard office environment. Reasonable accommodations may be made to individuals with physical challenges to perform the essential duties and responsibilities.

MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE
Bachelor’s degree plus four (4) years of related work experience. Ability to work extended hours beyond
the regular 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. work day during heavy registration peak times. Official transcripts are required. *** Will be subject to a criminal background check. Some positions may be subject to a fingerprint check. ***

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Responsible for assisting the Director/Dean in the day-to-day planning, directing, and evaluation of comprehensive academic advisement programs, college career advisement, and educational planning programs.

Assists with the supervision and daily department operations, including staffing and work schedules, prepares departmental objectives, establish program requirements and departmental needs. Directs the implementation of department quality enhancement plans (QEP) for SACs accreditation. Acts as a resource in answering questions and providing information regarding the interpretation of academic advising policies and procedures for the DCCCD and external agencies as they apply to departmental functions.

Maintains working relationships and interacts with various campus/location offices regarding the preparation and generation of various reports, proposals, and recommendations related to retention and long-range planning for the department; reviews reports and makes recommendations.

Works with faculty and academic divisions in developing, administering and coordinating appropriate student support services related to student development, and academic advising. Provides guidance with the planning, coordinating and implementation of registration activities. Coordinates college/location on-line advisement, transfer information services and advisor training.

Serves as Director in the absence of the Director. Responsible for the selection, training, coaching, development and evaluation of assigned full-time staff. Excellent oral and written communications skills to interact with DCCCD staff, students and adult population from diverse backgrounds.

Supervise two (2) or more full-time staff, may monitor the budget.

Performs other duties as assigned.

The intent of this job description is to provide a representative summary of the major duties and responsibilities performed by incumbents of this job and shall not be construed as a declaration of the total of the specific duties and responsibilities of any particular position. Incumbents may be directed to perform job-related tasks other than those specifically presented in this description. Position requires regular and predictable attendance.