# **Contingent Workers:** Agency Labor Frequently Asked Questions

## WHAT IS AGENCY LABOR?

Individuals filling a staffing need for Geisinger through an external relationship, paid by an agency, for example, registered nurse, administrative assistant, etc.

### HOW ARE THESE INDIVIDUALS ENTERED INTO WORKDAY?

Through a <u>requisition</u> in Workday, like requesting a new employee. Once your requisition is approved and it is posted to an agency, candidates will start to come through the **recruitment process** 

(see page 2).

## **RECRUITMENT PROCESS**

The recruiter will select which agencies receive postings. If you want to add new agencies, please discuss with your Recruiter.

**Candidates go directly to the Hiring Manager** for review when submitted by the agency. For more information, check out **this job aid**.

The agency is notified through Workday when a candidate is selected for interview and contracting. Offline discussions will take place to firm up details such as contract start/end date, etc.

### TIMEKEEPING

Agency workers have schedules and timecards in UKG (Kronos) and/or the appropriate timekeeping system, such as Smart Square.

If you have a contingent worker from an agency who appears in Workday but not Smart Square, please contact **our Employee Contact Center at 570-271-6640 or** <u>employeecontactcenter@geisinger.edu</u>.

### **EXTENDING CONTRACTS**

When a Contingent Worker extends their contract end date and is staying in the same role, submit a Change Job to extend their anticipated Contract End Date. For help, see this job aid.

# **CHANGING CONTRACTS**

If the Contingent Worker is remaining at Geisinger but moving to another department, submit a

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Change Job to change their supervisor. Be sure to choose the Job Managed (JM-) Supervisory Organization. For help, <u>see this job aid</u>.

#### **STREAMLINED HIRING**

To best support our clinical areas, there are certain job profiles for which we have established a shortened hiring process. These jobs are:

CW-00507- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	CW-01995 - Nurse Practitioner
CW-00602 - Clinic Nurse	CW-02002 - Nursing Assistant
CW-01477 - Inpatient Licensed Practical Nurse	CW-03089 - Registered Nurse
CW-01481 - Inpatient Registered Nurse	CW-02510 - Respiratory Therapist Certified
CW-01480 - International Inpatient Registered Nurse	

To fill an opening for one of these job profiles:

- 1. Obtain applicable approvals outside of Workday. (You do not need a job requisition.)
- Email Kimberly Melrose (<u>Kimberly.Melrose@medefis.com</u>) and your Recruiter with the following information:
  - Number of Openings
  - Scheduled Weekly Hours
  - Shift and anticipated schedule
  - Length of assignment (standard is 13 weeks)
  - Start date
  - Job Profile & job description

- Preferred Experience
- Manager Name & Employee ID
- Cost Center & Cost Center Name
- Pay rate
- Location
- **3.** When Kimberly receives information related to potential candidates, she will email that information directly to you, the manager.
- 4. From there, you should immediately call the candidate to interview.
- 5. Feedback can be sent to Kimberly and your recruiter. This includes: if you would like to extend an offer; you weren't interested; or, you weren't able to connect with the candidate.
- 6. When extending an offer, Kimberly will work with you to complete the process.
- 7. Kimberly will work with Geisinger Human Resources to load the worker into Workday.

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