

UPWARD MOBILITY PROGRAM

Annotated Guide

Target Title: **Security Officer**

Position Title Code: 39870

Salary Grade: RC-029

Credential or Certificate: Certificate

This position is located in Veterans Affairs, Mental Health, Central Management Services, Agriculture, Corrections, and Military Affairs. Positions are located in Adams, Clinton, Cook, Kane, Kankakee, Livingston, Logan, Macon, Madison, Morgan, Peoria, Perry, Randolph, Sangamon, Union, and Winnebago counties.

A Security Officer, under general supervision performs safety and protection work at a State facility enforcing regulations, safety and security controls, responding to disturbance calls and taking the initial trained response to protect lives and property; physically restrains hostile and combative individuals to restore peace and order to permit the application of medication or restraint devices; monitors suicidal or homicidal clients; searches for and returns escaped residents; administers first aid, CPR, initial fire response and other emergency procedures when necessary; patrols buildings and grounds checking for breaches of security and unsafe conditions; provides training to less experienced officers; prepares written reports of incidents. Positions allocated to this series differ from security guards in their responsibility for the application of trained physical control of combative individuals; such positions differ from Police Officers in their lack of regular exercise of arrest powers, and lack of responsibility and training in the use of firearms and other weapons. Positions allocated to this class may work alone on a shift, guided by security regulations, and work practices.

Security Officer is not an AFSCME represented title. It is represented by ISEA. Employees who promote into this title are no longer eligible to participate in Upward Mobility.

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