DEPARTMENT:	**OFFICE OF THE AGING**
CLASSIFICATION:	**LABOR APPROVED BY NYSCSC 09/09/2008**
APPROVED:	**MARCH 21, 2007**

DISHWASHER

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: The incumbent is responsible for washing dishes, large pots, pans and cambros; cleaning the kitchen area, utensils and equipment; and cleaning floors. The incumbent is expected to lift heavy objects such as large pots, pans, and cambros on a frequent basis. Work is performed under the direct supervision of a Dietitian, Assistant Dietitian, Dietitian's Aide or cook who checks work for conformance with instructions. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:
1. Washes dishes and cooking equipment such as large pots, pans and cambros;
2. Scrubs pots, pans and cambros and either hand washes or utilizes an automatic dishwasher as appropriate to clean and disinfect the items;
3. Puts cooking equipment away in its proper place once it is cleaned and dried;
4. Maintains the dish room by cleaning and disinfecting the dishwasher and surrounding area;
5. Sweeps, mops, and cleans kitchen-area floors, cooler floors, etc.;
6. Receives used cambros and equipment and carts them to the dishwashing room;
7. Assists with the loading of full cambros onto carts and moves them to the loading area;
8. Takes out garbage;
9. Shovels snow when assigned;
10. Assists with jail serving line when assigned.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:
Working knowledge of the proper methods of storing and serving food and/or the care of cooking implements (pots, pans, etc.), insulated cambros and kitchen appliances; working knowledge of modern cleaning methods and the use of cleaning supplies and appliances; ability to follow simple oral and written directions; ability to lift heavy objects on a frequent basis; physical strength and stamina; willingness to be exposed to hot temperatures, dust, dirt, grease, grime, and offensive odors; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: None