

## **Recognition of Previous Experience**

Covenant Health may recognize relevant work experience hours from prior positions to determine your salary placement. You must provide verification of your previous experience hours from your former employer(s).

## Use this form to provide applicable work experience hours and have your salary placement assessed.

- This form is for new hires in unionized positions. If you are in an out-of-scope position, please speak to your manager.
- Ensure your resume clearly identifies all previous related work experience including dates employed. Note: job descriptions/position information may be requested to confirm if experience is relevant to your new role.
- Recognition of experience will be in accordance with the applicable <u>collective agreement</u>. For more information, refer to the collective agreement applicable to your position.
- ONLY hours worked prior to your start date with Covenant Health will be considered. No recognition will be given to positions held at the same time while employed with Covenant Health.
- To have your starting salary step reassessed retroactive to your start date, you are required to submit completed Recognition of Previous Experience form(s) and supporting documents (if provided by employer) within ninety (90) days from your start date with Covenant Health.
- If you are unable to access the required information within the timelines identified above, an extension may
  be granted by submitting a request in writing to HR Business Support & System Solutions (HRBSSS)
  through the <u>HR Contact Centre ServiceHub</u>. Failure to provide the information within ninety (90) days and
  without written notification to HRBSSS will result in no retroactivity to the salary adjustment.
- It is your responsibility to send completed Recognition of Previous Experience form(s) and supporting
  documents (if available) to HRBSSS for review. Note: T4's and Records of Employment are not accepted
  as supporting documents.
- It may take six (6) to eight (8) weeks <u>after all required information is submitted</u> to have your request assessed by HRBSSS and submitted for processing. Delays may occur where the information is not complete or not clear.

## How to submit your request:

- 1. Complete 'Section I' and send the form to your previous employer(s) to provide your experience hours. A separate form is required for each employer.
- 2. Your previous employer(s) completes 'Section II' and returns the completed form to your address. Your Employer may attach supporting documents if necessary (e.g. portability letters).
- Submit completed forms and supporting documents to HRBSSS through the <u>HR Contact Centre ServiceHub</u>. Refer to the <u>Recognition of previous experience, portability and site transfers</u> section on the New Employee Page on how submit your request through the HR Contact Centre ServiceHub.

**Note:** this form is used to adjust rates of pay only. If you are interested in porting other entitlements (e.g., vacation accrual date, sick bank), please include the request in your case when submitting your forms. For more information regarding eligibility, refer to the <u>collective agreement</u> applicable to your position.

- 4. Once all completed documentation is received by HRBSSS, your previous work experience will be evaluated as it relates to your position and, where applicable, your salary will be adjusted.
- 5. You will be notified of the decision through the case submitted via the HR Contact Centre ServiceHub.

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Covenant Health may recognize previous experience for the purposes of determining employees' rate of pay, where there is provision for Recognition of Previous Experience in the Collective Agreement. To place a new employee at the appropriate basic rate of pay, Covenant Health requires verification of previous work experience.

Section I: Employee Information (to be completed by employee)									
Employee Name						Employee ID			
Street Address		City			Provin	ce/State	Postal Code		
I worked for (previous employer)									
Department			Location						
Employee Signature			Date (yyyy-Mon-dd)			Phone Number			
Section II: To be completed by employ	er and ret	urned to	o the	employe	е <b>–</b> аП	fields m	ust he cor	mnleted	
Employer Name			arried to the employee air			noido in	Fax Number		
Street Address			City			Provin	Province/State Postal/ZIP Code		
Contact Name			Title Email			Address (must be business email address)			
Employee's Name(s) while employed				Job Title					
Position Status (e.g. regular/temporary full-time, part-time, call Regular						oyment (Paid, Volunteer or Student?)  Volunteer  Student			
Hire Date (yyyy-Mon-dd)							Total Employment Hours (Prior to Covenant Health start date ONLY)		
Salary Rate	Salary Step (if applicable)				Hours towards next step increment				
Vacation Entitlement Date (yyyy-Mon-dd)	Sick Bank (hours)					Union (if applicable)			
Contact Signature				Date (yyyy-Mon-dd)			Phone Number		
Section III: To be completed by HR Business Support & System Solutions									
Date Received (yyyy-Mon-dd)	ived (yyyy-Mon-dd)  Date Processed			(yyyy-Mon-dd)			Specialist		

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