



State of New Jersey

Department of Human Services

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The New Jersey Department of Human Services invites you to apply for the following position:

JOB POSTING #:	037-26	ISSUE DATE:	2/5/2026	CLOSING DATE:	2/12/2026			
TITLE:	Head Cook 3							
LOCATION:	Green Brook Regional Center 275 Greenbrook Road Green Brook, NJ 08812	RANGE:	R12					
		SALARY:	\$43,236.54 - \$62,340.34					
		UNIT SCOPE:	K452					
OPEN TO:	Green Brook Regional Center Employees							
DESCRIPTION								
DEFINITION:	Under general supervision of a Food Service Supervisor in a state institution or agency, assumes responsibility for preparation and cooking of food in an institution kitchen serving generally fewer than 500 persons; does other related duties as required							
	Shift: 11:00 am to 7:30 pm RDO – Fri/Sat							
NOTE:	The examples of work for this title are for illustrative purposes only. A particular position using this title may not perform all duties listed in this job specification. Conversely, all duties performed on the job may not be listed.							
REQUIREMENTS								
REQUIREMENTS:	Three (3) years of experience as a cook which shall have involved preparation of all kinds of food in large quantities in the kitchen of a club, hotel, hospital, restaurant, or institution, and which shall have included one (1) year of supervisory experience in a position embracing the responsibility for all phases of kitchen management.							
LICENSE:	Appointee will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform essential duties of the position.							
IMPORTANT NOTICES								
FOREIGN DEGREES:	Degrees and/or transcripts issued by a college or university outside of the United States <u>must be evaluated</u> by a reputable evaluation service at your expense. The evaluation must be included with your submission. Failure to submit the required evaluation may result in an ineligibility determination.							
RESIDENCY:	In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7 (NJ PL 70), the "New Jersey First Act", all employees must reside in the State of New Jersey (NJ), unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in NJ, you have (1) year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to NJ.							
DRUG SCREENING:	If you are a candidate for a position with DHS, you may be subject to pre and/or post-employment drug testing/ screening. The cost of any pre-employment testing <u>will be at your expense</u> . Candidates with a positive drug test result, or those who refuse to be tested and/or cooperate with the testing requirement, will not be hired. You will be advised if the position for which you're being considered requires drug testing and how its administered.							
CIVIL SERVICE LISTS:	Applicable regular or special re-employment list(s) established as a result of a layoff will be used before promotions are made. All appointments will be made utilizing the procedures and guidelines in accordance with N.J.A.C. 4A.							
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS:	In accordance with the "Pay Transparency Act", the NJ State Benefits Package includes: State Health Benefits Program (medical, dental, prescription drug and vision care); Pension; Deferred Compensation; Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) participation; Tuition Reimbursement; Flexible and Health Spending Accounts (FSA/HSA); Paid holidays; Paid Leave (vacation days, sick days and administrative leave days) Life Insurance; Tax\$ave; NJ Well; State Employee Discount Program; Employee Advisory Service (EAS); Please be advised that eligibility for any of the benefits listed may vary pursuant to job duties, operational need, funding, policy, procedures and/or guidelines.							

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Forward a cover letter, resume, and transcript (if applicable) electronically to:

DDD-GRC.RESUME@dhs.nj.gov

You must include the Job Posting #, and Last Name in the subject line of your email. Example: (123-25, Smith)