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Work Experience

Powder Coat Painter

Expectra powder coating-Muscatine, IA

May 2024 to Present

- Applied powder coat paint to various metal surfaces, ensuring even coverage and smooth finish
- Operated and maintained powder coating equipment, including spray guns, booths, and ovens
- Prepared metal surfaces for painting by cleaning, sanding, and applying appropriate primers
- Followed safety protocols and guidelines to protect personal health and maintain a safe work environment
- Troubleshoot equipment issues and performed routine maintenance tasks as needed
- Utilized masking techniques to protect specific areas from being coated during the painting process

Stower

Amazon-Aurora, CO

November 2023 to April 2024

- Collaborated with warehouse team to organize storage areas for optimal efficiency
- Adhered to safety protocols at all times to prevent accidents or injuries in the workplace
- Utilized handheld scanners or computer systems to track inventory movement within the warehouse
- Followed company procedures when handling hazardous materials or fragile items
- Communicated effectively with supervisors and coworkers regarding daily tasks and priorities

Direct Support Staff

Woodward Academy (IA)-Woodward, IA

December 2022 to October 2023

- Implemented individualized care plans to meet the specific needs of each client
- Monitored and documented clients' progress and behaviors on a regular basis
- Collaborated with a multidisciplinary team including doctors, therapists, and social workers to ensure comprehensive care for clients
- Supported clients in developing independent living skills such as cooking, cleaning, and managing finances
- Fostered a safe and supportive environment for clients by promoting positive interactions and conflict resolution strategies
- Safely administered medications following established protocols under the supervision of healthcare professionals

Work Cell Operator

Allsteel-Muscatine, IA

February 2016 to March 2019

- Operated CNC machines to produce precision parts according to specifications
- Performed routine maintenance and troubleshooting on CNC machines to ensure optimal performance

- Monitored machine operations, making adjustments as necessary to maintain quality standards
- Inspected finished products for accuracy, ensuring they met all quality control standards
- Trained new employees on machine operation, safety protocols, and quality control procedures
- Adhered to strict safety guidelines while operating CNC machines, minimizing the risk of accidents or injuries
- Troubleshoot machine malfunctions, identifying root causes and implementing corrective actions to minimize downtime
- Maintained accurate documentation of production activities including setup sheets, inspection records, and work orders

Line Cook/Prep Cook/Dishwasher/Expo

Applebee's-Muscatine, IA

February 2014 to August 2017

- Prepared and cooked a variety of dishes according to recipes, quality standards, and presentation guidelines
- Managed food inventory and ensured proper storage and rotation of ingredients to minimize waste
- Maintained a clean and organized work station, following sanitation guidelines at all times
- Assisted in training new line cooks on cooking techniques, recipe execution, and safety procedures
- Adhered to portion control guidelines while plating dishes for consistent portion sizes
- Followed all food safety regulations including temperature monitoring and labeling of prepared foods
- Communicated effectively with servers regarding special requests or modifications from customers
- Worked efficiently under pressure during busy service periods to meet customer demands without compromising quality

Education

High school diploma

Muscatine, IA

August 2013 to May 2016

Skills

- Forklift (6 years)
- CPI (1 year)
- CNC
- Machining

Certifications and Licenses

Driver's License