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Workforce Solutions and Hidalgo County Adjusts Eligibility Requirements for Disaster Relief Jobs

Workforce Solutions and Hidalgo County have adjusted the job requirements for the more than 80 jobs available to help with disaster relief.

The positions available are:

- 7 Heavy Equipment Operators – Two years of experience required
- 7 Truck Drivers – CDL license/No experience required
- 71 Maintenance Workers- Lift and move more than 25 lbs./No prior work experience required
Educational requirements - No high school diploma or GED required

Workforce Solutions is taking applications online at **WFSolutions.org** for these temporary jobs.

All applicants must first apply online at wfsolutions.org. Job seekers can go to the registration page by clicking on the “Disaster Relief Jobs” icon on the home page. People interested can apply from home or go to the Workforce Solutions Offices (Edinburg, Mission and Weslaco) where computers are available on-site to submit their online application.

- Registered applicants will be contacted within 24 to 48 hours on business days for prescreening. Priority will be given to residents affected by the floods that occurred between May 4 and June 19, 2015.
- Individuals will be required to pass a drug test.
- Workforce Solutions Offices will process applicants to determine their eligibility for the program.

Workforce Solutions is committed to employing a highly qualified workforce that reflects the diversity of our region. All applicants will receive consideration without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, age, political affiliation, non-disqualifying physical disability, sexual orientation, and any other non-merit factor. Workforce Solutions is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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