# PUBLIC SERVICE ASSOCIATE I Fulltime position available at Main

Class: LS Status: Non-Exempt

Boone County Public Library is seeking a motivated individual with a positive attitude for the position of Public Service Associate. Under the general direction of the Branch Manager, the Public Service Associate is responsible for providing library service for reference and general readers' service to the public. The Public Service Associate interacts extensively with the public and other staff members. This fulltime (40 hours per week) position will work days, nights and a weekend rotation.

# As a Public Service Associate, a typical date may include the following...

- Answer reference questions, in person and through various means of communication, using a variety of formats and sources
- Assist customers with locating materials and using library resources and technology
- Provide formal and informal bibliographic and Internet instruction
- Answer questions regarding customer accounts, library programs and services, and library policy and procedure
- Assist with adult programming and presentations
- Assist with bibliographies, displays, exhibits
- Perform general desk duties

Perform related duties as assigned

#### This job maybe a good fit for you if you have...

Two years of post secondary education in a related discipline

1-2 years related work experience providing customer service in a library, retail or service environment **OR** 

Combinations of related education and experience will be considered

#### **OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

Knowledge and appreciation of classic and current adult literature and media Awareness of current social and cultural topics and trends Ability to deal tactfully and effectively with the public and other staff members Excellent interpersonal and communication skills both verbally and in writing Proficiency with computers, the Internet and various software programs

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#### PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Light to medium work [lifting, pushing or pulling 20-50 lb. maximum] Reaching, bending, kneeling and crouching to retrieve and replace library materials Movement throughout the facility locating/retrieving materials and assisting users for 4-8 hour shifts Handling and manipulating library materials; fingering pages, cards, forms, etc Operating computer and audiovisual equipment Visual acuity sufficient to identify materials on shelving up to 90 inches in height and to read primarily typed or printed text in a variety of type sizes

#### What we have to offer...

\$14.00 per hour, salary commensurate with education/experience, includes excellent benefits package, which includes healthcare, dental and vision coverage at no cost to employee, and participation in the County Employee Retirement System.

#### Position will remain open until filled.

# If you have what we're looking for in this position, send cover letter, job application and resume to:

Human Resources Manager Boone County Public Library 1786 Burlington Pike Burlington, KY 41005 E-mail: jobs@bcpl.org Fax 859-689-0410