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DEPARTMENT OF CITYWIDE
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REQUIRED FORMS
APPLICATION FORM
EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE TEST PAPER
FOREIGN EDUCATION FACT SHEET (IF APPLICABLE)

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NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

**PROCUREMENT ANALYST (HHC)
Exam No. 3049
(For The New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation Only)**

WHEN TO APPLY: From: October 3, 2012 **APPLICATION FEE: \$47.00**
To: October 23, 2012 **If you pay online by credit card, bank card or debit card, you will receive a \$5.00 discount.**

WHAT THE JOB INVOLVES: Procurement Analysts (HHC) under supervision, with some latitude for independent initiative and decision making, assist procurement personnel in purchasing goods, services, construction and/or construction-related services, and/or in processing procurement documents and contracts; confer with, advise and assist operational, technical and professional staff in the procurement process and manage contracts for services as assigned. All Procurement Analysts (HHC) perform related work.

(This is a brief description of what you might do in this position and does not include all the duties of this position.)

THE SALARY: The current minimum salary is \$34,903 per annum. This rate is subject to change. There are three assignment levels within this class of positions. Appointments will be made to Assignment Level I. After appointment, employees may be assigned to a higher assignment level at the discretion of the Health and Hospitals Corporation.

HOW TO APPLY: If you believe you meet the requirements in the "How to Qualify" section, you may submit an application on the Online Application System (OASys) at www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs. Follow the onscreen application instructions for electronically submitting your application and payment, and completing any required forms. A valid email address is required to file online. Several internet service providers, including but not limited to Google, Yahoo!, Hotmail, and AOL, offer free email addresses. The following methods of payment are acceptable: major credit card, bank card associated with a bank account, prepaid debit card which you may purchase online or at various retail outlets, or money order payable to DCAS (Exams). If you pay online by credit card, bank card, or debit card, you will receive a \$5.00 discount. You may come to the DCAS Computerized Testing Centers to file for this examination online, submit a money order, or obtain a paper application for this examination.

The centers will be open Monday through Saturday from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM:

Manhattan
2 Lafayette Street
17th Floor
New York, NY 10007

Brooklyn
210 Joralemon Street
4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201

The Computerized Testing Centers will be closed on Monday, October 8, 2012.

Special Circumstances Form: This form is included in the application package available at the DCAS Computerized Testing Centers and located on the DCAS website at www.nyc.gov/html/dcas/downloads/pdf/misc/exam_special_circumstances.pdf. This form gives important information about claiming Veterans' or Legacy credit, and notifying DCAS of a change in your mailing address. Follow all instructions on the Special Circumstances form that pertain to you when you complete your "Application for Examination."

HOW TO QUALIFY: You are responsible for determining whether or not you meet the qualification requirements for this examination prior to submitting your application. If you are marked "Not Qualified," your application fee will not be refunded and you will not receive a score.

Education and Experience Requirements: By the last day of the Application Period you must have:

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college **and** six months of satisfactory full-time professional experience in procurement of goods, services, construction or construction-related services, or professional, technical or administrative experience in contract negotiation/management; or

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2. An associate degree or completion of 60 semester credits from an accredited college, **and** 18 months of satisfactory, full-time professional experience as described in “1” above; or
3. A four-year high school diploma or its educational equivalent **and** two and one-half years of satisfactory full-time professional experience as described in “1” above; or
4. A combination of education and/or experience equivalent to “1”, “2”, or “3” above. College education may be substituted for professional experience under “2” or “3” above at the rate of 30 semester credits from an accredited college for 6 months of experience. However, all candidates must have at least a four-year high school diploma or its educational equivalent and 6 months of the experience described in “1” above.

Professional, technical, or administrative experience includes the authority to make critical decisions about matters of significance. It does not include basic clerical tasks such as filing, typing and data entry, answering the telephone, sorting and copying materials.

The high school diploma or its educational equivalent must be approved by a State’s Department of Education or a recognized accrediting organization. The college or university must be accredited by regional, national, professional, or specialized agencies recognized as accrediting bodies by the U.S. Secretary of Education and by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA).

If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. This is required **only** if you need credit for your foreign education in this examination.

You must clearly specify in detail all of your relevant education and experience on your Education and Experience Test Paper and submit it by the end of the filing period. You will **not** receive credit for education and experience which you obtain after the end of the filing period, nor will you be permitted to submit new or additional information about your education and experience once the filing period has ended.

Medical Requirement: In accordance with applicable Federal, state and local laws and regulations, the NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation has established medical standards for this position. Accordingly, all eligibles will be required to undergo and pass a medical examination prior to the date of appointment to ensure that those medical standards have been met. Additionally, eligibles will be subject to a drug screening test prior to the date of appointment.

Residency Requirement (HHC): City Residency is not required for this position.

English Requirement: You must be able to understand and be understood in English.

Proof of Identity: Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, you must be able to prove your identity and your right to obtain employment in the United States prior to employment with the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation.

REQUIRED FORMS:

1. **Application for Examination:** If you are applying online, follow the online instructions. If you are applying by mail, make sure that you follow all instructions included with your application, including payment of fee. Save a copy of the instructions for future reference.
2. **Education and Experience Test Paper:** Fill out Sections A.1 (if applicable), A.2, A.4 (if applicable), B, C (if applicable), and D (if applicable). This form must be filled out completely and in detail for you to receive your proper rating. Keep a copy of your completed Education and Experience Test Paper for your records. If you are applying online, follow the online instructions. If you are applying by mail, write your social security number and the examination title and number on the cover page and on each of the remaining pages of this form.
3. **Foreign Education Fact Sheet (Required only if you need credit for your foreign education in this examination):** If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. The services that are approved to make this evaluation are listed on the Foreign Education Fact Sheet included with your application packet. When you contact the evaluation service, ask for a "document-by-document" (general) evaluation of your foreign education. You must have one of these services submit its evaluation of your foreign education directly to the Department of Citywide Administrative Services no later than eight weeks from the last date for applying for this examination.

THE TEST: Your score will be determined by an education and experience test. You will receive a score of 70 points for meeting the education and experience requirements listed above. After these requirements are met, you will receive additional credit up to a maximum of 100 points on the following basis:

If you have satisfactory full-time professional procurement experience in U.S. government service (City, State, Federal) for:	You will receive:
At least 1 year but less than 2 years	10 points
At least 2 years but less than 3 years	20 points
3 or more years	30 points

If you have satisfactory full-time professional procurement experience in non-U.S. government service for:

	You will receive:
At least 1 year but less than 2 years	5 points
At least 2 years but less than 3 years	10 points
3 or more years	15 points

Possession of the following currently maintained professional procurement certifications:

	You will receive:
Certified Professional Public Buyer (CPPB)	5 points
Certified Public Purchasing Officer (CPPO)	10 points
Certified Purchasing Manager (CPM)	10 points

You will receive a maximum of one year of experience credit for each year you worked. If you have any of the above experience on a part-time basis, it will be credited according to the equivalent percent of full-time experience. Each year of experience will be credited under only one category which will be the highest appropriate category. **Education and experience used to meet the minimum requirements cannot be used to gain additional credit.**

You must clearly specify in detail all of your relevant education, experience, and professional procurement certification(s) on your Education and Experience Test Paper and submit it by the end of the filing period.

You will **not** receive credit for education, experience, and professional procurement certification(s) which you obtain after the end of the filing period, nor will you be permitted to submit new or additional information about your education, experience, and professional procurement certification(s) once the filing period has ended.

Education, experience, and professional procurement certification(s) must be obtained by **the last day of the application period.**

THE TEST RESULTS: If you pass the education and experience test, your name will be placed in final score order on an HHC eligible list and you will be given a list number. You will be notified by mail of your test results. If you meet all requirements and conditions, you will be considered for appointment when your name is reached on the eligible list.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Selective Certification for Electronic Procurement System Experience: If you have one year of satisfactory full-time experience using an Electronic Procurement System such as eCommerce or GHX you may be considered for appointment to positions requiring this experience through a process called Selective Certification. If you qualify for Selective Certification, you may be given preferred consideration for positions requiring this experience. Follow the instructions given to you in the test booklet on the day of the test to indicate your interest in such Selective Certification. If you meet the Selective Certification requirement at some future date, please submit documentation by mail to: DCAS Bureau of Examinations – GEG, 1 Center Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007. Please include the examination title and number and your social security number on your correspondence.

Reemployment of public service retirees: HHC has promulgated rules regarding the reemployment of persons who have already retired from public service. Any such retired person is advised to consult with HHC Human Resources Management, Office of Certification and Examinations at (212) 788-3568 to determine whether he or she would be eligible for appointment from an eligible list established for this examination.

Application Receipt: **If you applied online,** you will be emailed a receipt immediately after you have applied for the examination. If you do not receive this receipt, contact this agency at OASys@dcas.nyc.gov. Include your social security number and the examination number and title in your email. **If you applied by mail,** you will be mailed a receipt within three months of the last date of the application period. If you do not receive this item, write to this agency, Attention: Examining Service Section, 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007 to request verification that your application was received. Include your social security number and the examination number and title in your request.

List Termination: The eligible list resulting from this examination will be terminated one year from the date it is established, unless extended by the NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation.

This examination is for positions with Health and Hospitals Corporation (HHC) only. If you would like to apply for Procurement Analyst in City agencies you must submit a separate application and fee for Exam. No. 3037 from October 3, 2012 through October 23, 2012.

PENALTY FOR MISREPRESENTATION: Any intentional misrepresentation on the application or examination may result in disqualification, even after appointment, and may result in criminal prosecution.

The General Examination Regulations of the Department of Citywide Administrative Services apply to this examination and are part of this Notice of Examination. They are posted and copies are available at nyc.gov/dcass and at the DCAS Computer Testing Centers.

The New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
Title Code No. 963510; Procurement Analyst Occupational Group.

**For information about other exams call 212-669-1357.
Internet: nyc.gov/dcass**