Grace Mensah

Kitchen Cleaner

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SUMMARY

Kitchen cleaner with 2 years of overnight deep cleaning in a commissary kitchen that supplies 12 restaurants. Handles degreasing of hoods and equipment, floor scrubbing and drains, and uses cleaning chemicals safely with SDS sheets to keep sanitation at inspection level. Able to work independently on night shifts and reports equipment problems before the morning crew arrives.

EXPERIENCE

Kitchen Cleaner

11/2024 - Present

West Loop Commissary Kitchens — Chicago, IL

Central kitchen producing sauces, breads and prep for 12 restaurants, cleaned overnight by a 3-person crew.

- Complete deep cleaning of a **9,000** sq ft kitchen each night, including ovens, kettles, mixers and walk-in coolers.
- Handle degreasing of 4 hood systems and soak filters weekly, keeping the kitchen ready for fire inspections.
- Run the floor scrubber and clear floor drains, with zero pest findings on 3 health inspections.
- Record every task in the cleaning logs and report broken equipment to the morning manager before 6 a.m.

Custodian

02/2024 - 10/2024

Lakeshore Office Services — Chicago, IL

Commercial cleaning company serving downtown office buildings on evening shifts.

- Cleaned 3 floors of office space, break rooms and restrooms on the evening shift.
- Mixed cleaning chemicals at the correct ratios and stored them by SDS rules.
- Emptied trash and recycling from 150 workstations and kept the dumpster area clean.
- Stripped and waxed hallway floors every quarter as part of floor care with a 2-person crew.

SKILLS

- Deep Cleaning
- Degreasing
- Floor Scrubber
- Cleaning Chemicals
- SDS
- Cleaning Logs
- Floor Care
- Trash and Recycling
- Sanitation
- Work Independently

EDUCATION

High School Diploma

06/2023

Kenwood Academy — Chicago, IL

CERTIFICATES

Food Handler Training

12/2024

Chicago Department of Public Health accredited program