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# Human Resource Personnel Clerk Job Interview Preparation Guide.

# Question #1

Do you work well within a team?

### Answer:-

Some people are thrown when they are asked this Human Resource Personnel Clerk question when they are applying for a position to work alone. Every company works as a team, so you are a good team player, give an example of when you have worked well within a team.

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## Question # 2

How do you stay organized?

### Answer:

By maintaining proper routine every day. Putting my strongest points with my weakness. High priority always comes first As Human Resource Personnel Clerk.

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# Question #3

Where do you see your career in five years As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:-

I would like to retire from this company. I would like to make a difference in the company whether in the company or any other position or area of the company As Human Resource Personnel Clerk.

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# Question # 4

Why was there a gap in your employment As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:

If you were unemployed for a period of time, be direct and to the point about what you've been up to (and hopefully, that's a litany of impressive volunteer and other mind-enriching activities, like blogging or taking classes). Then, steer the conversation toward how you will do the job and contribute to the organization: "I decided to take a break at the time, but today I'm ready to contribute to this organization in the following ways."

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# Question # 5

Would you like doing repetitive work?

# Answer:-

Why not, I am not only doing a repetitive work but also earning but also getting a good salary by the company As Human Resource Personnel Clerk. And second thing is that nothing is interesting in the life till we are not interested.

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# Question # 6

How do you handle your anger?

# Answer:

I don't get angry very easily but in the rare occasion that I do, I hold it in and act as though nothing is wrong.

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# Question #7

How well do you know this industry?



### Answer:-

Two things businesses need to pay attention to in their industries are what their competition is doing and the customers. You may not always agree with your competitors but it is important to be aware of what changes they are making. Very well. I have been in the industry for over 6 years.

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# Question #8

How would you estimate the weight of the Chrysler building?

### Answer:-

This is a process guesstimate where the interviewer wants to know if you know what to ask. First, you would find out the dimensions of the building (height, weight, depth). This will allow you to determine the volume of the building. Does it taper at the top? (Yes.) Then, you need to estimate the composition of the Chrysler building. Is it mostly steel? Concrete? How much would those components weigh per square inch? Remember the extra step: find out whether you're considering the building totally empty or with office furniture, people, etc. If you're including the contents, you might have to add 20 percent or so to the building's weight.

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### Question #9

If you look at a clock and the time is 3:15, what's the angle between the hour and the minute hands?

### Answer:-

Usually, if the answer to a brainteaser seems too easy, chances are the answer's wrong. And in this case, the answer is not zero degrees. The hour hand, remember, moves as well. That is, in addition to the minute hand. And so, at 3:15, the hour hand and the minute hand are not on top of each other. In fact, the hour hand has moved a quarter of the way between the 3 and 4. This means it's moved a quarter of 30 degrees (360 degrees divided by 12 equals 30). So the answer, to be exact, is seven and a half degrees (30 divided by four).

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### Question # 10

What challenges are you looking for in this position?

### Answer:-

A typical interview question to determine what you are looking for your in next job, and whether you would be a good fit for the position being hired for, is "What challenges are you looking for in a position As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?" The best way to answer questions about the challenges you are seeking is to discuss how you would like to be able to effectively utilize your skills and experience if you were hired for the job. You can also mention that you are motivated by challenges, have the ability to effectively meet challenges, and have the flexibility and skills necessary to handle a challenging job. You can continue by describing specific examples of challenges you have met and goals you have achieved in the past.

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# Question # 11

Why are you leaving the present company?

# Answer:-

According to me we can not grow in the field without taking more responsibilities and risks and also we can't enhance our team leading capabilities, managerial skills without expose to wide range of people.

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# Question # 12

Why do you want to join our company?

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This is a question that is aimed at finding out whether you know enough about the company and the basic market. The best way to answer this question is to do some research on the company and highlight its positive points.

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# Question # 13

Why were you fired?

# Answer:-

OK, if you get the admittedly much tougher follow-up question as to why you were let go (and the truth isn't exactly pretty), your best bet is to be honest (the job-seeking world is small, after all). But it doesn't have to be a deal-breaker. Share how you've grown and how you approach your job and life now as a result. If you can position the learning experience as an advantage for this next job, even better.

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# Question # 14

Describe to me the position As Human Resource Personnel Clerk you're applying for?

# Answer:-

This is a "homework" question, too, but it also gives some clues as to the perspective the person brings to the table. The best preparation you can do is to read the job description and repeat it to yourself in your own words so that you can do this smoothly at the interview.

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# Question # 15

Do you have any questions for me?



### Answer:-

Good interview questions to ask interviewers at the end of the job interview include questions on the company growth or expansion, questions on personal development and training and questions on company values, staff retention and company achievements.

# Question # 16

Do you have good computer skills?

It is becoming increasingly important for medical assistants to be knowledgeable about computers. If you are a long-time computer user with experience with different software applications, mention it. It is also a good idea to mention any other computer skills you have, such as a high typing rate, website creation, and more.

# Question # 17

Have you got any questions?

This is your final opportunity to persuade the interviewer that you are the right candidate for the job. Now is not the time to ask questions about holidays, pay or pensions - all these things can be asked later when you get an offer of employment. Now is the time to ask about any reservations that the interviewer may have about your suitability for the role. You will then give yourself one last chance to persuade the interviewer that you are the right candidate for the job.

Example Thank you. I think we have covered everything. Before we finish the interview I would like to take the opportunity to ask if you have any reservations

about my suitability for this role?

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### Question # 18

How would you observe the level of motivation of your subordinates?

# Answer:-

Choosing the right metrics and comparing productivity of everyone on daily basis is a good answer, doesn't matter in which company you apply for a supervisory

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# Question # 19

What are your salary expectations As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

This question is like a loaded gun, tricky and dangerous if you're not sure what you are doing. It's not uncommon for people to end up talking salary before really selling their skills, but knowledge is power as this is a negotiation after all. Again, this is an area where doing your research will be helpful as you will have an understanding of average salary.

One approach is asking the interviewer about the salary range, but to avoid the question entirely, you can respond that money isn't a key factor and you're goal is to advance in your career. However, if you have a minimum figure in mind and you believe you're able to get it, you may find it worth trying.

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# Question # 20

What do you know about the company?

# Answer:-

Any candidate can read and regurgitate the company's "About" page. So, when interviewers ask this, they aren't necessarily trying to gauge whether you understand the mission-they want to know whether you care about it. Start with one line that shows you understand the company's goals, using a couple key words and phrases from the website, but then go on to make it personal. Say, "I'm personally drawn to this mission because..." or "I really believe in this approach because..." and share a personal example or two.

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# Question # 21

What type of work environment do you prefer?

Ideally one that's similar to the environment of the company you're applying to. Be specific.

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# Question # 22

What's a time you exercised leadership?

# Answer:

Depending on what's more important for the role, you'll want to choose an example that showcases your project management skills (spearheading a project from end to end, juggling multiple moving parts) or one that shows your ability to confidently and effectively rally a team. And remember: "The best stories include enough detail to be believable and memorable,". Show how you were a leader in this situation and how it represents your overall leadership experience and potential.

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Where do you see yourself professionally five years from now As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?



### Answer:-

Demonstrate both loyalty and ambition in the answer to this question. After sharing your personal ambition, it may be a good time to ask the interviewer if your ambitions match those of the company.

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# Question # 24

Why are you leaving your current job?

### Answer:-

This is a toughie, but one you can be sure you'll be asked. Definitely keep things positive-you have nothing to gain by being negative about your past employers. Instead, frame things in a way that shows that you're eager to take on new opportunities and that the role you're interviewing for is a better fit for you than your current or last position. For example, "I'd really love to be part of product development from beginning to end, and I know I'd have that opportunity here." And if you were let go? Keep it simple: "Unfortunately, I was let go," is a totally OK answer.

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# Question # 25

How do you keep each member of the team involved and motivated?

### Answer:-

Many managers mistakenly think that money is the prime motivator for their employees. However, according to surveys by several different companies, money is consistently ranked five or lower by most employees. So if money is not the best way to motivate your team, what is? Employees' three most important issues according to employees are:

- \* Respect
- \* A sense of accomplishment
- \* Recognition

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# Question # 26

How have you changed in the last five years?

### Answer:-

All in a nutshell. But I think I've attained a level of personal comfort in many ways and although I will change even more in the next 5-6 years I'm content with the past 6 and what has come of them.

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# Question # 27

Why did you leave your last job As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:-

Regardless of why you left your last job make sure to stay positive. Always smile and focus on the positive reason such you were seeking the opportunity to expand your career opportunities, your interest in working with a new firm that provided greater opportunity, you desired to work in a new location, etc. Don't reference previous job problems or differences with management that caused you to leave. If you stay positive, your answer may help you. If you're negative, you will likely decrease your chances of getting the job for which you're interviewing.

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# Question # 28

Do you consider yourself successful?

# Answer:-

You should always answer yes to this question. Briefly explain why without going on and on. If you communicate that you're more successful than you really are you may come off as arrogant or unrealistic. A goof explanation is that you have set professional goals and that you have met some of these goals and are on track to meet more in the near future.

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# Question # 29

Are you currently looking at other job opportunities?

# Answer:

Just answer this question honestly. Sometime an employer wants to know if there are other companies you're considering so that they can determine how serious you are about the industry, they're company and find out if you're in demand. Don't spend a lot of time on this question; just try to stay focused on the job you're interviewing for.

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# Question # 30

What is your philosophy towards work?

# Answer:

This is typically a straightforward question that merits a straightforward answer. Do you have strong worth ethic? Will you do whatever it takes to make sure the job gets done? Just say so in your response. Keep it short, direct and positive.

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# Question # 31



How well do you perform under pressure?

### Answer:-

This is a fair question, as potential employers want to know if you're going to be able to get the job done even when things get a little bit stressful. You may say that you thrive under pressure or that you're able to get the job done even when things get a little bit stressful, just make sure to provide some real world examples of your ability to work under pressure in a prior job.

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# Question #32

What motivates you at the work place?

### Answer-

Keep your answer simple, direct and positive. Some good answers may be the ability to achieve, recognition or challenging assignments.

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# Question #33

Are you willing to work overtime or odd hours?

### Answer:-

Be completely honest. You don't want to lie to get the job if you're not going to work the hours required.

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### Question # 34

Describe your management style?

### Answer:-

Try to avoid specific classifications, whatever it may be. Organizations usually prefer managers who can adapt their skills to different situations.

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# Question #35

Describe your work ethic?

### Answer:-

While discussing this, be sure to stress specific examples of what you bring to the company. Good qualities include resolve to fulfill job responsibilities, optimism, and a desire to be as efficient as possible while at work.

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# Question # 36

Tell me about the most fun you have had on the job?

# Answer:

When answering this question, discuss situations where you completed tasks benefitting your previous employers.

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# Question #37

Why do you want to leave your current company As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:-

Bad Answer: Complaining about or blaming their former job, boss or colleagues. Also, having no good reason.

Good answer: One that focuses on the positives about why the job they're applying for offers them better learning or career opportunities, chances for advancement, aligns more closely to their long term goals, or is a better fit for them.

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# Question # 38

Tell us something about yourself?

# Answer:-

Bad Answer: Candidates who ramble on about themselves without regard for information that will actually help the interviewer make a decision, or candidates who actually provide information showing they are unfit for the job.

Good answer: An answer that gives the interviewer a glimpse of the candidate's personality, without veering away from providing information that relates to the job. Answers should be positive, and not generic.

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# Question #39

Tell me why do you want this job As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer-

Bad Answer: No solid answer, answers that don't align with what the job actually offers, or uninspired answers that show your position is just another of the many jobs they're applying for.

Good answer: The candidate has clear reasons for wanting the job that show enthusiasm for the work and the position, and knowledge about the company and job.

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### Question # 40

What do you consider ethical spending on an expense account?

### Answer-

It depends on the role - but the better way to answer this is to ask the interviewer what their expectations are with regards to what the role can expense and then simply state that you'll stay within those parameters

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# Question # 41

Tell me about a time you had to fire a friend?

### Answer:-

Hopefully you've never had to do this, but if you did, talk about how hard it was personally to fire anyone but that you did it objectively.

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### Question # 42

Why do you want to work in this industry As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

### Answer:-

Make sure you research the industry first. Then find at least 3 core things about that industry that you're passionate about (for example: how their solutions impact clients, their culture, the leadership, etc)

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### Question # 43

What did you major in and why?

# Answer:-

Tell them your major and the motivations behind why you chose it and how it's helped to prep your of this potential job.

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# Question # 44

How have you achieved your success?

# Answer:-

Discuss stories of how you've progressed over the years to achieve success. People relate best to stories.

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# Question # 45

If someone had to say something negative to you, what would they say?

# Answer:-

Again, be honest about sharing a story here about someone who may not have gotten along with you in the office here and explain how you were able to fix that relationship or change your attitude/action to be a better person / coworker.

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# Question # 46

What types of situations do you consider "unfixable"?

# Answer:

Most situations are "fixable" - the ones that are not are typically related to business ethics (someone is cheating the company, someone is stealing, etc)

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# Question # 47

How do you feel about giving back to the community?

# Answer:-

Describe your charitable activities to showcase that community work is important to you. If you haven't done one yet, go to www.globalguideline.com - charitable work is a great way to learn about other people and it's an important part of society - GET INVOLVED!

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# Question #48

Describe your academic achievements?

# Answer-

Think of a time where you really stood out and shined within college. It could be a leadership role in a project, it could be your great grades that demonstrate your intelligence and discipline, it could be the fact that you double majored. Where have you shined?

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# Question # 49

What other companies are you interviewing at?



### Answer:-

Be open and share if you are indeed interviewing elsewhere, but do it in a humble way. This way you don't seem arrogant and the interviewer knows your skills are valued by other companies. This also tends to make them want you more as they know they are competing for your services.

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# Question # 50

What do you know about our competition?

### Answer:

Make sure you do your research on their competitors. You can find this by going to yahoo finance and click on their competitors (if they are public). From there research the news on them and go to their websites to understand their positioning on solutions and vision. You can also research local regional companies that are their competition (if it's a smaller private company on a regional scale) by simply typing in similar product offerings in the Google search followed by the city. Make sure you know their competitor's vision, products, culture, and how they are differentiated against their competition (and if they're not, how they could be)

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### Question #51

Give me an example of when you competed hard and won?

### Answer-

You can reference many different areas here when discussing a story of where you won in competition: Work experience (ideal), sports, clubs, classes, projects.

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# Question # 52

What would you like to have accomplished by the end of your career?

### Answer-

Think of 3 major achievements that you'd like to accomplish in your job when all is said and done - and think BIG. You want to show you expect to be a major contributor at the company. It could be creating a revolutionary new product, it could be implementing a new effective way of marketing, etc.

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# Question #53

How good are you at problem solving?

# Answer:-

Describe the problem first and then discuss how you were able to fix it.

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# Question # 54

What other jobs are you applying for As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:-

If you're applying with other similar companies in a similar or the same industry, it's actually okay to state that as it shows you're valued and wanted.

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# Question #55

What does your professional network look like?

# Answer:-

If you have a professional network, discuss it detail (# of contacts, people you know, their positions and what you've learned from them or how you've worked with them). If you don't have one, discuss how you would develop one (career fairs, networking events for that industry, through your existing friends, etc)

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# Question #56

What would you do if our competitor offered you a position As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:

I would weigh the offer and consider it, however, this company and this role is my first choice.

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# Question # 57

What were the responsibilities of your last position As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

# Answer:

If you want to show your ambition, you can discuss how you haven't reached all of your goals yet and in that sense aren't satisfied. However, if you want to discuss satisfaction from your job discuss an experience in which you achieved something.

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# Question # 58

What do you look for in terms of culture -- structured or entrepreneurial?

# Answer:-



A good answer is to discuss the importance of having both elements in a company As Human Resource Personnel Clerk. Structure is good to maintain a focus on priorities and making sure people are productive but having an entrepreneurial spirit can help cultivate new ideas that can truly help the company.

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# Question #59

Was there a person in your career who really made a difference?

### Answer:-

If you can't think of one, you need to get a mentor QUICKLY! Mentors can come in the form of peers, family members, co-workers, management / leaders at a company and so on.

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# Question # 60

What are three positive character traits you don't have?

### Answer:-

List three attributes that you aspire to attain / build in the next few years - and then explain how you would develop those.

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# Question # 61

Tell me one thing about yourself you wouldn't want me to know?

### Answer:

Talk about a trait that you would consider a weakness. No need to talk about your deepest darkest secrets here.

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# Question # 62

There's no right or wrong answer, but if you could be anywhere in the world right now, where would you be?

### Answer-

Just be honest about where you'd like to be - you never know - you may end up bonding with the interviewer with the location. However, you want to stress that you want to work out of the location that you're interviewing for.

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# Question # 63

What do you do in your spare time?

# Answer:-

If you want to show your fun side, discuss your extracurricular activities. If you want to show your ambition, discuss the work / school projects you do in your spare time.

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# Question # 64

How would you go about establishing your credibility quickly As Human Resource Personnel Clerk with the team?

# Answer:

Fully understand my responsibilities, work hard and exceed expectations, learn as much as possible, help others as much as possible, understand what my teammates' goals and needs are, be on time, and gain a mentor.

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# Question # 65

If selected for this position As Human Resource Personnel Clerk, can you describe your strategy for the first 90 days?

# Answer:-

This depends on the job role. Make sure you break it down into

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# Question # 66

Do you have good manners? What types of people need to be treated with good manners?

# Answer:

You should have good manners. Everyone should be treated with courtesy and respect.

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# Question # 67

Think about the changes you have seen and tell me how you handle change?

# Answer:-

You can cite personal life changes, work place changes, career changes, technology change, industry change. The key is to discuss how seeing or experiencing that change has helped your development. For example, the recent changes in social media has broadened my horizons and helped me learn new forms of efficient marketing.



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### Question #68

How much time do you need to join the organization As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

### Answer:

You should be able to join it right away, barring plans you've already made (family travel, vacation, other obligations). The key is to simply be open in communication of what's already committed on your schedule. Most companies are accommodating. If they are not, weight the importance of joining that company vs. your plans.

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# Question #69

What makes you a good manager?

### Answer.

Describe how you manage people, time, money and energy in the most effective manner to achieve the best return of that investment.

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# Question #70

What kind of work interests you the least As Human Resource Personnel Clerk?

### Answer:-

What bores you? What fails to challenge you? What fails to excite you?

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# Question #71

How do you ensure all of your work gets accomplished in a productive manner?

# Answer:-

The key is to prioritize what's important in your work and to stay organized to accomplish the tasks. A strong work ethic also helps.

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# Question #72

Do you know anyone working with this organization?

# Answer:-

It would be great if you did - then you could potentially use them as a referral if they thought highly of you.

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