TRANSIT OPERATOR
Conventional and Specialized Transit
Barrie, ON

We are currently seeking Transit Operators for Conventional and Specialized Transit operations, who will be responsible for the safe and on-time transportation of passengers in accordance with Company and City of Barrie contract standards. Operators will drive a variety of vehicles depending on the facility and need.

The Transit Operator works primarily in a city transit vehicle on the road providing transportation and requires the following physical activities: long periods of sitting, considerable use of arms, repetitive hand-wrist motion, and legs and moving the whole body such as climbing, lifting, balancing, walking, stooping and managing customers and materials. Operators frequently work in outside weather conditions and are occasionally exposed to wet and/or humid conditions, fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals and vibrations. Assisting customers on and off vehicles, kneeling, bending, reaching overhead, loading and unloading passengers and bags, securing wheelchairs, pushing, pulling and the ability to lift 50 pounds. Operators frequently work in outside weather conditions and are occasionally exposed to wet and/or humid conditions, fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals and vibrations.

Qualifications, Knowledge, Skills & Abilities:

- High School Diploma or equivalent
- A valid C Ontario Driver’s License with Z (Airbrakes) endorsement
- Minimum of 3 Years of driving experience and an acceptable driving record
- Two (2) years’ relevant experience preferred or any equivalent combination of education and job experience (as determined by the Company)
- Thorough knowledge of the Highway Traffic Act and defensive driving techniques.
- Ability to safety operate a variety of Company vehicles and equipment including lifts and all other safety devices
- Ability to read, write and speak the English language clearly
- Knowledge of the transit service area
- Ability to work a variety of different shifts, flexible hours and off days
- Ability to navigate the service area through the use of maps, paddles and/or on-board directional equipment
• Ability to communicate effectively with customers
• Ability to remain calm and manage emergency situations and ensure the safety of all customers and employees
• Knowledge of client and service operating requirements
• Ability to communicate effectively and work with all departments
• Ability to work independently and objectively
• Must have the ability to remain polite, professional and courteous while communicating with customers and other staff
• Must have an ability to develop and maintain a good working relationship with other staff
• Must be able to remain calm during stressful situations
• Ability to plan ahead, act and react appropriately

Disclaimer: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by individuals assigned to this position. They are not intended to be an exhaustive list of responsibilities, duties and skills required of individuals in the job.

How to apply:
Interested applicants must submit a resume via email to barrie@mvtdallas.com or by fax to 705-726-0103.