

**WAC 357-04-055 Who defines exempt status for student or temporary employees; part-time professional consultants; and inmates for general government employers and what types of positions are exempt?** In accordance with RCW 41.06.070, the director defines exemptions for student or temporary employees; part-time professional consultants; and inmates. The following types of general government employees are exempt from civil service rules:

- (1) Part-time local health officers;
- (2) Temporary employees who are enrolled as full-time students in recognized educational institutions and whose employment is largely to provide a training opportunity, and all temporary employees not in federal grant-in-aid programs;
- (3) Patient and resident help in general government residential facilities;
- (4) Inmate help in general government correctional facilities; and
- (5) Skilled and unskilled labor employed temporarily on force account; construction and maintenance projects; or employed on temporary seasonal single phases of agricultural production or harvesting; or as determined by the director to be equivalent.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 41.06 RCW and RCW 41.06.070. WSR 21-14-042 and 22-01-153, § 357-04-055, filed 6/30/21 and 12/15/21, effective 7/1/22. Statutory Authority: Chapter 41.06 RCW. WSR 04-15-016, § 357-04-055, filed 7/8/04, effective 7/1/05.]