

**WAC 357-58-190 What must be addressed in agency's WMS recruitment and selection policy and/or procedure?** An agency's WMS recruitment and selection policy and/or procedure must:

- (1) Provide for the ability to consider any or all qualified candidates for hire, promotion, or internal movement;
- (2) Ensure that hiring decisions are fair, objective, and based on the evaluation of leadership and other job related competencies and characteristics required for successful job performance and performance management;
- (3) Support workforce diversity and affirmative action goals;
- (4) Consider the career development of the agency's employees and other state employees;
- (5) Consider making appointments from a veterans placement program;
- (6) Ensure that hiring decisions are not based on patronage or political affiliation;
- (7) Ensure compliance with state and federal laws relating to employee selection and nondiscrimination;
- (8) Encourage decentralized and regional administration of the recruitment and selection processes when it is appropriate for the agency; and
- (9) Ensure compliance with requirements governing wage and salary information in accordance with RCW 49.58.100, 49.58.110, WAC 357-16-017, 357-16-215, and 357-16-220.

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