

**OFFICIAL TITLE, SERIES, AND GRADE:
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST,
GS-0391-09**

Summary of Major Duties

The Telecommunications Specialist assists in the setup and management of the communications system for the NDMS during a disaster response or major emergency.

Provide security and environmental protection for communication equipment and supplies. Assesses the need for additional power resources needed to support the communications system.

Minimum Qualifications

One year of specialized experience directly related to the position equivalent to at least the GS-07 level in the Federal service. Must indicate experience in evaluating, analyzing, developing managing, or improving communications systems, procedures, and requirements that demonstrate knowledge of current developments and trends in communications concepts and technology.

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST, GS-0391-12**

Summary of Major Duties

The incumbent serves as the Telecommunications Manager and provides the planning of, and has the chief responsibility for, meeting the NDMS response team's communications requirements. Manages the equipment in the team communications and information cache, and provides equipment to the operations, as needed. Determines the need for further technical support, e.g., radio operators, information resources technician, etc., and ensures adequate staffing coverage.

Minimum Qualifications

One year of specialized experience directly related to the position equivalent to the GS-11 level in the Federal service that has equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities to successfully perform the duties of the position. Must indicate experience evaluating, analyzing, developing, managing, or improving communications systems, procedures, and requirements that demonstrate knowledge of current developments and trends in communications concepts and technology.