Anesthesia Technician Job Description

- Prepare medications for administration to patients
- Monitor patient's vital signs during surgery or other procedures
- Assist physicians with administering anesthesia
- Perform various tasks related to anesthesia such as monitoring equipment, preparing drugs, etc.
- Keep records of all activities performed by an anesthesia technician
- Provide technical support to physicians and nurses during surgical procedures
- Maintain equipment used in anesthesia
- Report any changes in patients' condition
- Ensure that the correct medication is administered to the right patient at the right time
- Help prepare the operating room (OR) before surgeries start
- Be available to assist surgeons, physicians, and nurses when needed
- Assist doctors and nurses with cleaning up after surgeries
- Assess patients' needs and provide care accordingly
- Follow the doctor's orders and instructions
- Record and document all events occurring during the procedure
- Make sure that the OR is clean and sterile before each operation starts
- Check the status of the anesthesia machine
- Clean and disinfect instruments and equipment
- Monitor the patient's pulse oximeter readings
- Prepare solutions, syringes, and IV fluids
- Assist with preparation of anesthesia machines
- Monitor the patient's blood pressure
- Observe and report any abnormalities in the functioning of anesthesia machines
- Monitor patients' vital signs
- Administer oxygen through nasal cannula

- Adjust ventilator settings
- Monitor the patient's heart rate, blood pressure, breathing patterns, skin color, and body temperature
- Monitor the patient's ECG
- Assist the physician with positioning of the patient.