

# **2nd Shift Front Desk Checklist**

Name(s):	Date:	Occupancy:
# of Arrivals:	Rooms to Sell:	Rate:

#### **Key Shift Responsibilities**

- Count Cash Drawer / Verify Cash count is \$300.00
   \*If drawer is short at the end of your shift, you are responsible for replacing shortage before leaving\*
- Open Front Desk Notebook. Read all entries since your previous shift. Initial any notices that may require acknowledgement.
- Open PEP and print off Downtime Reports
  - \*Select the "PEP" Icon on Desktop → Sign-In with User and Password → Select your Property → Select "Front Desk" → this pulls up the user Dashboard\*
  - Select "Start Shift"
  - Confirm Cash Count Amount
  - Print off Start Shift Reports Que → "Print All"
     \*this que includes the high balance report\*
- \*In the case of bad weather, power outages, or tech issues, keep an updated copy of downtime reports printed and ready.
- Open KIPSU Send out, reply to, and/or archive all active conversations (myLOBBY → My Applications → Kipsu)
   \*Optional: to share screen with PEP go to the 3 dots in the top right corner of the screen → Select "Split screen" → Select open Kipsu Window → Adjust as needed\*
- Verify Availability:
  - Check **CRS** on the **User Dashboard** to ensure no oversold rooms (Balance Inventory if Needed)
    \*to check CRM select the horizontal lines icon at the top of the dashboard → confirm data across tabs
  - Check all Vacant Rooms are Vacant Ready Look for and investigate Discrepant Rooms (More → Housekeeping → Discrepant)
    - \*if housekeeping is not here, roll over remaining VD rooms
  - Out of Order (OOO) confirm with first shift/maintenance Out of Order rooms (put back in to sell rooms that with resolved issues)

### Review/Prepare for Today's **Check-ins**:

\*REMEMBER – each reservation much have a Name, Address, Phone Number (for third parties, this information needs to be manually added) – a great time to ask if they are a Hilton Honors Member and sign them up if they are not!!

- CRM Report to welcome back returning guests, fulfill special requests, Identify Lifetime Diamonds and &VIPs (myLOBBY → My Applications → CRM Best Guests Reports)
- GVT (Government) must have a valid Gov ID. (valid options include: VA, TVA, Active Military CAC Card, Johns Hopkins, DoD, DoE, Postal Service, FFRDC, Gov Travel Orders, etc.) a retired military card DOES NOT QUALITY
   \*when in doubt confirm with management as there may be additional badges that also qualify.
- Friends & Family (F2F) / Team Member (T2T) guest must be present and stay in the room. (Spouses are the only other

person who can check in this reservation for the guest if they are added as a secondary)

- Third Party (Booking.com / Expedia / Priceline / Etc.) review comments & rate information creating additional folios or precharging the VCC as needed.
- Pets add notice to housekeeping clipboard, ensure guest signs policy and receives a magnet for their door
   \*To Check for current and future pet arrivals go to "More" → "Reports" → Stay Requests → Specify dates → Run → Download PDF → Control+F and search "Pet" to find the "Pet in Room" Requests

Verify Current Standing Authorizations

- High Balance Report (found in printed out Start Shift Reports Que) Auth CC for rest of stay, if card does not allow authorization, call guest for an updated card.
  - \*To Reprint go to "More" → Reports → High Balance Report
- In-House Folio Balance Review the total balance of the reservations on the far right-hand column. Action per hotel policy
  (balance of \$800+). If a payment has not been posted in the last 7 days, post payment (DO NOT charge if it has not been 7 days).
   \*Reports → In House Folio Report

Front Desk Management:

- Notebook Note Any Key Incidents in the front desk Notebook for next shifts
- Maintenance Requests Make sure each maintenance request has a Maintenance Ticket

Housekeeping Clipboard:

- File today's housekeeping sheet with today's paperwork
- Start a New Sheet for Tomorrow adding on key updates like late check-outs, stayovers, requests for housekeeping and current pets in house.

# **Downtime Responsibilities**

Suite Shop – straighten and restock items, ensuring all items have price tags on them
 \*PLEASE CHECK EXPIRATION DATES and organize products from first to expire to last in back.

- Key Packets Print and Cut Key Jacket Inserts (if any), Check on inventory and notify management if more are needed.
- Wipe Down/Clean Front desk, suite shop, coffee bar, phones, computers CC Terminals (if it gets really slow especially after Wednesday social, wipe down used tables in lobby)
- Restock Coffee Bar/Refresh Coffee Ensure the coffee bar has plenty of to-go cups, creamer, tea, etc. (supply from Kitchen if necessary)
  - \*First shift is supposed to refresh coffee between 2-3pm, ensure it stays hot and ready for guests and make fresh when necessary.

## **End of Shift Responsibilities**

- File Shift Paperwork Add to Night Audit Packet left by 1st Shift
- Count Cash Drawer & Drop Deposit
  - Select "End Shift"
  - Enter in the amount to drop specify Cash or Check
  - Drop Cash in Back Office Safe
  - Select "End Shift"
- Verify with New Shift their Cash Count & Relay Important Updates