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Career Ladder

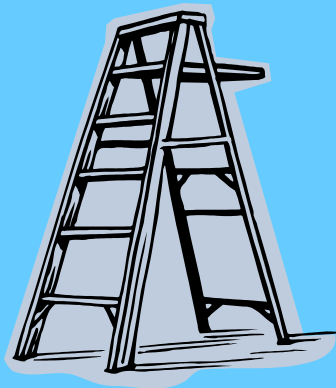
What is a Career Ladder?

Have you ever wondered what you will be doing in 5 years? How about 10 years? Many people, even those who are happy with their current jobs, hope to get a promotion or an advancement at work. They might want a better job, or more money for the work that they do, but they would still like to do the same type of work. To get that raise or promotion may require a certain amount of job experience or education. When you finally do make a change through promotion, transfer or a change in job classification, it is called “moving up the career ladder.”

The following examples show what a possible *career ladder* might look like in your chosen field:

Grounds Worker

- Laborer
- Special Laborer
- Grounds Keeper
- Pruner
- Gardener
- Grounds Crew Chief
- Grounds Supervisor



Health Care Worker

- Volunteer at local ambulance service
- Nurse's Aide
- Certified Nurse's Aide (CNA)
- Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)
- Registered Nurse (RN)
- Floor Head Nurse
- Nursing Supervisor

University of Wisconsin Stevens Point. *Career Ladders* <http://www.uwsp.edu/personnel/Career%20Ladder/>

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