PREPARING FOR AN EMPLOYMENT SEARCH CHECKLIST

Preparing for an employment search takes time and focus. Try to stay positive and patient – remember that the search may take time.

Here is a list of things to consider when getting ready to find a job:

- ☐ Review your online presence and, if necessary, tidy and update your digital image
- □ Update your online profiles, especially your LinkedIn profile
- Research the area and potential job markets
- ☐ Target your job search to your preferred industries or experience
- ☐ Search online for jobs in your field
- ☐ Reach out to your network (sometimes jobs are not posted on larger sites and are shared personally instead)

- ☐ Update your resume and adjust it as necessary to target each specific application
- □ Reconnect with your references and let them know you are looking for work
- Once you are ready to go, apply for positions that may be a good fit!

