HR Q4 Checklist



Holiday/Year End	☐ Manage time-off requests☐ Organize holiday parties☐ Purchase holiday gifts
☐ Compliance	 □ Review/update employee handbook □ Verify employee information & worker classification □ Review any changes in local, state, and federal employment laws □ Backup HR & employee data
☐ Payroll/Taxes	Review tax rates and base wage limits Confirm 2025 payroll schedule Q4 payroll Set tasks/reminders for filing deadlines
■ Benefits	 □ Review/update benefits packages; communicate any changes to employees □ Assist employees with open enrollment □ Prepare 1095-C forms □ Remind employees to use up ancillary benefits □ Obtain receipts from employees for reimbursable expenses
Performance Reviews	☐ Conduct annual performance reviews ☐ Administer employee satisfaction & engagement surveys
☐ 2025 HR Strategy	 □ Review HR budget & resources □ Review organizational goals □ Establish HR policies including legal changes, compensation, benefits, PTO □ Review contracts with current service vendors
2025 Workforce Planning	 ☐ Obtain staffing proposals from departments ☐ Review/update job descriptions, pay rates ☐ Review EVP ☐ Set employee orientation dates for new hires ☐ Review employee onboarding process ☐ Develop training & development strategy



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