

## Think about the company you keep

Current Postal Service employees are prohibited from working for companies that deliver mailable matter.

- ➤ This includes competitors such as UPS, Amazon, DHL, or FedEx.
- ➤ There is a limited exception. Some competitors have subsidiary companies that do not deliver mailable matter.
- ➤ For instance, Amazon has subsidiary companies such as Amazon Fresh and Whole Foods. Employees may work for a subsidiary company so long as it doesn't deliver mailable matter and doesn't otherwise conflict with the ethics rules.

By ensuring that you avoid a conflict, you contribute to the success and future of the Postal Service.

And that's smart business.

Contact the Ethics Office — <a href="mailto:ethics.help@usps.gov">ethics.help@usps.gov</a> — with any questions.