



**Chief Medical Investigator
Orange County Department of Health**

The incumbent is serving in this position under approval pursuant to Section 211 of the Retirement and Social Security Law. In order to determine if there is sufficient basis for a new request for the incumbent, Orange County is conducting a public inquiry as to the availability of qualified non-retired persons for recruitment.

The nature of this appointment is provisional, pending outcome of a Civil Service Examination.

This is professional work which involves supervising and/or conducting independent and confidential clinical forensic death investigations resulting from accidental, criminal, homicidal, suicidal, suspicious or undetermined causes and determining if such deaths fall under the jurisdiction of the Medical Examiner. Work is performed under the general supervision of the Medical Examiner with wide leeway for the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the details of the work. Supervision is exercised over other Medical Investigators and related support staff. Does related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Either:

- (A) Bachelor's degree or higher in health, forensic science, biochemistry, criminal justice or related field and two (2) years of professional experience conducting confidential investigations of deaths from resulting criminal, suspicious or undetermined causes; OR
- (B) Associate's degree in health, forensic science, biochemistry, criminal justice or related field and four (4) years of professional experience as outlined in (A) above; OR
- (C) Associate's degree or completion of 60 college credits and six (6) years of professional experience as outlined in (A) above.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possess and maintain a valid driver's license.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION WILL BE REQUIRED

Examination date to be announced at a later date

STARTING SALARY: New employees: effective Jan 2025
Grade 17, Step 02: \$45.8627 per hour; \$95,394.42 annually.

FINAL CANDIDATE MUST SUBMIT TO A FINGERPRINT CHECK AND CRIMINAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION. COSTS RELATED TO SUCH INVESTIGATION SHALL BE BORNE BY THE APPLICANT.

SEND APPLICATION AND RESUME TO:

Langdon C. Chapman
COMMISSIONER OF HUMAN RESOURCES
255 Main Street
Goshen, NY 10924
Phone: (845) 291-2008
Fax: (845) 378-2373

Employment applications can be downloaded from Orange County's website. Please visit www.orangecountygov.com and follow the link to the Department of Human Resources page.
Or download directly here: [Application for Employment Application](#)

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