



Chief Medical Investigator

Applications are now being accepted by the Orange County Department of Health for the position of Chief Medical Investigator. 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) Possession of 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 resulting from criminal, suspicious or undetermined causes; OR

(B) Possession of an 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) Possession of an Associate's degree and six (6) years of professional experience as outlined in (A) above.

NOTE: Your degree or credits must have been awarded by a college or university accredited by a regional, national, or specialized agency recognized as an accrediting agency by the U.S. Department of Education/U.S. Secretary of Education. If your degree or credits were awarded by an educational institution outside the United States and its territories, you must provide independent verification of equivalency. A list of acceptable companies who provide this service can be found on the Internet at <http://www.cs.ny.gov/jobseeker/degrees.cfm>. You must pay the required evaluation fee.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION WILL BE REQUIRED

Examination date to be announced at a later date

STARTING SALARY: Grade 17, Step 02: \$42,199.80 per hour; \$76,803.64 annually. Competitive benefits package includes comprehensive health, dental and vision insurance, long term disability insurance, and NYS Retirement.

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:

Maryann Melville
Orange County Department of Health
124 Main Street
Goshen, NY 10924
(845) 360-6600

Open announcement until position is filled

Applications may be obtained at www.orangecountygov.com

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