

Spokane County, Washington

DEPUTY MEDICAL EXAMINER / FORENSIC PATHOLOGIST



Professional Employment Opportunity

Job Title: Deputy Medical Examiner /
Forensic Pathologist

Salary: \$220,000 Annually (*Negotiable*)

Department: Office of the Medical Examiner

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POSITION OVERVIEW

The Deputy Medical Examiner conducts death investigations, performs postmortem examinations, supervises support staff, provides expert testimony, assists with office administration, and may serve as acting department head in the absence of the Chief Medical Examiner.

BENEFITS & INCENTIVES



- **Student Loan re-payment plan (\$5,000 per quarter for 5 years – up to \$100,000).**
- Paid renewal of Washington and Idaho State Medical License fees and professional association fees.
- 1 professional conference reimbursed per year.
- 10 paid holidays. Paid Time Off starts out at almost 2 days per month accrual.
- Comprehensive Medical (including prescription drug benefits and vision care) and Dental Plans; Long Term Disability Coverage; Life Insurance; Retirement Plan (WA State Public Employee's Retirement System); Tax Deferred Compensation Plan (457B).

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS



Graduation from an accredited school of medicine and completion of an accredited forensic pathology fellowship training program. **Licensing and Certification:** Licensed as a Medical Doctor in Washington State and Idaho State. Must obtain Forensic Pathology Board Certification from the American Board of Pathology within three (3) years of appointment.

About the Office: This position will work in a new state-of-the-art facility, which became operational in June, 2020. The Spokane County Medical Examiner's Office employs 13 full time employees including a Chief Medical Examiner, Deputy Medical Examiner, Chief Autopsy Assistant, Autopsy Assistant, Office Manager, (6) Deputy Medical Investigators, and (2) Office Assistants. The administrative offices are staffed 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday; investigative staff are available 24 hours a day, 7 days per week.

The Spokane Medical Examiner's Office is a regional center for performance of forensic autopsies. All staff members are employed by Spokane County. The office also performs autopsies for adjoining counties, through referral from Coroners and Prosecutor-Coroners in eastern Washington and the Idaho panhandle.

About the Community: Named as one of the 100 Best Places to Live in the U.S. by Liveability.com, Spokane is Eastern Washington's largest city – with over 500,000 residents calling the area home. Many enjoyable outdoor activities are right out our back door; including ski resorts, white-water rafting, camping, hiking, lakes, and the Centennial trail. <https://www.visitspokane.com>

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