

FORENSIC MEDICINE ASSOCIATES, INC.

DeKalb County Medical Examiners Office

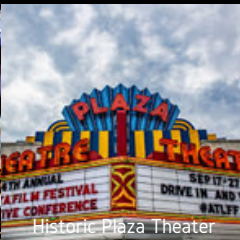
COME BE A PART OF OUR COMMUNITY!



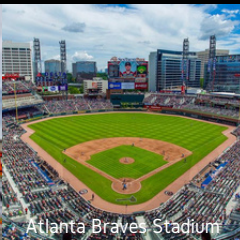
Blue Ridge Mountains



Centennial Olympic Park



Historic Plaza Theater



Atlanta Braves Stadium

ASSOCIATE MEDICAL EXAMINER

STARTING ANNUAL SALARY: \$250,000 - \$350,000

Salary is commiserate with experience & board certifications

- A low-stress and positive company culture with experienced board-certified forensic pathologists as well as ample investigative, laboratory, and support staff
- Extensive opportunities for research, publication, and continuing education
- Optional private work to supplement annual income. (Fellows applying would be eligible to consider private work after an introductory/training period).
- Reasonable caseload in compliance with N.A.M.E. accreditation standards
- Great balance of professional and personable life with minimal weekend duty
- Relocation reimbursement up to \$5,000

Submit a Cover Letter and Curriculum Vitae to:
Chief Medical Examiner - gtgowitt@dekalbcountyga.gov &
Practice Manager - glparker@dekalbcountyga.gov

OFFICE ADDRESS: 3550 KENSINGTON RD, DECATUR, GA 30032



Mercedes-Benz Stadium



Downtown Atlanta



Lake Lanier



Tybee Island

REQUIREMENTS

To apply, this position requires 1.) A valid Georgia medical license and 2.) certification by the American Board of Pathology in the discipline of anatomic pathology or successful completion within two-year of employment. The physician should have the communication and professional skills to teach fellows, residents, and students, interact with families, law enforcement, and attorneys. Court appearances are primarily in DeKalb County, within 5 miles of the office. The office is accredited by ACGME and sponsored by Morehouse School of Medicine to train 1-2 forensic pathology fellows. The office serves as the core-rotational site for Emory Department of Pathology residents. We also have agreements with several local and national medical schools to host their MD and DO student doctors for elective rotations. These educational initiatives necessitate participation from the physician staff.



DESCRIPTION

Forensic Medicine Associates, Inc. (FMA) is seeking applicants for the position of Associate Medical Examiner at the DeKalb County Medical Examiner's Office. Employment is through the Chief Medical Examiner's private corporation, Forensic Medicine Associates, Inc. This is a W-2 full-time position. Primary medical examiner services are provided to DeKalb County as well as to select other Metropolitan Atlanta counties, excluding prosecutable deaths.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Performing medicolegal autopsies
- Certifying cause and manner of death
- Ordering and interpreting diagnostic testing
- Providing expert court testimony
- Consulting with law enforcement, attorneys, physicians, and families
- Participation in the education program. Giving lectures and table top teaching for forensic pathology fellow, pathology residents, and medical students
- Reviewing evidence and investigative materials
- Generating autopsy reports
- Collaborating with colleagues to resolve complex cases



Fox Theater



Botanical Gardens



High Museum of Art



Stone Mountain

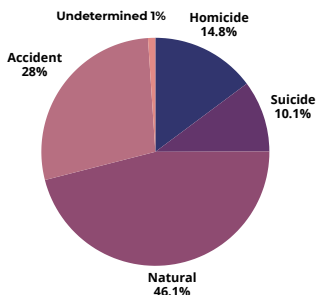
BENEFITS

- Minimal court travel (courthouse is 10 minutes away).
- Excellent relationships with co-workers, law enforcement, district attorneys, public defenders, universities, and medical examiners in surrounding jurisdictions.
- 3-weeks (15 days) paid vacation annually
- Autonomous atmosphere
- 1-week paid sick leave annually
- IRA Simple Retirement Plan with a 3% match from Employer
- Paid parental leave
- Periodic travel sponsorship for educational conference
- One paid professional membership annually
- 12 paid federal holidays
- Health Insurance
- Malpractice insurance, which covers all aspects of the practice
- Work from home time



Downtown Decatur, Georgia

2024 ANNUAL CASE PERCENTAGES BY MANNER



Please click this link to review our annual report:
<https://www.dekalbcountyga.gov/medical-examiner/annual-reports>



FACILITY & STAFF INFO

- Facility is 18,238 sq ft and is comprised of the Administration Building, Laboratory, and Specialized Body Recovery Building.
- Multiple Autopsy Stations and a Negative Pressure Room Adjacent to the Main Laboratory
- Toxicology Provided by the Georgia Bureau of Investigation and NMS Labs
- Consultants Available in Forensic Anthropology, Forensic Odontology, and Surgical Pathology
- 1 Chief Medical Examiner
- 1 Deputy Chief Medical Examiner
- 4 Associate Medical Examiners (Neuropathologist on staff)
- 12 Medicolegal Death Investigators
- 7 Forensic Autopsy Technicians
- Several Administrators and Program Managers
- 2 Transcriptionists



START DATE

Immediately as the position is funded.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Submit a Cover Letter and Curriculum Vitae to: Gerald T. Gowitt, MD
gtgowitt@dekalbcountyga.gov. Please cc the Practice Manager, Gail Parker at
glparker@dekalbcountyga.gov.

The initial interview would be via Zoom. An in-person interview would potentially follow.

Candidate must undergo a background check, e-verification, and provide 3 references.