

EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY DIVISION OF FORENSIC PATHOLOGY IS HIRING A FORENSIC PATHOLOGIST



**Forensic Pathologist/
Medical Examiner Salary:
\$240,000***



**WILLIAM L. JENKINS
FORENSIC CENTER**

EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

About the position

- This is a non-tenure track faculty position at the assistant professor level in the Department of Pathology at East Tennessee State University's Quillen College of Medicine. Appointment at a higher faculty rank may be considered based on work experience and academic credentials.
- The County Medical Examiner is required by law to investigate all deaths involving a homicide, suspected homicide, a suicide, a violent, unnatural or suspicious death, an unexpected apparent natural death in an adult, sudden unexpected infant and child deaths, deaths believed to represent a threat to public health or safety, and executed prisoners. (Tenn. Code Ann. § 38-7-106)
- Perform autopsies for an eight-county population of 512,260, with approximately 30 homicide cases per year. The forensic center also performs autopsies for two affiliated teaching hospitals, approximately 20 cases/year.
- Perform Medical Examiner duties for four counties of the eight counties served.
- Complete reports within guidelines established by NAME Maximum 60-day time-frame for completing cases.
- As part of regular duties, the successful candidate is expected to:
 - Educate residents and medical students.
 - Support medical student/resident education and research within the center
 - Additionally, the successful candidate is expected to spend 20% effort on scholarly activities and didactic teaching in support of the educational mission of the department of pathology.
- Promote process/quality improvement initiatives within the center.

Additional Information

- NAME Accredited, State-of-the-art facility
- Work/Life Balance – the center is responsible for performing 750-800 forensic autopsies a year, and when fully staffed shared between three full time and one part time forensic pathologists. Currently the Forensic Center does not perform autopsies on the weekends.
- Complete Support Staff – five ABMDI certified medicolegal death investigators to respond to scenes, four autopsy technicians, and full administrative support staff.
- State-of-the-art histology services provided by ETSU Pathology
- Toxicology testing is provided by NMS Labs
- Excellent facilities with robust infrastructure that includes MDILog case management system, and LODOX x-ray system
- Competitive benefits package provided by the university including an educational allowance and access to the Basler Center for Physical Activity, and other university facilities and services
- Surrounded by beautiful mountains, rivers, and lakes, Johnson City offers a perfect balance of nature and city. Whether you look to the outdoors for recreation, or you prefer cultural experiences, dining, or shopping, Johnson City and the region have something to offer.
- Johnson City and the surrounding counties have excellent schools.
- No state income tax



BENEFITS PACKAGE:

The value of employment at ETSU goes far beyond salary. ETSU employees enjoy a full range of benefits, services and programs, including a generous annual salary, paid holidays, health & life insurance, access to University facilities and services and much more!

*Rate of pay for board certified forensic pathologist

HOW TO APPLY

All applications must be submitted through ETSU ejobs system (<https://jobs.etsu.edu/postings/24839>).
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