



**Knox County Government: Open Position
Forensic Pathologist/ Assistant Medical Examiner
Office of the Medical Examiner
Regional Forensic Center
Knox County, Tennessee**



Job Title of Open Position: Forensic Pathologist/ Assistant Medical Examiner at the Regional Forensic Center, Office of the Medical Examiner for Knox and Anderson Counties; Clinical Assistant Professor, The University of Tennessee Medical Center/Knoxville.

Qualifications: American Board of Pathology board certification in AP or AP/CP with the requirement to obtain FP certification within one year of employment; medical licensure in the state of Tennessee; and possession of a Tennessee driver's license.

Responsibilities: As an Assistant Medical Examiner the applicant will investigate deaths that fall under the jurisdictions of the Knox County and Anderson County Medical Examiner's Offices. Additional duties include performance of forensic autopsies/examinations for surrounding counties, performing hospital and private autopsies, provide expert testimony in depositions and within the courtroom, provide forensic pathology consultation to medical examiners in the outside counties, participate in teaching pathology residents from the University of Tennessee, and other duties as assigned.

About the Office and Region: The Knox County Regional Forensic Center is an 18,000 sq. ft. facility located in downtown Knoxville that has been operational since December of 2014 and has full NAME accreditation. This facility features separate morgue and administration buildings connected by an enclosed breezeway, a gated parking lot for professional staff adjacent to the administration building, and a FOBOS full body scanner. We have a 35 person staff including; 6 forensic pathologists (including the chief medical examiner), 11 autopsy technicians, 2 night morgue attendants, 10 medicolegal death investigators, and 6 business office staff. We also have local forensic anthropology and forensic odontology services, surgical pathology consultation through Lincoln Memorial University, pediatric pathology consultation through East Tennessee Children's Hospital, and neuropathology consultations locally.

The Knox County Regional Forensic Center houses both the Knox County and the Anderson County Medical Examiner's Offices and offers forensic autopsy consultation to 21 of the surrounding counties in the eastern third of the state of Tennessee, for a catchment area of approximately 1.5 million people. In 2021, the office performed 1,607 full autopsies (hospital and private included) and 1,237 external examinations.

We invite you to consider this opportunity to practice in a county that has been recognized as one of the most livable in the United States. Knox County features a low cost of living, no state income tax or personal property taxes, and a stable economic climate in a beautiful part of the country featuring one of the most visited national parks. Knox County has a diverse and affordable real estate market ranging from modern downtown lofts, to lakefront living, to multi-acre horse farms that are all within a manageable drive to the forensic center.

Starting Salary: The starting salary for this position is \$240,000 plus a comprehensive benefits package (<https://knoxcounty.org/benefits/index.php>).

If you have additional questions, please contact Dr. Mileusnic directly @ 865-215-8025.

If you need reasonable accommodations to complete an application or for an interview, please contact the Department of Human Resources. Some accommodations take several days to arrange. Please notify us early to make the arrangements.

Non-discrimination: Knox County prohibits discrimination in employment on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, and disability status.

APPLY TO: www.knoxcounty.org/hr Knox County Human Resources, Room 360, City/County Building, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, TN 37902. Knox County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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