



MEDICAL EXAMINER SALARY

\$240,000 - \$306,500

**With A Sign-On Bonus Up To \$25,000!*

Maricopa County, Arizona

Maricopa County is the fourth largest and fastest-growing county in the nation! Join our dedicated team of Medical Examiners. Our NAME-accredited, state-of-the-art Medical Examiner's Office is located in Phoenix, Arizona.

Phoenix, also referred to as the "Valley of the Sun," experiences 300+ days of sunshine annually. Sunshine makes it possible for you to explore, hike, cycle, fish, horseback ride, and walk along our beautiful desert trails any day.

Phoenix is home to several professional sports teams, including: the Phoenix Suns, Arizona Cardinals, and Arizona Diamondbacks; not to mention over 200 golf courses. If you want a change in scenery, California, Mexico, Las Vegas, New Mexico, and Northern Arizona are just a few hours away. From the scenic views, bustling night life, arts, sports, and outdoor activities, Phoenix is a great place to live, explore, and enjoy.



Why You Should Work With Us

- Join a cohesive team of Forensic Pathologists (19 in total), 2 Physician Assistants, a Forensic Anthropologist, and a Forensic Odontologist. Locum tenens physicians cover shifts when there are vacancies for effective, year-round staffing.
- **NAME** accredited, renovated facility with natural lighting
- **Loan Repayment Assistance Program** - \$6,250 per quarter with a maximum total benefit of \$100,000 for eligible student loans.
- **Work/Life Balance** - Average of eight exam days per month. Option to telecommute when not in exams. Administrative, public health, crime lab, and court partner facilities are within walking distance of our office.
- **Forensic Pathology Fellowship Program** accredited and funded for 2 Fellows annually
- Laptop computer provided for mobile access to electronic records and teleconferencing with colleagues
- **Family Advocate** social worker to assist with family communications
- **Complete Support Staff** - 32 ABMDI-certified investigators who respond to the majority of jurisdictional scenes and staff the office 24/7, 365 a year; 17 forensic examination technicians; 4 forensic photographers; 13 case clerks; and a full administrative support staff.
- **Histology** services are provided in-house with a 5-7 day average turnaround-time. Toxicology testing is provided by an external laboratory with an average two-week turnaround time.

BENEFITS PACKAGE

The Medical Examiner Position is an exempt position with an excellent benefits package, including:

- Enrollment in the Arizona State Retirement System, a defined benefit pension
- Accrual of at least 4 weeks of Paid Vacation
- 80 hours of both Paid Vacation and Sick Leave banked upon hire
- Annual one-week Conference Leave (expenses paid)
- Paid NAME and AAFS membership fees
- Paid medical licensure renewal and Boards maintenance fees
- Free public transit pass
- Generous student loan repayment benefit
- Paid Parental Leave
- Relocation Assistance



About the Position

Medical Examiners in Maricopa County are required by state statute to direct death investigations involving cases in the public interest, including those affecting the criminal justice and public health systems. Medical Examiners will direct medicolegal death investigations, perform postmortem examinations in compliance with the NAME Forensic Autopsy Standards, document findings in narrative reports, take overnight calls from investigation staff, and offer objective consultation and/or court testimony to outside agencies, including criminal court officials and law enforcement. Appointment as a Clinical Assistant Professor with the University of Arizona, College of Medicine-Phoenix is expected and offers access to a full-service medical library.

We offer incredible perks and we have a focus on work-life balance with the opportunity to telework from home on dedicated paperwork days and after completion of postmortem exams, a free fitness center membership, and commuter bus and rail passes.

APPLYING

Applications will be reviewed in the order they are received. This position is open until filled. Experienced physicians and current fellows available for employment in 2026 are encouraged to apply. All applications must be submitted through the online county system on the **Maricopa County Career Website**.

For questions, please contact Sierra Mauran, HR Business Partner at 602.478.0151 or by email at Sierra.Mauran@Maricopa.Gov.

