# **Medical Examiner**

# Yavapai County Community Health Services Prescott, Arizona

# **Medical Examiner Salary (Depends on Qualifications)**

Yavapai County Government is seeking applicants for the position of Medical Examiner. The Medical Examiner's office certified 614 cases in 2021 which included 251 autopsies, 226 eternal examinations, and 137 chart reviews.

Yavapai County offers a comprehensive employee benefits package which includes health, dental, vision, life insurance, retirement plan, short-term disability program, flexible spending account for health care and dependent care, HSA Savings Account (with qualifying health insurance package), sick leave, annual leave and 10 paid holidays per year along with other voluntary benefits available.

Prescott, Arizona offers a great quality of life that includes shorter than average commute times, excellent schools, the arts, and due to the mild four-season climate, Prescott is exceptional for endless outdoor recreation and activities.

For more information on this position, and to submit a required online application, please visit <a href="www.yavapaiaz.gov">www.yavapaiaz.gov</a>. Please direct any questions to Human Resources at (928) 771-3252 or <a href="web.human.resources@yavapaiaz.gov">web.human.resources@yavapaiaz.gov</a>

All YCCHS job applicants are subject to a U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office of Inspector General Health Care Fraud Prevention and Enforcement background check for exclusion from healthcare-related employment.

We provide equal access and equal opportunity in employment and services and do not discriminate.



# Medical Examiner - CHS (Prescott Valley)

# Salary

Depends on Qualifications

# Location

CHS - ME Office Prescott Valley, AZ

#### Job Type

Full Time - Exempt

#### **Department**

Community Health Services - CHS

## Job Number

202300726

#### Closing

Until Filled

#### Role

Under general direction, performs work of considerable difficulty in post mortem examinations to determine the cause and manner of death and, if necessary, assists law enforcement in the identity of deceased persons.

# Major Duties, Responsibilities

- Performs timely post mortem examinations, retaining samples, specimens and tissues necessary for analysis, examination and documentation in accordance with applicable laws and standard practices of forensic pathology.
- Prepares written autopsy reports opining the cause and manner of death; prepares and maintains records, reports and other documentation as well as physical evidence.
- Confers with law enforcement officials and attorneys in criminal cases and provides expert testimony.
- Assists with the preparation and administration of the operational budget.
- Performs other job-related duties as required.

### **Expectations:**

- To ensure compliance with all legal requirements of a Medical Examiner's Office, including compliance with NAME Forensic Autopsy Performance Standards.
- To assist in developing long term plans for the department and to anticipate resources needed

- To establish and maintain effective working relationships with employees, local law enforcement agencies, government officials, and the public.
- Maintain current knowledge of state and federal regulations governing death investigations.
- Communicate clearly and concisely both orally and in writing. Must be able to organize, interpret and present technical data in a manner understandable to non-technical staff and the public.

### **Minimum Qualifications**

# **Experience:**

A minimum of five (5) years' pathology/forensic experience.

#### **Education:**

Arizona MD/DO license required. Must be Board certified in Forensic and Anatomic Pathology.

#### Other Skills

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Must be able to stand for prolonged periods of time; lift and carry up to 50 pounds; push/pull up to 150 pounds; perform repetitive motions (elbow/shoulder); demonstrate visual acuity (near and far) for examinations and paperwork; demonstrate hearing and speech for ordinary conversations. Considerable knowledge of pathology and forensic pathological procedures, law, statutes and policies relating to post mortem examinations, human anatomy and autopsy procedures and safe and proper handling of body fluids, tissues and other body parts.

### Agency

Yavapai County Government

# **Address**

1015 Fair Street Room 338 Prescott, Arizona, 86305

#### Phone

(928) 771-3252

# Website to Apply:

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