

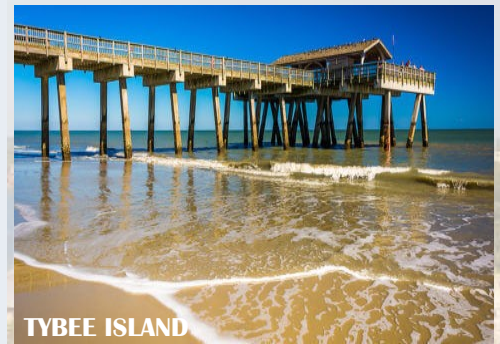


GEORGIA BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

invites applications for the position of:
Associate Medical Examiner (Forensic Pathologist)
for the Coastal Regional Laboratory

Pooler is a city in Chatham County and it is about 10 miles from Savannah, GA along interstates 95 & 16. Savannah, Georgia is situated among several waterways and is conveniently located just 20 minutes from Tybee Island. Savannah is well known and adored for its natural beauty, coastal cuisine, historic architecture, and attractions. Savannah charms its residents and visitors with its endearing quirks and unparalleled Southern hospitality. The rich culture and history of Savannah are carefully preserved and intermingled with a hip lifestyle that appeals to newcomers and locals across generations. Many have found that Savannah has the ideal amenities to settle for and a great place to call home.

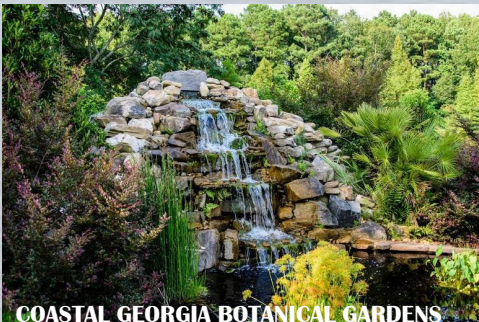
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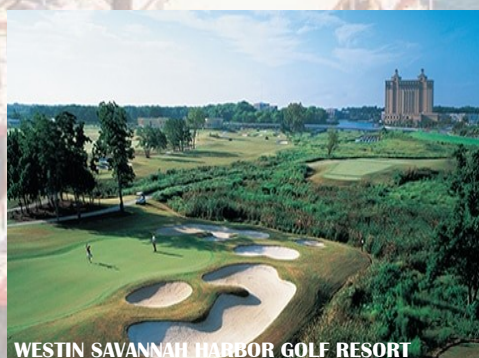
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COASTAL GEORGIA BOTANICAL GARDENS



WESTIN SAVANNAH HARBOR GOLF RESORT

The State Medical Examiner's Office, within the Division of Forensic Sciences of the Georgia Bureau of Investigation (GBI) is seeking qualified applicants to fill the Associate Medical Examiner (Forensic Pathologist) position at the GBI Coastal Regional Laboratory in Pooler, Georgia. The successful applicant will join a system that encompasses two regional medical examiner offices located in Pooler (Savannah) and Dry Branch (Macon), Georgia, in addition to the headquarters facility, located in Decatur, Georgia (Atlanta). Collectively, these three offices provide complete forensic pathology services to 155 of the 159 counties in Georgia.

The State Medical Examiner's Office has a total of 19 medical examiners throughout the state, when fully staffed, including two dual board-certified pediatric forensic pathologists staffed at headquarters. This office also operates the Child Victims Unit, which provides consultative services to law enforcement, district attorneys, the Division of Family and Children's Services, and other agencies, where inflicted injury is suspected in living children, as well as maintaining data on child fatalities and overseeing juvenile death investigations. This office also runs the GBI Forensic Pathology Fellowship, in conjunction with Medical College of Georgia, which provides forensic pathology training to include pediatric forensic pathology, cardiac pathology, scene investigation, and legal curriculum.

The Coastal Regional Laboratory in Pooler, GA performs approximately 725 autopsies per year. The Coastal Regional Laboratory medical examiner's staff currently has funding for three (3) Medical Examiner positions and currently has one (1) Medical Examiner and an in-house support staff of five (5) death investigations specialists (cross-trained medicolegal death investigators and autopsy technicians) and one (1) administrative assistant. The average caseload per pathologist, when fully staffed, is between 225-275 cases (not autopsy equivalents) per year. This office is located within the GBI Coastal Regional Crime Laboratory, which include on-site Forensic Biology, Forensic Chemistry, Firearms Analysis, and Forensic Toxicology. The statewide GBI Crime Laboratory also includes Forensic Impressions and Trace Evidence. The Coastal Medical Examiner's Office features a Lodox x-ray scanner and a BodyTom mobile CT scanner for in-house advanced imaging. The statewide Medical Examiner's Office has access to ABFA certified anthropology, ABFO certified forensic odontology, and Forensic Entomology consultants, as well as neuropathology and other specialized pathology consultations through the local hospital systems.



JOB DUTIES:

The Associate Medical Examiner (Forensic Pathologist) performs medicolegal autopsies under the provisions of the Georgia Death Investigation Act within a coroner/medical examiner system; generates examination reports for dissemination in a timely and efficient manner; provides expert courtroom and deposition testimony in judicial proceedings; and consults with coroners, law enforcement agencies, and attorneys who work within the criminal system. The Associate Medical Examiner may perform other duties as directed by the Chief Medical Examiner.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Medical Doctor licensed to practice medicine in the state of Georgia or the ability to obtain Georgia licensure as required by state law

AND

Successful completion of an Anatomic Pathology residency and Forensic Pathology fellowship from an accredited institution

AND

Board certified or eligible for certification by the American Board of Pathology in Anatomic Pathology and Forensic Pathology OR Anatomic Pathology, Clinical Pathology, and Forensic Pathology

CONDITION(S) OF EMPLOYMENT

Selected candidate must be able to work a flexible schedule to meet the needs of the business which may require working weekends and/or holidays. Selected candidate must also be available to receive and respond to telephone inquiries from home, while acting in an on-call status.

SALARY AND BENEFITS:

The salary range for the position is **\$260,000-\$280,000** per year, depending on qualifications and experience. Advancement within the salary structure is commensurate with cumulative experience and achievement of full board certification for those who are hired but not yet fully board certified.

In addition to the listed salary, the selected applicant will be paid an additional \$50,000/yr. locality pay that will be paid out semi-monthly in addition to the annual salary. The locality pay is valid only if the selected applicant is working at the Coastal Regional Laboratory in Pooler, GA.

Competitive benefits package:

- Medical, dental, and vision coverage
- Annual vacation, sick, and education leave
- 13 paid holidays
- Employee retirement plan
- Deferred compensation options
- Conference allowance
- Reimbursement of all GA licensure and board certification fees
- Paid Parental Leave
- Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLR) Eligible Employer
- **Georgia Medical Examiner Loan Repayment Program (up to \$120,000 over 5 years)**
- **Certified H-1B Visa Employer for the Associate Medical Examiner positions**

Applications may be filed online at: <http://www.gbi.georgia.gov>

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