



HAMILTON COUNTY CORONER'S LABORATORY **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Position: Forensic Biologist / DNA Analyst

Salary: The salary for this entry level position is \$42,000. Hamilton County also offers an excellent retirement program and health benefits.

Location: Cincinnati, Ohio

The Hamilton County Coroner's Laboratory has an immediate opening for an entry level Forensic Biologist / DNA Analyst. The laboratory is accredited under the ANAB ANSI-FQS *International* (ISO) assessment as of June 2021. The laboratory serves approximately 43 police agencies in a region of about 1 million people including the city of Cincinnati. Job responsibilities include: Analyzes stain material by antigenic, genetic, or other biochemical means, and compares results to tests done on samples of known origin. DNA analyses will be done in compliance with the current version of the FBI DNA Quality Assurance Standards; Provides written and verbal reports to investigators and attorneys; Participates in the laboratory quality assurance program which includes compliance with laboratory accreditation and safety requirements; Provides advice and assistance to law enforcement investigators, such as coordinating the collection of known samples from suspects and victims; Appears in court as an expert witness; Maintains proper custody of physical evidence by maintaining required records, and following established laboratory procedures for the safe handling of biohazardous materials.

Normal working hours are 8 to 4:30 Monday through Friday with no "On-call," however, there is the possibility of working different hours as long as it is 8 hours per day. The examiner will join a staff of five other Forensic Biologist / DNA analysts. The analyst will be required to comply with safety, quality control, and other administrative criteria of the ANSI-FQS accreditation program. Hamilton County is an Equal Employment Opportunity employer. General information about the laboratory can be found at www.hamilton-co.org/coroner.

Qualifications:

Analysts must have a Bachelor of Science degree in forensic science or an equivalent natural science. The transcript must specifically list the following four courses successfully completed: biochemistry, genetics, molecular biology, and statistics. Must pass a criminal background investigation and have no history of substance abuse.

To Apply:

Send 1. Cover letter , 2. Resume with references, 3. Transcript of College courses to:

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Applicants chosen for an on-site interview will be required to travel to Cincinnati at their own expense.

Applications will be accepted until January 30th 2022.