



COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
invites applications for the position of:

Chief Deputy Medical Examiner- 21228502U



CHIEF DEPUTY MEDICAL EXAMINER

The San Diego County Department of the Medical Examiner is seeking a highly qualified forensic pathologist with administrative experience to manage, direct, and coordinate the activities of the Pathology Division of the Medical Examiner's Office.

Anticipated Hiring Range: \$244,000 to \$286,582 Annually.

[Click here](#) to view the detailed announcement regarding the responsibilities and requirements of the position.

The Position:

The Chief Deputy Medical Examiner is an executive management position that manages, directs, and coordinates the activities of the Pathology Division of the Medical Examiner's Office. The position also investigates and determines the manner and cause of all sudden,

violent, or unusual deaths due to apparent natural causes in cases where the decedent has not been seen by a physician within 20 days prior to death, or where the attending physician is unable to determine the cause of death. The Chief Deputy Medical Examiner is a licensed physician and board-certified Forensic Pathologist in the State of California. Under administrative direction, this class is responsible for acting as principal assistant to the Chief Medical Examiner. As the Chief Deputy Medical Examiner, you will have overall responsibility for:

- Managing and directing the activities of the Pathology, Histology and Examination Room Divisions through subordinate supervisors
- Assigning and reviewing cases of subordinate staff and supervises the assignment of fee-for-service and staff pathologists for purposes of autopsy consistency
- Reviewing and evaluating toxicology reports for compliance with established procedures
- Coordinating pre and post-trial evaluations of medical/legal cases
- Directing the Forensic Pathology Fellow training program
- Coordinating resident pathologist and medical student rotations
- Communicating with the medical community in areas of mutual concern, such as potential health hazards
- Supervising subordinate staff
- Conducting autopsies/medical investigations as required
- Acting in the absence of the Chief Medical Examiner

Minimum Requirements:

Possession of a valid State of California license to practice medicine, (State of California Business and Professions Code Section 2135), Forensic Pathologist Board Certification, Anatomic Pathology Board Certification AND Must have at least two (2) years of experience in the field of medical legal death investigations

APPLICATION PROCESS AND RECRUITMENT SCHEDULE

1. Complete the online application at <https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/hr/>
2. Select the current job postings link for Chief Deputy Medical Examiner
3. Attach your résumé and license/certification Interested candidates are encouraged to apply as soon as possible for consideration.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

You may direct any questions regarding the application and selection process to Bryan Faircloth, Executive Recruiter, Human Resources at Bryan.Faircloth@sdcounty.ca.gov. Questions about the position or department should be directed to Billie Jean Tamayo, Group Human Resources Director for the Public Safety Group, at BillieJean.Tamayo@sdcounty.ca.gov.