



Department of Human Resources & Civil Service

Job Announcement Please Post Conspicuously

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TITLE: Forensic Biology Validation Manager (*Provisional appointment)
SALARY: \$51,754 – \$66,741 annually
LOCATION: Monroe County Department of Public Safety

JOB SUMMARY: This is an advanced technical position in the Department of Public Safety responsible for validation and implementation of new biological technologies, including training of staff and writing protocols. Casework duties include collecting evidence, performing chemical and microscopic analyses of unknown substances and evidentiary material required in criminal investigations including blood, saliva, semen, perspiration, and other specimens. Work is performed using deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) and related biological technologies.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from high school or possession of an equivalency diploma plus, either:

- A. Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Bachelor's degree in a Biology, Chemistry or Forensic Science field (college course work must have included subject areas where Statistics and/or Population Genetics, Biochemistry, Genetics, AND Molecular Biology constitute the primary component; appropriate training is acceptable for the subject areas of Statistics and/or (Population Genetics*), plus five (5) years paid full-time or its part-time equivalent experience in a laboratory performing polymerase chain reaction (PCR) deoxyribonucleic (DNA) analysis, one (1) year of which must have been in a forensic laboratory. Must have experience in validation of DNA technologies in accordance with forensic accreditation standards; OR,
- B. Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Master's degree in a Biology, Chemistry, or Forensic Science field (college course work must have included subject areas where Statistics and/or Population Genetics, Biochemistry, Genetics, AND Molecular Biology constitute the primary component; appropriate training is acceptable for the subject areas of Statistics and/or Population Genetics*), plus three (3) years paid full-time or its part-time equivalent experience in a laboratory performing polymerase chain reaction (PCR) deoxyribonucleic (DNA) analysis, one (1) year of which must have been in a forensic laboratory. Must have experience in validation of DNA technologies in accordance with forensic accreditation standards; OR,
- C. Any equivalent combination of training and experience as described in (A) and (B) above sufficient to indicate the ability to do the work.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Depending on position duties, candidates for employment with Monroe County Government will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test.

Applicants may be required to undergo a State and national criminal history background investigation, which will include a fingerprint check, to determine suitability for appointment. Failure to meet the standards for the background investigation may result in disqualification.

Send Civil Service Application to: Monroe County Department of Human Resources
39 W. Main Street – Room 210
Rochester, NY 14614-1471

Posting Deadline: April 20, 2007

*The term provisional means that you will be required to take the next Civil Service examination for this title, and place among the top three (3) on the examination list in order to be eligible for permanent appointment.

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