













## Onondaga County, New York is hiring: SENIOR LATENT PRINT EXAMINER

Located in the center of New York State, Onondaga County is home to the City of Syracuse. We are within a 5-hour drive from New York City, Toronto, Boston, Philadelphia, and the Adirondack Mountains, and are conveniently situated at the intersection of Interstate 81 and the New York State Thruway.

Our four-season climate provides warm summers for boating on the Finger Lakes, vivid fall foliage in our surrounding countryside, blankets of snow for winter sports enthusiasts, and budding springtime shopping and dining in our unique lakeside villages of Skaneateles, Cazenovia, and Geneva.

The Central New York (CNY) region is home to 35 higher education institutions including Syracuse University. This network plays a part in CNY's rich innovation and entrepreneurial opportunities. Syracuse is also known as one of the top green cities in the US, and is named one of the most affordable cities to live in the US.

From tech, the arts, cultural events, and beautiful natural surroundings to sports and seasonal outdoor activities, Onondaga County is a great place to live, work, play, and raise a family.



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## POSITION AVAILABLE SENIOR LATENT PRINT EXAMINER

The Onondaga County Forensic Laboratories is a full-service ANAB accredited forensic laboratory outfitted with state-of-the-art equipment and technology. The Forensic Laboratories provide high quality scientific laboratory services in support of the administration of justice and public safety programs for the citizens of Onondaga County. The Forensic Laboratories is an inviting place to work with regular opportunities for team building, social engagement and community outreach. The office is located in the Wallie Howard Jr. Center for Forensic Sciences facility that also houses the county's Medical Examiner's office.

#### **JOB DUTIES**

The work involves responsibility for supervising the staff and technical aspects of the latent print section and possibly other sections of the laboratory. Under the general direction of the Director of Laboratories, an employee in this class is responsible for supervising, training, and performing work varying in complexity and responsibility in the area of latent print development and comparison. The work is performed in accordance with Federal and State accreditation requirements and departmental procedure manuals and guidelines. Supervision is exercised over personnel within the Latent Print section. Does related work as required.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

\*\*Candidates not meeting the minimum qualifications as listed below will not be considered\*\*

Graduation from a regionally accredited college or university or one accredited by the New York State Board of Regents to grant degrees with a bachelor's degree or higher in a natural science, forensic science, criminalistics or a closely related field and six (6) years of work experience, or its part-time equivalent, as a forensic examiner in the discipline of Latent Prints.

NOTE: Education may be substituted for experience as follows:

A master's degree or a Doctorate Degree (PhD) in a natural science, physical science or chemical science can be substituted for one (1) year of the required work experience.

#### **BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION**

Candidates considered for appointment will 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.

#### **SALARY AND BENEFITS**

The salary range for the position is \$87,377- \$115,833 depending on qualifications and experience, with scheduled annual increases, and a competitive benefits package:

- Medical, dental and vision coverage
- Annual vacation, sick, personal leave, and paid holidays
- New York State Retirement/Pension & Deferred Compensation
  Program
- Flexible Spending Accounts
- 35 Hour Work Week
- Optional 4-day Work Week

#### TO APPLY - DEADLINE: 8-27-2024

Please submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, transcript(s), employment application (P-200) and criminal background questionnaire (P-202) to: Lauren Pyland, Director of Operations at Lauren Pyland@ongov.net



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### THE WALLIE HOWARD, JR CENTER FOR FORENSIC SCIENCES



