**Deputy Medical Examiner**

Tarrant County Medical Examiner District

# Hiring Range

## Commensurate with Level of Experience and Practice

**Job Summary/Essential Job Functions**

The deputy medical examiner will perform functions of a forensic pathologist, conducting post-mortem examinations, and associated work duties.

# Requirements

At minimum, applicants must have an MD or DO degree, certification by the American Board of Pathology in Anatomic Pathology and Forensic Pathology, and eligibility for medical licensure in Texas.

# Duties and Responsibilities

* Performs primary functions of a forensic pathologist in accordance with industry standards to determine manner and cause of death in medical examiner cases
* Maintains all required licenses and accreditations consistent

with the industry standards

* Maintains individual continuing medical education and assures compliance with licensing and certification requirements
* Assists in the training of forensic pathology fellow
* Provides expert testimony in criminal and civil court

as requested

 **Location**

* Located just west of Dallas, Fort Worth is the second largest city in the DFW Metroplex. The affordability, economic strength and livability of Fort Worth has put it on the map as one of the top places to live in the country.
* Fort Worth is ranked one of the “Top Cities for Relocation” by The Ladder.

**About Tarrant County Medical Examiner District**

The Office serves a district including Tarrant, Denton, Parker and Johnson counties with a total district population exceeding 2.8 million.

* NAME accredited and staffed by seven full-time Board-Certified Pathologists.
* ACGME accredited fellowship program
* In 2019, 1,620 complete autopsies, 443 partials and 1,735 external examinations were performed within the district.
* Investigations are certified by American Board of Medicolegal Death Investigators (ABMDI)
* ANSI-National Accreditation Board ISO/IEC 17025:2005 accredited Crime Laboratory including Biology/DNA, Firearms & Toolmarks, Latent Prints and Trace Evidence in addition to Toxicology, Drug Chemistry and Breath Alcohol Calibration Services.
* Human Identification including odontology and anthropology and fingerprints.
* Comprehensive Histology services

**To Apply**

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