



**LINN COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER**  
Invites applications for the position of:

**Medical-Legal Death Investigator**

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The Linn County Medical Examiner's Office is tasked with investigating unattended, sudden, natural, accidental and suspicious deaths occurring in Linn County. Medical-legal investigators (MDIs) are tasked with conducting these investigations. Linn County is looking for individuals who are interested in conducting death investigations in a thorough, dignified and professional manner for the community. This is an on-call part-time job. On-call schedules are flexible to enable MDIs to maintain other primary employment.

Our investigators work closely with EMS and law enforcement agencies to determine the cause and manner of a person's death. They evaluate death scenes, interview involved parties, review medical records and examine bodies. MDIs write investigation reports and provide important information for inclusion in death certificates. You may also be required to attend autopsies performed by the State's Medical Examiner.

This job will provide you with the opportunity to receive specialized training in medical-legal investigations. You will receive coaching and periodic training and will be the supervision of the local District Medical Examiner and the State's Medical Examiner's office.

**Preferred Qualifications**

Prior employment in any of the following fields is preferred:

- Nursing
- Emergency Room Duties/Employment
- Police/Law Enforcement
- Fire Department
- Emergency Medical Services
- Other MDI experience

Other preferred qualifications include: Bachelor's Degree or other background of relevance to the position. Ability to respond promptly to any death scene in Linn County. Good communication and report writing skills. Available to commit to be on call at least 3 days of a month. Must pass a thorough background check.

**Pay**

Once fully trained, \$32/hour while conducting investigations plus a \$72/per-day on-call stipend.

**Application Details**

Please submit a cover letter and resume to Amy Guyer at the Linn County Medical Examiner & District Attorney's Office 300 4<sup>th</sup> Ave SW, Room 100, P.O. Box 100, Albany, OR 97321. All application materials must be received by 5:00 p.m. January 31, 2024.

Questions? Contact the ME Office at (541) 704-1150 or MEoffice@co.linn.or.us.