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*Coroner*

### Forensic Pathologist/Deputy Coroner

The Jefferson Parish Coroner's Office (JPCO) is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Forensic Pathologist/Deputy Coroner. This is a full-time position. The anticipated date of hire is July of 2017.

**Summary:** The Jefferson Parish Coroner's Office is fully accredited by NAME. JPCO serves a population of approximately 435,716 residents and is a part of the New Orleans metropolitan area. In 2014, 2,889 cases were reported to the office with 488 cases being autopsied. In addition, JPCO provides autopsy services to several surrounding jurisdictions. The successful candidate will work with 2 other full-time forensic pathologists, 3 full-time morgue technicians and 7 full-time board certified death investigators. JPCO pathologists averaged 190 autopsies each over the last 2 years. JPCO also has in-house toxicology services and a highly trained administrative staff to support our investigators and pathologists.

**Qualifications:** Candidates must be physicians licensed to practice in the State of Louisiana or obtain licensure prior to being hired. Candidates shall be certified by the American Board of Pathology in anatomic pathology and eligibility for or actual certification in forensic pathology is required. Those eligible for certification in forensic pathology shall obtain certification within 1 year of employment.

**Salary and Benefits:** The starting salary for this position is \$175,000. Exceptional qualifications and experience **may** warrant additional starting pay. Benefits include professional liability insurance, health insurance, a robust, well-funded retirement plan and options for a deferred compensation plan and disability insurance. All employees are granted up to 26 days of paid time off (vacation/sick leave) per year depending on time of service. JPCO also covers expenses for up to 2 qualified educational conferences per year for its pathologists. This travel is considered business related and does not count against paid time off.

**Application:** A job application is available at [www.jpccoroner.com](http://www.jpccoroner.com). Please submit a completed application along with a cover letter and curriculum vitae to:

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Director of Operations  
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2018 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Harvey, LA 70058  
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