

Ocean City Police Department

Position Listing

Crime Scene Technician - Trainee

Ocean City Police Department
6501 Coastal Highway
Ocean City, Maryland 21842

Job Title: Crime Scene Technician – Trainee

Salary: \$ 34,390.30/year

Closing Date: April 9, 2012

Position Duties: A Crime Scene Technician - Trainee is the entry level position of forensic field service work. Employees learn to identify, collect, record and preserve evidence found at crime and disaster scenes for laboratory examination and court presentations. The work is physically demanding and is performed in the laboratory or at crime and disaster scenes where employees may be required to work for several hours or more in difficult positions. An employee in this class is responsible for reporting to crime scenes for the purpose of detecting, recording, collecting and preserving evidence. Under close supervision, the employee will review crime and/or disaster scenes, process materials associated with the scenes, and gather information from witnesses; when available, which may provide insight into the sequence and location of events and possible evidence.

ALL CANDIDATES MUST MEET THE MINIMUM AND SELECTIVE QUALIFICATIONS

Minimum Qualifications:

- **Citizenship:** Must be a United States citizen
- **Education:** Possess an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice, Criminology, Biology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, or a related field from an accredited college or university. A Bachelor's Degree is preferred.
- **Experience:** Prior experience is not required
- **Physical:** Visual acuity must be correctable to 20/20 with the ability to recognize basic colors

Notes:

- Employees will be subject to 24 hour on-call and overtime based upon staffing needs and demand for service
- Employees must possess a valid motor vehicle operator's license
- Candidates must successfully pass a complete background investigation to include a police records check, employment history, credit history, education history, neighborhood check and reference check
- Candidates must successfully pass a pre-employment physical examination, polygraph examination and drug screen

Applications can be obtained at www.oceancitymd.gov/police or by contacting the Ocean City Police Department Training and Recruiting Section at 410-723-6612

Completed applications must be sent to the attention of the Training and Recruiting Section, Ocean City Police Department, 6501 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland 21842