

SENIOR CRIME SCENE TECHNICIAN - 386

DEFINITION OF WORK

Under immediate supervision, performs difficult technical work in the field of evidence and identification; does related work as required.

EXAMPLES OF WORK

Takes, identifies and classifies fingerprints; clears prints and other identification materials with State and Federal authorities; photographs crime scene; collects evidence; instructs personnel in proper identification methods and procedures; supervises the work of Identification Technicians; performs various clerical tasks dealing with identification; prepares evidence for court presentation; testifies in court; maintains detailed filing system and records; searches files in identifying suspects; photographs, develops and files prints; performs the duties of a Police Identification Technician as required.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Education and Experience: Any combination of education and experience equivalent to a high school diploma, supplemented by additional training in evidence handling; forensic science, photography and/or related field and extensive experience in police investigative and evidence work.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Thorough knowledge of fingerprint classification, practices, records and equipment; thorough knowledge of rules of evidence; thorough knowledge of photography and the various methods of printing, developing and enlarging negatives; ability to maintain complex and accurate reports; ability to follow complex oral and written directions; ability to train and supervise others; clerical and technical aptitude; tactful and courteous.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Possession of a valid State of North Carolina driver's license. Police Information Network (PIN) operator's permit. Certificate issued by the Department of Health to administer Breathalyzer test.

