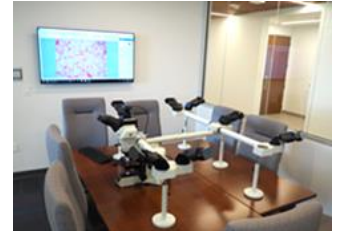




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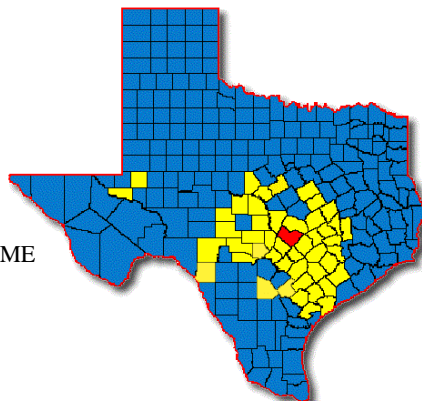
Forensic Pathology Fellowship in Austin, TX



Description: The Travis County Medical Examiner's Office (TCME) in Austin, Texas, with sponsorship from the University of Texas Medical Branch Hospitals Program, offers an ACGME-accredited, one-year fellowship in forensic pathology. We are currently able to accept one fellow per year.

Our office: The office has been continually accredited by the National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) since 2009. We investigate deaths in Travis County (which has a population of approximately 1.3 million) and we also take referral cases from 47 other counties in central Texas. In 2023, our office performed 2346 autopsies and 502 external examinations.

Red: Travis County
Yellow: Counties served by TCME
through interlocal agreements



Our facility: TCME operates in a state-of-the art, 52,000 square-foot facility that was completed in 2018.

- Computed tomography scanner – we scan ALL decedents
- In-house Toxicology laboratory
 - Time-of-flight mass spectrometry capability
 - Accredited by the ANSI National Accreditation Board (ISO/IEC 17025)
- In-house Histology laboratory

Our staffing:

- 10 medical examiners (including the Chief and Deputy Chief Medical Examiners)
- 15 medicolegal death investigators with 24/7 coverage; specialized training in anthropology
- 12 autopsy technicians; specialized training in forensic photography
- 7 forensic toxicologists

Positions available: One position for 2025-2026

Anticipated Salary: ~\$110,000

Timeframe: We participate in the NRMP Match for Forensic Pathology, and will begin setting up interviews toward the end of the year.

Application information: We participate in the Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS) managed by the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC).

Please submit:

- Three (3) letters of recommendation (at least one should be from a forensic pathologist)
- Curriculum Vitae

Because this is the first year of using ERAS, we will also accept the College of American Pathologists *Standard Application for Pathology Fellowships*.

Direct inquiries and/or submit application materials (if desired) to:

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