



# Forensic Scientist I - Toxicology Unit

PUBLIC SAFETY - POLICE

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**SALARY:** \$49,836.80 - \$72,259.20 Annually

**STATUS:** Full-Time Regular

**FLSA:** Exempt position, not eligible for overtime compensation.

**OPENING DATE:** 06/24/17

**CLOSING DATE:** 07/09/17 11:59 PM

## INTRODUCTION:

The Forensic Scientist I performs professional level work involved in the examination, identification, and evaluation of physical evidence in the investigation of crimes for the Police Department.

Located in the beautiful Sonoran Desert, Scottsdale, Arizona is bordered by Phoenix to the west and the McDowell Mountains on the east. Scottsdale is annually rated among the nation's most desirable communities to live in, visit and do business in. Check out more [about Scottsdale](#).

Duties will include analyzing blood samples for the presence of alcohol, writing detailed reports, assisting in the development and implementation of forensic methods and programs. Conduct the interpretation, evaluation, and quality review of analytical results and reports.

## Ideal candidate will have:

- Knowledge and experience in toxicology discipline of blood alcohol analysis by the method of headspace gas chromatography.
- Knowledge of the effects of blood alcohol and interpretation of those effects as they apply to driving.
- Knowledge of ASCLD/LAB-International accreditation requirements (ISO 17025 and the ASCLD/LAB Supplemental Requirements) including the calculation and application of Measurement Uncertainty.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

### Education and Experience:

- Bachelor's degree in chemistry, or related physical science or natural science from an accredited institution, with a minimum of 20 semester hours in chemistry related subjects.
- An equivalent combination of education and job related experience may substitute for the educational requirements on a year-for-year basis.

### Licensing, Certifications and Other Requirements:

Must possess and maintain a valid, unrestricted Arizona driver's license with no major citations within the past 39 months prior to the start date.

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**A COMPLETED ONLINE APPLICATION IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS POSITION. ONLINE APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE CITY OF [SCOTTSDALE'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WEBSITE](#). THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THIS POSITION IS SUNDAY, 7/9/17.**