

CHENANGO COUNTY VACANCY NOTICE

Job Title:	Assistant Public Defender
Location of Position:	Chenango County Public Defender's Office
Hours per week:	Minimum 35 hours per week
Responsibilities/Duties:	Employees in this class are appointed by the Public Defender to perform professional legal work involving responsibility for assisting in the representation of indigent defendants as assigned by the Public Defender. The work involves responsibility for participating in the investigation, preparation, conduct and appearance in various court and legal proceedings involving felony and misdemeanor crimes as well as violations. The Assistant Public Defender also represents respondents financially unable to obtain counsel in family court and surrogate court proceedings. The work is performed under the general supervision of the Public Defender. Supervision is exercised over the work of clerical subordinates. The incumbent does related work as required.
Minimum Qualifications:	<p>Possession of a license to practice law in New York State.</p> <p>Special Requirement: At time of appointment and continuing throughout employment a candidate/incumbent must have a valid NYS Driver License, a reliable vehicle, and a driving record acceptable to the County's insurance carrier.</p>
Salary:	Salary is commensurate with experience: \$65,000
Benefits:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health, dental and vision insurance • Generous leave time benefits & paid holidays • NYS Retirement System membership • 457(b) tax deferred retirement savings plan • Eligibility for federal student loan forgiveness program
Starting Date:	Immediate opening.
To Apply:	For applications, contact the Chenango County Personnel Department at (607) 337-1470 or visit www.co.chenango.ny.us/personnel
<p>Chenango County is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer and does not discriminate on the basis of one's race, including hairstyles or traits associated with race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, marital status, military status, familial status, domestic violence victim status, predisposing genetic characteristics, prior arrest or conviction record, reproductive health decision making, or any other status protected by State or Federal Law.</p> <p>EEOE M/F/H/V</p>	