New Orleans Civil Service

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

OFFICIAL CLASS TITLE **ENTRANCE SALARY**: $66,388 PER YEAR
INSPECTOR AND EVALUATOR III (INSPECTOR GENERAL)
(CLASS CODE 0722)

FINAL DATE FOR FILING APPLICATIONS: Applications will be accepted until this announcement is withdrawn.

KIND OF WORK:

Professional, specialized, and advanced administrative and technical work conducting inspections and evaluations that provide decision makers with objective, thorough and timely evaluations of city agencies and programs. Work includes producing reports that contain findings and recommendations that can help city officials achieve efficiency, effectiveness, and economy in managing day to day operations and personnel. Work also includes ensuring agency and program compliance with applicable laws, regulations and policies and making recommendations relative to improvement of processes; and related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

A Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university.

AND
A Master's Degree in science, social science, economics, public administration, information technology, or other research-oriented discipline from an accredited college or university **AND** four (4) years of related experience.

OR
A Juris Doctor **AND** three (3) years of related experience.

Copies or original documents of college diploma, college transcripts and certifications must be presented at the time of application. Copies are acceptable for purposes of application only; however, original documents must be presented before candidates can be hired.

If appointed, employees in this classification must obtain either a Certificate of Evaluation Practice (CEP) or a Certificate of Advanced Study in Evaluation during the probationary period. No probationary period may last longer than one year. Failure to obtain either a Certificate of Evaluation Practice (CEP) or a Certificate of Advanced Study in Evaluation during the probationary period will result in termination. Employees terminated under this provision must wait one year from the date of termination or obtain one of the above listed certificates to be rehired.

(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION)

KIND OF EXAMINATION:

a) A qualifying written test and a rating of training and experience, weighted 100%. Credit will only be given for experience gained within the last ten (10) years.
b) If given a conditional offer of employment, a qualifying psychological/psychiatric evaluation will be given.
c) A urinalysis test to detect illegal drug usage.

Note: Applicants who meet the above listed educational requirements will be mailed a Special Work History form which must be returned to Civil Service within two weeks of receipt.

A background investigation will be conducted.

This position requires a one year probationary period.

This is an original entrance examination.

Domicile requirements are currently waived for this examination. Applicants for this position must be United States Citizens.

THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER AND DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, GENDER, AGE, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL DISABILITY, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, CREED, CULTURE, OR ANCESTRY. REQUESTS FOR ALTERNATE FORMAT OR ACCOMMODATIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO AMY TREPAGNIER AT (504) 658-3515 OR TTY/VOICE AT (504) 586-4475.

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GENERAL INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Applications will not be accepted if received after the closing date or after the stated maximum number of applications has been received, as specified on this announcement. All minimum qualification requirements for examinations must be met by the final filing date unless otherwise specified on this announcement. Applications must be submitted on the official application form AND MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CITY CIVIL SERVICE, CITY HALL, 1300 PERDIDO STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, BEFORE THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE FINAL FILING DATE.

DELAY IN THE MAIL: The Department of City Civil Service cannot be responsible for failure of the applicant to receive an admission slip to an examination or for failure of the Department to receive material mailed by the applicant. Applicants should notify the Department of City Civil Service in writing of any address changes.

Candidates for original entrance examinations are required to be domiciled in and, if U.S. citizens, registered voters of Orleans Parish unless otherwise specified on this announcement. Aliens residing in the U.S. are required to provide notarized proof of domicile (and an Alien Registration Card). Permanent employees of the City of New Orleans are exempt from this requirement unless otherwise specified on this announcement.

The minimum age limit is 18 years for any class of work requiring hard physical labor, operation of or proximity to hazardous machinery, exposure to hazardous chemicals, or participation in any other processes or procedures which are prohibited or limited by the Louisiana State Child Labor Law.

The working test (probation) period for most positions in the classified service is six months unless otherwise specified. Any working test period may be extended to a maximum of one year at the request of the appointing authority. Positions in the Inspector General's Office, Fire Department and Police Department as well as all positions in the classes of Institutional Counselor II & III (original entrance), Librarian I-IV, Management Development Analyst I & II, and Management Development Specialist I & II (original entrance), require a one year working test period.

The City of New Orleans has a comprehensive program of substance abuse testing. Candidates for employment for certain positions where the health, welfare and/or safety of the public, co-workers and the individual employee is at risk will have to undergo pre-employment substance abuse screening. Candidates for all other original entrance positions will have to undergo an unannounced substance abuse screening during their working test period. For further information, see Civil Service Rule V, Section 9.

A MEDICAL EXAMINATION is required for all original entrance probationary appointments to ACTIVE classifications, and may be required for re-employment, promotions and/or transfers.

A MEDICAL SCREENING, which may result in a medical examination, is required for all original entrance probationary appointments to **non-active** classifications.

GOOD MORAL CHARACTER is required of all applicants. Any applicant may be disqualified if his/her character or past employment record is found to be unsatisfactory as determined by the Department of City Civil Service. Forgery, misrepresentation of facts, or cheating on examinations is punishable by disqualification, fine and other penalties.

IMPORTANT: Applicants who are licensed to drive should have a current license **on their person** for purposes of identification during **all** phases of an examination. In lieu of such license, the Department of City Civil Service may require that applicants have some form of picture identification.

VETERANS PREFERENCE: On original entrance examinations, veterans (as defined in Article X, Section 10(2) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana), disabled veterans, certain spouses and parents of veterans shall receive additional credit if claimed as provided on the Veterans Preference claim form which can be obtained in this office. To obtain credit, this form must be submitted with the required proof (at the minimum, a DD214) before the final filing date.

ACCREDITED COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES: An accredited college or university is an institution that is accredited as a college or university by an organization that is recognized by the USDE (United States Department of Education).

NOTE: The Civil Service Department defines PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE as experience gained after receiving a Bachelor's Degree.

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