

FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER - DISTRICT OF NEVADA

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Assistant Federal Public Defender

The Federal Public Defender is accepting applications for the position of Assistant Federal Public Defender for our habeas units. This is a full time position located in Las Vegas.

Applicants must possess demonstrated commitment to poverty law or indigent criminal defense, strong writing, oral advocacy ability and litigation experience in at least one of the following areas: criminal law especially in post-conviction litigation or appellate litigation, or complex federal court civil litigation. The position requires occasional travel. Applicants must be team oriented, have at least three years of relevant experience, and be immediately able to undertake representation of habeas petitioners currently litigating in every stage of the habeas proceedings.

Applicant must be a member in good standing of a state bar. Applicant must also be willing to take the Nevada Bar Exam or comply with provisional licensure requirements for the State Bar of Nevada. Federal salary and benefits are based upon qualifications and experience, consistent with federal guidelines and regulations. Hiring is based upon the availability of funding.

Qualified persons may apply by forwarding a letter of interest, resume with experience described in detail, three references and a representative writing sample to:

James Morgan
Personnel Administrator
Law Offices of the Federal Public Defender
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Las Vegas, Nevada 89101
James_Morgan@fd.org

Position open until filled, however preference will be given for applications received by March 30, 2018.

The Federal Public Defender is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants must be a United States citizen, or a person authorized to work in the United States and receive compensation from this agency. Employment is subject to a satisfactory background investigation, including an FBI name and fingerprint check.