

## Legal Recruitment

Division of Criminal Justice

Medicaid Fraud Control Unit – New York City
Special Assistant Attorney General
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## Application Deadline is January 22, 2021

The New York State Office of the Attorney General's (OAG) Medicaid Fraud Control Unit is seeking experienced prosecuting attorneys to serve as Special Assistant Attorney General in its New York City office. Utilizing various state laws, including the New York State Penal Law, the False Claims Act, Social Services Law §145-b, and the Executive Law, the Unit brings civil causes of action or criminal proceedings to stop fraud by healthcare providers, to protect the integrity of the State Medicaid program and to protect the health and well-being of residents of residential care facilities. Many of these actions are conducted in coordination with other state, federal or local government and prosecutorial agencies, and have resulted in large-scale financial recoveries on behalf of the State of New York, as well as the arrest and prosecution of various wrongdoers.

The selected candidate will lead team investigations of allegations of financial fraud in the healthcare industry, and of abuse and neglect of residents of healthcare facilities, present evidence to grand juries, and conduct evidentiary hearings and trials in New York State courts.

Applicants must have a minimum of four (4) years of practice experience, and possess excellent analytical, writing, communication and organizational skills. Applicants should have substantial grand jury and trial experience that preferably includes the investigation and prosecution of financial crimes. Experience drafting and overseeing the execution of search and eavesdropping warrants is a plus.

Candidates for the position of Special Assistant Attorney General must possess: (1) the ability to articulate the critical issues in a case accurately and precisely; (2) strong research and interpersonal skills; (3) good judgment; (4) the ability to work independently and to work productively as a team member; and (5) the ability to work in a supportive and professional manner with professional staff and support staff.

Applicants must reside in (or intend to soon become a resident of) New York State and be admitted to practice law in New York State. In addition, the Public Officers Law requires that attorneys in the Office be citizens of the United States. A two (2) year commitment upon being hired is a condition of employment.

OAG employees serve more than 19 million state residents through a wide variety of occupations. We offer a comprehensive New York State benefits package, including paid leave, health, dental, vision and retirement benefits, and family-friendly policies. As an employee of the OAG, you will join a team of dedicated individuals who work to serve the people of our State.

## **How To Apply**

**Applications are being received online.** To apply, please click on the following link: **MFCU SAAG NYC 3283**; applicants will be taken to the online application page for this position.

To ensure consideration, applications must be received by close of business on January 22, 2021.

- Cover Letter (You may address to Legal Recruitment)
- Resume
- List of three (3) references with contact information and email addresses
- Most recent transcript (if less than 5-years postgraduate)
- Writing Sample

Please note: Failure to submit a complete application will delay the consideration of your application.

If you have questions regarding a position with the OAG and the application process or you need assistance with submitting your application, please contact the Legal Recruitment via email at <a href="mailto:recruitment@ag.ny.gov">recruitment@ag.ny.gov</a> or phone at 212-416-8080.

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