

# **CORRECTIONAL CASE RECORDS ANALYST**

# Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

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# EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The State of California is an equal opportunity employer to all, regardless of age, ancestry, color, disability (mental and physical), exercising the right of family care and medical leave, gender, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin, political affiliation, race, religious creed, sex (includes pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related medical conditions), and sexual orientation.

# DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION

The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) and California Correctional Health Care Services (CCHCS) are committed to building and fostering a diverse workplace. We believe cultural diversity, backgrounds, experiences, perspectives, and unique identities should be honored, valued, and supported. We believe all staff should be empowered. CDCR/CCHCS are proud to foster inclusion and representation at all levels of both Departments.

#### **TESTING DEPARTMENTS**

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)

# **CLASSIFICATION DETAILS**

# Salary Range:

\$3,622.00 - \$5,889.00 per month

View the classification specification for the Correctional Case Records Analyst classification.

#### WHO SHOULD APPLY

Applicants who meet the minimum qualifications as stated below.

Once you have taken the Qualifications Assessment Examination, you may not retake it for twelve (12) months.

HOW TO APPLY

All applicants must complete and submit an Examination Application (STD. 678) and Qualifications Assessment

By mail to: Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Talent Acquisition and Career Services P.O. Box 942883 Sacramento, CA 94283-0001

Or in person at:

Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation 1515 S Street Sacramento, CA 95811-7243 Attn: Talent Acquisition and Career Services, 101N

If you are personally delivering your application and Qualifications Assessment, you must do so between the hours of **8:00 a.m**. and **5:00 p.m.**, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, on or before the cut-off date to the same street address as listed above.

Qualifications Assessments for Correctional Case Records Analyst are available from the CDCR website at: <u>Correctional Case Records Analyst</u> or in person at the street address listed above.

Completed applications and all required documents must be received or postmarked by the cut-off date in order to be considered. If an application is received after the cut-off date with a late or missing postmark, the application is considered late and will be included in the next cut-off date for processing. It is the applicant's responsibility to submit their application on time and to ensure the envelope is postmarked if applying by way of U.S. mail or contains proof of timely deposit with a parcel delivery or courier service. Dates printed on Mobile Bar Codes, such as the Quick Response (QR) Codes available at the United States Postal Service (USPS), are not considered Postmark dates for the purpose of determining timely filing of an application.

NOTE: Only applications with an original signature will be accepted.

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If you require special testing arrangements due to a verified disability or medical condition, mark the appropriate box on your Examination Application (STD. 678) and you will be contacted to make specific arrangements. You may also contact Talent Acquisition and Career Services at (916) 322-2545.

# APPLICATION DEADLINES/REQUIREMENTS

Candidates must complete and return the Correctional Case Records Analyst Qualifications Assessment along with his/her Examination Application (STD. 678). Candidates who meet the minimum qualifications will have their Qualifications Assessment rated.

All applicants must meet the minimum qualifications for this examination by the cut-off date.

# TEST DATE Applications will be accepted on a continuous basis.

Cut-off dates for processing will be:

July 13, 2023	October 9, 2023	January 8, 2024	April 8, 2024	July 8, 2024

**Note:** Check back periodically as cut-off dates may be added in the future. Additionally, cut-off dates are subject to change or be cancelled at any time. Such changes or cancellations will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules.

Results notices will be mailed in 7 – 8 weeks following each cut-off date. Please contact Talent Acquisition and Career Services at (916) 322-2545 if you have not received your notice after 7 weeks.

# MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

# Either 1

**Experience**: Two years of full-time experience in a correctional or mental health setting performing duties in the maintenance, processing, and control of criminal case records for persons committed to the jurisdiction of local, State, or Federal correctional agencies. (Experience in California state service applied toward this requirement must have been acquired at a level of responsibility equivalent to an Office Assistant, Range B.) **and** 

**Education**: The equivalent to completion of one year (30 semester or 45 quarter units) of college education. (An additional year of the qualifying work experience may be substituted for the required education.)

# Or 2

**Experience**: Three years of full-time specialized criminal case record-keeping experience directly related to the courts, legal processes, or legal procedures. (Experience in the California state service applied toward this requirement must have been acquired at a level of responsibility equivalent to an Office Assistant, Range B.) **and** 

**Education**: The equivalent to completion of one year (30 semester or 45 quarter units) of college education. (An additional year of the qualifying work experience may be substituted for the required education.)

# IMPORTANT: When using education and/or specific course work to meet the minimum qualifications, you must submit a copy of unofficial transcripts along with your application.

Qualifying experience may be combined on a proportionate basis if the requirements stated above include more than one pattern and are distinguished as "Either" 1, "or" 2, "or" 3, etc. For example, candidates who possess qualifying experience amounting to 50% of the required time of Pattern 1, and additional experience amounting to 50% of the required to an examination as meeting 100% of the overall experience requirement.

**OUT-OF-CLASS EXPERIENCE:** A "completion of an out-of-class assignment" memorandum, dated within one year of assignment completion, is required to use as out-of-class experience to meet the minimum qualifications for examination purposes. Employees may obtain this documentation from his/her Institutional Personnel Officer/Personnel Liaison. Out-of-class experience without required documentation will not be considered for examination purposes.

# SPECIAL PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Willingness to work in a variety of correctional settings; capacity for assuming progressively greater responsibility; tack; and willingness to travel when required.

# SPECIAL DESIRABLEQUALIFICATIONS

Equivalent to graduation from high school.

# POSITION DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION(S)

**Correctional Case Records Analyst** is the entry, training, and journey level in this classification. Under close supervision as a trainee, incumbents receive training and perform increasingly more difficult and complex technical work in the processing, maintaining, and control of inmate or parolee records; prepare routine documents and records information relating to inmates' classification, transfer, releases from and return to prison, and other actions affecting legal status.

At the journey level, incumbents work under general supervision of Correctional Case Records Supervisors, perform complex, technical work in the processing, maintenance, and control of inmate or parolee records; calculate inmate and parolee release and discharge dates, applying credits and enhancements; interpret and apply appropriate laws, policies, and procedures; act as liaison with other units and related agencies; may serve as a leadperson to Correctional Case Records Analyst trainees. The consequence of error is significant.

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Positions exist statewide with CDCR.

# **EXAMINATION PLAN**

EXAMINATION INTERVIEWS WILL NOT BE HELD. This examination will consist of a Qualifications Assessment weighted 100%. To obtain a position on the eligible list, applicants must achieve a minimum rating of 70.00% on the Qualifications Assessment.

The Qualifications Assessment is designed to elicit a range of specific information regarding each candidate's knowledge, skill, abilities, and potential to effectively perform the duties relative to the classification. Candidates who meet the minimum qualifications will have their Qualifications Assessment rated and successful candidates will be placed on an eligible list. SUBMISSION OF THE QUALIFICATIONS ASSESSMENT IS MANDATORY. Candidates who do not submit a completed Qualifications Assessment will be eliminated from this examination.

# **Qualifications Assessment -- Weighted 100.00%**

Scope: Emphasis in the examination will be on measuring competitively, relative to job demands, each candidate's:

# Knowledge of:

- 1. Determinate and indeterminate sentence and parole laws.
- Classification process and purposes, activities, regulations and functions of the California Department of 2 Corrections and Rehabilitation, the Board of Parole Hearings, the Narcotic Addict Evaluation Authority and the Division of Juvenile Justice as its operations relate to the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.
- 3. Correctional administration.
- 4. Documents, forms, and processes used in the establishment, maintenance, control, and disposition of individual inmate and parolee criminal case records.
- Training methods and planning and conducting in-service training programs. 5.
- 6. Information disclosure statutes.
- 7. California Department of Corrections' automated record-keeping systems.

# Ability to:

- Define, interpret, and take action on legal documents and court orders.
  Analyze inmate records and recognize and correct discrepancies and irregularities.
- 3. Prepare accurate and concise reports.
- 4. Make arithmetical computations.
- Prioritize workload and meet deadlines 5.
- Read and write English at a level required for successful job performance. 6.
- 7. Make sound decisions and recommendations in regard to the record-keeping function.
- 8. Provide criminal identification services necessary to the administration of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.
- Disseminate information to administrative, legislative, and judicial agencies, attorneys, and the general 9. public.
- 10. Learn, understand, retain, and recall a broad range of highly technical data and apply it to individual cases.
- 11. Follow oral and written instructions.
- 12. Communicate effectively with other staff, inmates, and informational sources.
- 13. Operate a personal computer to access, enter, and retrieve information.
- 14. Progressively perform more difficult and analytical tasks in the correctional case record-keeping process.

The Job Analysis identifies job duties and job requirements for the classification and may be referenced in preparing for the examination. The Job Analysis for the Correctional Case Records Analyst is available on the CDCR website at: CDCR Job Analysis.

# **ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION**

The resulting eligible list will be established to fill vacancies for CDCR.

Names of successful candidates are merged onto the list(s) in order of final scores, regardless of date. Eligibility expires 12 months after establishment unless the needs of the service and conditions of the list(s) warrant a change in this period.

# **VETERANS' PREFERENCE/CAREER CREDITS**

Veterans' Preference will be granted in this examination. Veterans who have achieved permanent civil service status are not eligible to receive Veterans' Preference. Career credits will not be granted in this examination.

# DRUG-FREESTATEMENT

It is an objective of the State of California to achieve a drug-free State work place. Any applicant for State employment will be expected to behave in accordance with this objective, because the use of illegal drugs is inconsistent with the law of the State, the rules governing civil service, and the special trust placed in public servants.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Applications are available at CDCR, California Department of Human Resources (CalHR), local offices of the Employment Development Department, and through your CalCareer Account.

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**Veterans' Preference:** California law allows the granting of Veterans' Preference in any **Open** examination. In accordance with Government Code Sections 18973.1 and 18973.5, Veterans' Preference will be awarded as follows: 1) any veteran, widow or widower of a veteran, or spouse of a 100% disabled veteran, who achieves a passing score in an open examination, shall be ranked in the top rank of the resulting eligibility list. Any veteran who has been dishonorably discharged or released is not eligible for Veterans' Preference; 2) Veterans' Preference is not granted once a person achieves permanent civil service status.

Directions to apply for Veterans' Preference are available at the CalHR's website by clicking on the following link: <u>CalCareer Veterans</u>. Additional information can also be found at the California Department of Veterans Affairs at <u>CalVet Veterans</u>.

**The Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation** reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the service, if the circumstances under which this examination was planned change. Such revision will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules and all applicants will be notified.

**Examination Locations:** If this examination requires a written test and/or oral interview, they will be scheduled throughout the State at the correctional institutions, youth facilities, and/or parole regions. However, locations of the written test and/or oral interview may be limited or extended as conditions change.

**If you meet the requirements** stated on this examination bulletin, you may take this examination, which is competitive. Possession of the entrance requirements does not assure a place on the eligible list. Your performance in the examination described in this bulletin will be rated against a predetermined job-related rating, and all applicants who pass will be ranked according to their score.

**General Qualifications:** Applicants must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgement, the ability to work cooperatively with others, and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the assigned duties of the class. A medical examination and fingerprinting may be required. In open examinations, investigation may be made of employment records and personal history.

**Eligible Lists:** Eligible lists established by competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: 1) sub-divisional promotional, 2) departmental promotional, 3) multi-departmental promotional, 4) servicewide promotional, 5) departmental open, 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first. Eligible lists will expire in one to four years unless otherwise stated on the bulletin.

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